Lambda Sigma Beta Mu
Sixth Meeting
Bernardine Hall 1019
Thursday, March 29th, 2012

Meeting started at 7:07 p.m.

Members present: Alexandra Aloia, Brandon Bateman, Kirsten Carr, Alyssa Evans, Janelle Frank, Shelby Hickox, Dylan Laurenzano, Kayla Majeski, Antoinette Mauer, Monica Murnane, Natalia Piszczek.

Advisors Present: Dr. Vigna

Committee Updates:

- Membership: Toni shared that the letters were sent out to all of the applicants who were accepted. We took the maximum of 37 people and added 6 people to the waitlist. If people turn down joining Lambda Sigma we will take people off the waitlist and accept them then. All the people who were accepted had their doors decorated and all commuters will pick up those decorations in Megan’s office. Alyssa shared that a lot of accepted people were excited about the decorated doors. If people want to accept they will give their check to Megan.

- Social: Brandon shared that he will do the icebreaker next meeting since we need more people. The committee is also considering organizing an end of the year party and will ask for some money from the budget for food or drinks.

- Service:
  - Monica shared that only 4 people signed up for the Earth Day of Service so far but if anyone also wants to sign up, please email monica.murnane@alvernia.edu by Wednesday, April 4th.
  - Alex shared that the Science Association is hosting an EcoFun Day and needs help. It will be held on Friday, April 20th from 9:30-2:15. Anyone who is in science classes will be excused from those classes that day to help with this event. They’re looking for 30 volunteers. Please contact alexandra.aloia@alvernia.edu if you’re interested in helping out with that.
  - Alyssa shared that the Social Work Club is hosting a Human Trafficking Rally in the convent conference center on Monday, April 2nd from 5-8:30 p.m. They’re also selling wristbands for $1. Anyone who would like to help out, email alyssa.evans@alvernia.edu
  - Vigna discussed Lambda Sigma as a group either helping out or just going as a group to Take Back the Night. No details yet about if or when it is happening this year.
Shelby shared that some members shared they would be interested in going to the Humane Society on a Friday afternoon. A group of people will try to go on Friday, April 13th. If anyone is interested in going, please email shelby.hickox@alvernia.edu with your cell phone number because we will only know the day before if they need volunteers for that Friday.

- Public Relations: Dr. Vigna shared that Edwin was looking into starting up a website page for Lambda Sigma Beta Mu. Dr. Vigna shared that someone in IT thought it would not be too difficult to start it up.

- Scholarship: Alex shared again about the Reading Public Museum. The two exhibits right now are pictures drawn by children from the Holocaust and Andy Warhol. A guided tour is $7 a person if the group is a minimum of 10 or $5 for an unguided tour. There are also planetarium music and light and star shows at $7 a person. Alex will be looking into the times for these exhibits and seeing if we can find a few dates where people will be able to go.

- Fundraising: Dylan shared that we’re looking into doing a fundraiser at The Works. There was some confusion among members about if it’s a money amount or a people amount that is required before we make any money. There was also discussion of looking into Moe’s or Friendly’s too. Toni shared that we could also sell Dasani water at baseball games to make some extra money.

Budget: Shelby discussed reimbursing Toni for the supplies to decorate the doors. Toni has the receipts and we’ll go through Edwin to figure out how to reimburse her. Other committees discussed asking for money but until there is a clearer idea of how much money is needed, we will need to wait until the next meeting to talk about the money.

Anything else?: Kirsten shared that Dr. Cicala talked about the new buildings and they sound awesome.

NEXT MEETING: Tuesday, April 10th @ 7:00 p.m.

Meeting adjourned at 8:12 p.m.