Cleveland-Marshall Student Bar Association

Senate Meeting, Sunday, October 5, 2013, 6:00 p.m.

Minutes

* Call to Order at 6:05 p.m.
	+ Present
		- David Carter, Freddie Cruz, Sarah Sexton, Leslie Stanard, Kevin Ker, Taj Hussein, Jimmy Gianfagna, Adrian Piergallini, Margaret Whitmore, Ryan Schiely, Ted Czaplicki, Kelly Donovan, Brittany Barron, Raymond Coatoam, Chauncey Keller
	+ Absent
		- Clare Gravens
* Adoption of Agenda
	+ All in favor
* Reading and Approval of Minutes
	+ All in favor
* Messages, Announcements, and Communications
	+ Welcome to four 1L senators! Michelle Gruscinski, Kathleen Valdez, Stephanie Olivera, Dave Sherman
	+ Moot Court send-off Tues., Oct. 5 @ 6 p.m.
* Officer Reports
	+ President
		- Run for Justice – morning of Sat., Oct. 26. Email to students pending.
		- Met with OCP past week; as always they are willing to hear SBA concerns
			* Open to cosponsoring events with SBA
		- Let David know if you want to write an SBA Gavel article – due Oct. 14
	+ Vice President – see Programming Committee report
	+ Treasurer
		- General Fee Account - $45,622
		- Agency Account - $7,800
	+ Secretary – no report
	+ Director of Development
		- New apparel and merchandise has arrived
		- The store can accept refunds and exchanges as long as the merchandise is not damaged.
	+ Ombudsman – no report
* Committee Reports
	+ Programming Committee
		- Browns vs. Bills recap – need to make sure that CSU Purchasing Department cuts checks to entities from whom we buy tickets.
		- Halloween Social
			* Friday, November 1 at the Clevelander, 8:00 – 11:00 p.m., cost $20 to students, has a D.J. in mind for music
		- Barristers
			* Friday, October 11 at 1:00 p.m. – appointment with Renaissance Hotel to view ballroom
	+ Fundraising Committee
		- Committee meeting soon
	+ Finance Committee
		- Justinian Forum – Little Italy event with Cuyahoga County legal community. Requests $840.00 in addition to organization’s $280.00 contribution.
			* Finance committee recommends funding request in full
			* Motion to amend to funding to $640.00 defeated
			* Finance committee’s recommendation to fund $840.00 in full passes
		- Student Public Interest Law Organization – Funding request to send twelve CMLaw students to Equal Justice Works conference in Washington D.C. Requests $3000
			* Finance committee recommends funding request in amount of $2500.
			* Finance committee’s recommendation to fund $2500 passes.
	+ Academics Committee
		- Setting up an anonymous Complain Box in the SBA Store
	+ Election Committee
		- 1L elections went smoothly without issue
	+ Constitutional Review Committee - none
* Old Business
	+ Nomination of 1L/E Nate Sargent to final vacant Senate seat
		- Tabled as Nate could not attend Senate this week.
* New Business
	+ None
* Open Floor
	+ Brendan – respond to his email if you would like to be a tour guide for prospective students.
* Adjournment