



Warren College Student Council Agenda

Thursday May 30th, 2024 | Meeting #4 | Spring Quarter | Week 9

1. Call to Order
 - a. 6:36 p.m.
2. Opening Exercises
 - a. Ice Breaker
 - i. [Kahoot!](#)
 - b. Meeting moved into recess for 3 minutes
 - i. Meeting called back into order at 6:46 p.m.
 - c. Council Member of the Week
 - i. Jorge for helping Aries with graphics for the Instagram
 1. Snaps for Jorge!
3. Initial Roll Call
 - a. We reached quorum
 - b. Members Present:
 - i. Aries
 - ii. Julianna
 - iii. Analisa
 - iv. Mariah
 - v. Alex Duckett
 - vi. Nam
 - vii. William
 - viii. Alex Chen
 - ix. Kate
 - x. Paxton
 - xi. Kristy
 - xii. Skyler
 - xiii. Khang
 - xiv. Mickel
 - xv. Advait
 - xvi. Elijah
 - c. Member Excused:
 - i. Ghazal



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- ii. Jorge
- iii. Ariel
- iv. Damian
- v. Cassidy
- vi. Tiffany
- vii. Preity
- d. Members Absent:
 - i. C.J.
 - ii. Hannah
 - iii. Brianna
- 4. Adoption of the Agenda
 - a. Approval of Agenda
 - i. Skyler motions to approve
 - ii. Alex Chen seconds
 - iii. No opposition or discussion
 - b. Approval and Reading of Previous Meetings Minutes
 - i. [5/23/24 WCSC Minutes Week 8](#)
 - ii. Skyler moves to approve minutes from last week
 - iii. Advait seconds
 - iv. No objections or discussion
- 5. Public Input
- 6. Reports
 - a. Advisor - Emma Charles
 - i. Happy Week 9!
 - ii. We have merch to disperse after council
 - iii. Only a few more events of the quarter, come if you can!
 - 1. Enjoy them! (pop ups, grab n' go)
 - iv. Emma's last week as Advisor for Spring Quarter
 - v. Slack and email are available over Summer (same with Katy and James)
 - vi. Looking to change some things for next year
 - vii. Congrats on graduating
 - b. President - Aries Cole
 - i. No LCC meeting



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- ii. Went to Senate yesterday for Public input
- iii. Senators will likely speak on Senate
- c. Vice President Internal - Ghazal Saeedi
- d. Vice President External - Julianna Ybarra
- e. Secretary - Analisa Anderson
- f. Finance Director - Mariah Arteaga
- g. Interim Events Board Chair - Alex Duckett
 - i. Collabing with COWS for Warren's Got Talent
 - ii. Tomorrow at 6PM
 - iii. Please come!
- h. AS Senators - Nam Nguyen & William Simpson
 - i. Senate:
 - 1. Recap of the year
 - 2. Around 200 students at volunteer event
 - 3. Around 5000 students went through education courses
 - 4. Special Presentation: goal of protecting the oceans
 - 5. Special Presentation: Alex Lujon presentation on increasing Senator salaries
 - 6. Special Presentation: Sen. Chang and Pres Wong presentation to make things more accessible and affordable for out-of-state students
 - 7. Will talk about summer sessions
 - i. International Student At-Large - Alex Chen
 - j. Transfer Student At-Large | Basic Needs Advocate - Kate Lee
 - i. Monday, CalFresh workshop 3-4 PM at Warren Courtroom
 - ii. Sent to Jorge to be posted on Instagram
 - iii. BBQ Chicken and Boba
 - iv. Wednesday, will distribute Blue Trident Meal kits
 - v. Reached goal of 60 students
 - vi. Pick up Blue Trident Meal kits, Wednesday June 5th at 6 PM
 - 1. If you ordered one
 - vii. Discussion with Emma about Basic Needs providing lunch boxes
 - k. First Year Student At-Large - Paxton Smith



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- I. Directors of Spirit - Kristy Wong & Skyler Britton
 - i. Summer Bash yesterday
 - 1. Thank you to those who went
 - ii. Last two things: finals care package and Warren's Got Talent
 - 1. Lot of giveaways
 - 2. Will be posted on Warren Instagram
 - 3. Come to support the Warren Community!
 - 4. If in COWS and in Council, required to work the event
 - 5. Anyone else in council who wants to be assigned a shift may have access to perks
- m. Director of Transfer and Commuter Affairs - Khang Sun
 - i. Bagels, croissants, and more baked goods at upcoming event
- n. Resident Assistant Representative - C.J. Johnson
- o. SHWAB Representative - Mickel Amaro
 - i. If graduating or not continuing the school year, you have access to UC SHIP until Week 0
 - ii. On the lookout for a new CAPS program
- p. SFAC Representative - Advait Vinoth
- q. PSAC Representative - Hannah Gurne
- r. UCAB Representative - Elijah Cheng
 - i. A lot happened
 - ii. Burger King's lease will not be renewed
 - iii. Haven't discussed a replacement
 - iv. Some issues with removing Burger King
 - 1. Will take around 6 months to move out
 - 2. History of boycotting restaurants that we work with so businesses don't want to move in
 - 3. Rubio's has filed for bankruptcy
 - a. Trying to save it
 - b. Rubio's might be empty next year and this creates further issues given our history or boycotting
 - 4. Seed and Sprout turned into Flavorful
 - a. \$5 poke bowl specials this week! To celebrate the Grand



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opening

5. If you have any suggestions for restaurants
 - a. In N' Out isn't too controversial so we could possibly have them move in
- s. RFAB Representative - Brianna Yen
7. Special Presentations
 - a. Funding Reform by Sens. Simpson and Nguyen
 - i. Sustainability Initiative Fund
 - ii. Making some changes to the budget Mariah presented last week
 - iii. Warren GROW will be removed as category because not in our Bylaws
 1. William says not fair to have no funds go to Warren GROW and proposes that they receive funds from General Unallocated
 2. Proposes allowing students to present their funding requests by publicizing on Instagram
 - iv. Sustainability Advocate within our council would manage funds for us
 - v. Without approval of proposed budget Warren GROW would be completely removed
 1. Don't want them to have to come to council and propose something every time they need money
 2. Haven't been too productive in the past
 - a. No good reason to believe they would attend the meetings to ask for more funding
 - vi. What constitutes Sustainability
 1. According to United Nations "meeting the needs of the present without compromising the ability of future generations to meet their own needs"
 - vii. Purpose
 1. For Warren college to be on par with other colleges regarding sustainability
 2. This goes beyond our time
 3. Allows students to put action to ideas for sustainability
 - a. Give them the opportunity to apply and get funding for their ideas



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4. To take pressure off of “Miscellaneous” and “Unallocated Funds”
 - a. Some events have taken funding from Unallocated fund like Warren’s Wardrobe
 5. Removing Warren GROW means that it wouldn’t have a permanent home in Warren
 6. Student Sustainability Collective
 - a. Many members set up compost bins outside CV but had to shut it down because it was not AS-affiliated but only WCSC
 - b. Wondered why WCSC wasn’t funding it
 - c. Should assume that WCSC should pay for this but we do not have a Sustainability category
 7. We know that students want this
 8. During the senators’ campaign, students really wanted to see change
 - a. We should push for this change and promote sustainability
 9. This is not that big of a change
 10. Just inputting Warren GROW back into the budget and adding another 2%
8. Open Forum
- a. Open Forum by AS VP Academic Affairs Elect Rishi Yalamarty
 - i. 3rd year undergraduate Bio major
 - ii. VP of Academic Affairs next year
 - iii. Senate is a small piece of AS and we as WCSC understand what students need on a greater level
 - iv. Rishi will provide his email and phone number for us to contact him
 1. ryalamarty@ucsd.edu
 2. (858) 504-1605
 - v. Goal: Student Experiences and access to academic resources
 1. Making sure that student orgs have access to opportunities regardless of field
 2. Understands that some orgs do not get the same support
 - vi. Rishi terms in Week 10
 - vii. Rishi is open to working with our Director of Academics



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- viii. Open to speaking to other people in Exec.
- b. Budget Discussion by President Cole
 - i. Finance Director Arteaga and Senator Simpson to discuss desired budgets
 - ii. Two different visions for the budget
 - iii. Invites Mariah and William to discuss the matter in an Open Forum
 - iv. Paxton: Great job on your first presentation Will!
 - 1. Did you both communicate on this new proposal?
 - 2. Mariah: William went over the presentation with, Mariah
 - 3. William: Has been thinking about adding something to the budget for a while
 - a. Presented a draft version of the presentation
 - b. During exec meeting, Mariah talked with people and preferred the version she initially proposed
 - c. After finding out that Warren GROW wouldn't be included, he changed the presentation
 - d. Hasn't seen the newest version, just heard that GROW would be removed
 - e. Thinks we should give more control to the Sustainability advocate which has lead to them leaving
 - f. Thinks we should keep it funded and maintains that 2% is pretty low
 - v. We have to vote on the budget today
 - 1. Mariah: When voting, remember that this is your budget
 - 2. Julianna: We shouldn't punish them for not using their budget
 - a. They'll still have to maintain the garden
 - b. We should encourage them
 - c. As a council, we can make a lasting impact on our college
 - d. Sustainability fund as a sub-category can leave things for future students and will progress over time
 - e. How would we let Warren GROW know that their budget would change?
 - i. The newly elected Director of Student Organizations would inform them



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- ii. Have tried to contact Warren GROW rep but have received no response
 - 1. Hard to communicate with them and not much that can be done
 - 2. Warren GROW can still come to council and make funding requests
 - 3. The budget can change
- iii. William: will make sure that they get funding
 - 1. The question is, do we want them to keep asking us for money or give them money from the General Unallocated pool
 - 2. They did spend money this year
 - a. We can work with them to reform Warren GROW
- iv. Mariah: this is under the assumption that they will plan these events throughout the quarter
 - 1. How do we make sure that Warren GROW holds events, as they have done so prior?
 - 2. William: If Warren GROW isn't motivated, the garden will die
 - a. Aren't spending full 1%, but what happens if they aren't given funding at all
 - b. A lot of our budget is spent on food and snacks some of it should be provided to GROW
 - 3. Mariah: for them to not know how council works is not a great excuse because as an organization they are getting themselves into this
- v. Skyler: G. Unallocated is meant to fund Warren events
 - 1. What is Miscellaneous covering?



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- a. Mariah: Diploma covers and anything that Warren GROW needs
- b. Skyler: By language, it could be put under General Unallocated
- c. Paxton: point of information
 - i. Purpose for Miscellaneous was to account for this year
 - ii. Set aside for something that regularly occurs
 - iii. Ranging from spontaneous to something regular
- d. Skyler: 2 is up to Sustainability Advocate
- e. Paxton: this is just a budget proposal for this year, if this is in Miscellaneous it could be forgotten or overwritten
 - i. Miscellaneous works well enough and General Unallocated works as it is
 - ii. Because Warren GROW is a residential thing, we could try to encourage cooperation between GROW and Res Life
 - iii. Potential for Res Life to breathe more life
- f. Aries moves to extend the time, 10 more minutes
 - i. Nam seconds
 - ii. Approved through voice vote
 - iii. William: our student fee as gone up so we as a council have more money
 - 1. We have more money than we had last year
 - 2. Garden has been here for a long time
 - a. There's been rough years with



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- funding, but council didn't decide to cut them because they didn't use all of their budget
- b. With our other budget, Warren GROW was included
 - i. The only reason it wasn't included in this budget is because it wasn't included in the bylaws
 - ii. At least we keep GROW in budget at 0.5%
- iv. Alex Chen: what if new organizations like Warren Honor's Council, come in and keep asking for money
 - 1. Will they have to do like the Res. Life and propose money
 - 2. If specific to Warren Council and Warren College
- v. Mariah: we can always vote again, the budget isn't concrete
- vi. Skyler: Warren GROW's website is outdated, not updated since 2021-2022 school year
 - 1. We could increase our communication with them
 - 2. Thinks that the 1% is in needed for Warren GROW and that we should add a Sustainability category
 - 3. Adding towards General Unallocated
- vii. William: We shouldn't take Warren GROW out, other colleges are doing things to
 - 1. Think of initiatives that students can put forward
- viii. Emma: what happens to the funds if Warren GROW doesn't use them



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1. William: they will still be within General Unallocated
- c. Straw Poll Vote:
 - i. Previously proposed:
 1. Mariah
 - ii. With Sustainability fund:
 1. William
 2. Nam
 3. Alex Duckett
 4. Elijah
 5. Advait
 6. Julianna
 - iii. Abstain:
 1. Kristy
 2. Paxton
 3. Skyler
 4. Alex Chen
 5. Khang
 - iv. Moves to amend agenda to include budget proposed by Senator William
 1. William seconds
 2. No objections
9. Unfinished Business
10. New Business
 - a. Funding Requests
 - i. Courtroom & SAC Renovation Proposal! By Advisor Charles
 1. 🇺🇸 Courtroom Wish List
 2. As we move into summer, Katy and Emma have been working on this project throughout the year
 3. Student Activity Center to be used for activities only and to hold Warren Writing classes into the Warren Courtroom
 - a. As the Warren Courtroom is old and outdated, funding request is to go towards renovating the courtroom to support classes



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- b. SAC will still be seen by Res Life
4. \$20,000 budget to come from the Reserves tab, previous 5% proposed
5. HDH supplies lighting and maintenance
6. Fast moving project, could be completed in the summer
7. In regards to leaving a legacy, this is something we should consider
8. Currently, we are concluding our fiscal year, everything that we haven't spent in our budget this year
9. Questions:
 - a. Alex Chen: will this just be in summer?
 - b. Yes, hoping to have a grand opening along with the 50th anniversary kick off in Fall
 - c. William: Is there an average that we put back into reserves yearly?
 - d. Currently 5% sitting in a bank
 - e. William agrees that we should use it
10. In reserves we have \$193 K
 - a. Paxton: Is the budget posted in the agenda?
 - b. And can it be shared?
 - c. Nam: Will we renovate the exterior of the Courtroom?
 - d. Not planned but we could consider it in the future
 - e. Skyler: Thank you and Katy for the work you've done on this
11. Opinions:
 - a. William: Thinks it is a great idea since we have a lot of money
 - b. Will help students in the future
 - c. Good to get it out of the bank
 - d. Nam: safe spot for students, great for teaching
 - e. Great for our council to use the money we have
 - f. Skyler: Warren Writing being in the Courtroom will make planning events a lot easier



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- i. Currently they have times blocked out
 - ii. Alex Chen motions to table Skyler's motion
 - g. Julianna: has experienced teachers and students talking 10 minutes after lectures which has made trying to set up for events difficult
 - h. Having a designated space for WCWP would be great!
 - 12. Skyler motions to fund in full
 - a. Williams seconds
 - b. Open roll call vote:
 - i. Julianna Yes
 - ii. Analisa Yes
 - iii. Mariah Yes
 - iv. Alex Duckett yes
 - v. Nam Yes
 - vi. William Yes
 - vii. Alex Chen Yes
 - viii. Paxton Abstain
 - ix. Kristy Yes
 - x. Skyler Yes
 - xi. Khang Yes
 - c. Passes, funded in full
 - b. Bylaw Revisions
 - c. Appointments
 - d. Budget Proposal
 - i. Nam moves to a vote
 - ii. William seconds
 - iii. Skyler objects
 - iv. We are voting to move this to a vote
 - v. Discussion can begin
 - 1. Skyler we don't know if we will have a Sustainability advocate who is willing to do these things
 - 2. This should be under Mariah's discretion
 - 3. Next year if the Sustainability Advocate wants to be more active



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- they can be
 - a. Allow us to ensure that it's being used properly
 - 4. Julianna: it's important to have separate sections to protect things that students are passionate about
 - 5. Disheartening to see when we run out of money, we need to have protected portions for things that students want
 - a. We represent them
 - b. We can always change the budget later
 - 6. William: good to bring up the point that we are efficiently using all of our budget
 - 7. We would then open up the discussion to examining other categories and where funding is going
 - 8. General Unallocated is its own category
 - 9. William: is on the Appointment committee
 - a. Will be thorough in conducting the interview to ensure that they are committed to the role
 - b. Will work to ensure that as many people as possible are dedicated to the role and understand their responsibilities
 - c. William is not on the Appointments committee for 2024-2025 school year
 - 10. Paxton: we could amend the budget at a later date
 - 11. Mariah: wanting to give funds toward the Director of Sustainability could be hypocritical; can't just support the people who voted for you
 - 12. William: argument could be said about every
 - 13. Paxton: Sustainability is already on the budget
 - 14. Skyler motions this to a voice vote
 - 15. Paxton seconds
 - 16. Yays have won
 - 17. We have approved budget for the next year
11. Weekly Activity
- a. RPS Tournament
 - b. Kristy is victorious



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12. Announcements

- a. Constitutional Amendments passed
 - i. Last week
- b. Join the Slack
 - i. [Slack](#)
- c. Emma Monday June 3rd Coordinators of Student Activities of the Colleges
- d. Pride Celebration, on first business day of Pride
- e. Flags, cupcakes, pronoun stickers, etc.
- f. Come by and say hi at this grab n' go
- g. Analisa:
 - i. Join Triton Mock Trial and our Summer Boot Camp!
 - ii. If you're interested ask me for more info
- h. Nam:
 - i. William, Nam, and Trinidad have been working on event for Accommodations
 - ii. Difficult getting single-housing
 - iii. William: Clothing Swap at seventh college, business attire
- i. Kristy:
 - i. Come to Warren's Got Talent!
 - ii. If you can help, please come help!
 - iii. You could judge! You could pass out pizza!
 - iv. Message Kristy
- j. Nam:
 - i. Working with Sustainability advocate

13. Goods of the Order

- a. Kudos
- b. Questions

14. Final Roll Call

- a. Members Present:
 - i. Aries
 - ii. Julianna
 - iii. Analisa
 - iv. Mariah



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- v. Alex Duckett
 - vi. Nam
 - vii. William
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 - c. Members Absent:
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 - ii. C.J.
 - iii. Mickel
 - iv. Hannah
 - v. Brianna
15. Adjournment
- a. Skyler motions to adjourn at 8:26 p.m.
 - b. William seconds
 - c. No objections