



University of Denver
Student Bar Association
Weekly Agenda

- I. Call to Order**
 - a. Welcome
 - b. Attendance
 - i. All attended.
 - c. Approval of Minutes from last week
 - i. Will approve last week's minutes next week.
- II. Guest Speakers**
 - a. Emily
 - i. Kerry taking over for her in the spring, due to her maternity leave.
 - ii. The Registrar is prepping for registration and getting a finalized schedule.
 - iii. We will receive ticket times October 30th.
 - iv. Tuesday, November 7 is registration day.
 - 1. Will have it over 1 calendar day, at different times.
 - v. Dean Moffat will finalize the schedule by the end of the month.
 - vi. Midterms
 - 1. All midterms are done except for one.
 - 2. There were 11 in total.
 - vii. Bar passage rate will come out tomorrow
 - 1. The list will be posted tomorrow or in the next few days.
 - 2. They email the passers first.
 - b. Dean Boynton
 - i. Filling in for Chris.
- III. Committee Updates**
 - a. **ABA:** Donovan
 - i. Friday's event
 - 1. Young lawyers division
 - 2. They are in town this week and weekend for a conference.
 - ii. They are bringing in a panel of lawyers who have been practicing for a year or less.
 - iii. The event is at 12 p.m. in 180.
 - b. **Social:** Marquis
 - c. **Finance:** Hailey
 - i. Funding request
 - 1. Donovan's ABA fund
 - a. Recommended: moving \$250.00 to that account.
 - b. Jacob motioned to approve
 - c. Andrea second
 - d. Unanimously passed
 - 2. Travel request Anne Vessels
 - a. VA moot court Nov. 4-5

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- b. Last year we sent 2 and gave the full amount per person \$500 (this is also the Finance Committee's recommendation.)
- c. Ashley motioned to approved
- d. Kaley second
- e. Unanimously approved
- ii. Budget update
- d. **Health & Wellness:** Morgan
- e. **Community Outreach:** John-Michael & Kaley
 - i. Updated us on GSG meeting notes and their next steps.
 - ii. All GSG communications go to our "primary email" accounts.
 - iii. Reviewed the grad-student emergency fund:
 - 1. There is money available for family, health, etc. emergencies
 - 2. If you donate then they keep track of who you are and you are invited to events throughout the year.
 - iv. Upcoming events:
 - 1. Homecoming October 20-21.
 - 2. Oct. 20th Oktoberfest
 - a. National Championship raising of flag
 - b. Wednesday morning is when you can get free student tickets
 - c. \$5.00 for all other student tickets
 - 3. Student services
 - a. Bought tickets to all of the homecoming events,
 - i. These will be given away at the pumpkin carving event/fall festival.
 - b. Student services will get the word out for homecoming and the fall festival.
 - v. GSG has expressed interest in giving Sturm votes on board
 - 1. Ariel is the president of GSG
 - vi. GSD looking for food representative-
 - 1. This person will be responsible for the permanent food trucks

IV. **Student Concerns**

- a. How can the administration better serve the students?
 - i. Marquis: the rate at which we get grades back
 - 1. Dean Boynton suggested talk to the registrar
 - a. Dean Moffatt has been slowly moving this time up, as well.
 - ii. Jake: getting more face time with the deans for 1Ls
 - 1. Deans → getting out in the halls
 - 2. Boynton: Dean Smith will teach again in the Spring
 - 3. He is also holding these events as a way to communicate with us.
 - iii. Jessica: contesting professors and exams

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1. Contact Dean Boynton or Dean Moffat
 2. Once the grade is submitted there is an appeals.
- iv. Andrea:
1. Community service offerings through the school:
 - a. Contact Leann Steele for legal opportunities
 - b. Kaley and John-Michael will see if GSG has any upcoming events
- v. Morgan:
1. Food choices are worse than last year
 - a. Students are wanting warm food choices
- vi. 1LE
1. There were students that were left off for 1LE → we should think about doing an audit after add/drop

V. Previous Business

VI. Matters needing a vote

- a. Mid year budget requests
 - i. Sara: we have already made a commitment to a few organizations; we should uphold and place limitations.
 - ii. Hailey: if we get too many requests that are over budget then we will have chose who gets what
 - iii. Jake: concerned about how this affects new clubs
 1. Hailey: they can do special event requests; they cannot do mid-year if they haven't done the annual request.
 - iv. Jake motioned to forgo mid-year budget requests
 - v. Kaley seconded
 - vi. Approved with Donovan and John-Michael voting against.

VII. Motion to Adjourn