Internal Affairs Meeting Minutes for April 20th, 2010

I. Call to Order: Chair Andres calls meeting to order at 6:06pm

II. Roll Call

Members Present: Samantha Andres, Cherie Vargas, Nandini Premmanisakul, Sezy Aydin, Melissa Grottkau, Marissa Deherrera, Rohan Dixit, Ylva Sandberg, Erica Ramos-Curiel, Christopher Prado, Shahid Beig

Absent Members: Siddharth Menon, Jennifer Case, Bob Williams, Jonathan Stoll, Bobby Rogers, Margaret Daniel, Emily Wirt

Guests: Siddharth

III. Consent Calendar

A. Approval of Agenda
   Motion: (Aydin) to approve the agenda.
   Motion Carries.

B. Approval of the Minutes of 4/07/2010
   Motion: (Sandberg) to approve the Minutes of 4/07/2010
   Motion Carries.

IV. Special Presentation: None

V. Public Discussion: None

VI. Action Calendar

A. New Business
   1. Beer Tent:
      Beig states that in order to provide alcohol on CSUEB campus the students will
have to go through Aramark due to them having the Alcohol License. There has to be an approval from the Chancellors office. Also the license is regarding Spring Fest but we are still looking to have an overall Alcohol License.

Chair Andres opens the floor to the committee members on feelings toward the Beer Tent or alcohol on-campus:

- Dixit states that he has mixed feelings about the alcohol on campus and that the pub might be really successful and others would like to go get a drink.
- Sandberg states that the only liability can be that there might be some drunk driving involved and students might be driving off campus. But besides that, this will keep a lot of students’ on-campus especially the students over the age of 21.
- Vargas states that there are students that live on-campus so they will be able to walk home; also this can improve the campus life and school spirit.
- Premmanisakul states that in terms of locations, there has to be set hours. Also we have to put into consideration that we are a commuter campus.
- Prado states at least from the dorm perspective we are not really a commuter campus anymore and the school is actually transitioning from that so this can be a good step.
- Sandberg states that this can be something to start out small, and then within a few years it can expand.
- Beig states that a negative outcome might be that the alcohol on campus might take away from student’s focus towards school.
- Grottkau states that if students want to drink they are going to drink. Also the committee should get the students point-of views of this matter.

B. Old Business
   a. Spring Fest –

Chair Andres states that Jonathan Stoll is not present but he has relayed the message that Spring Fest date will have to be changed to June 5th, 2010. From 5pm to 8pm. States that all the students voted for Trey Songz but he will not be able to make it. The next choice was Fabulous for the previous date that Spring Fest was suppose to be held but due to the Banquet for Athletics Spring Fest will not be held in May. So now the artist will be Keisha Cole.

Chair Andres opens the floor to the committee for a discussion of Spring Fest:

- Beig states that he suggests that Spring Fest should be earlier in the day;
i.e. from 3pm to 6pm.

- Prado states that he has received a conformation to book KMEL or 94.9 Radio Stations to have a tent at the Spring Fest. Inquires what will be their participation in Spring Fest?
- Beig states to spin records and have contests.

b. Spring Quarter Availability
Chair Andres states that Marissa Deherrera had mentioned that 6pm would not work for her schedule, but apparently it works out for majority of the members in the committee. Also there has been an excel sheet forwarded to all committee members.
Motion: (Dixit) to have the Internal Affairs Committee Meeting from 6pm to 8pm on Tuesdays weekly.
Motion Carries.

c. Banquet
Chair Andres states that she has been looking into The Century House Mansion that Jonathan Stoll has recommended, but feels that it should be held on campus such as in the Dining Common or UU Multipurpose Room. Adding that there should be fifteen to twenty spots made available for students that aren’t involved in clubs or ASI. Would like point of contact to be via mass email to students.
Premmanisakul suggests that the committee simply hold the Banquet outdoors.
Chair Andres states that it does tend to get cold at night and that’s’ when the banquet will be held. Also looking to have a dance floor at the upcoming banquet.
Chair Andres states that invites will be via email.
The committee discusses having a dance floor at the banquet.
  - Indoor/Outdoor event
  - Everyone knows where CSUEB is located
  - Pushing for the tent
Chair Andres appoints Alice Premmanisakul to research quotes for tents. She states that she will work on the quotes for the hotels.

d. Radio Station
Chair Andres states that she had done research on radio stations and printed out an article of how to start a radio station on campus. Also she is going to have a meeting with Chabot College program director regarding the radio station.
2. Creative Ideas:
   a. BBQ Budget and Timeline

   Chair **Andres** opens the floor to discussion. Following were the highlights of the discussion:
   - 3 tents due to the rain
   - Not a large amount of students attending Sober fest (150)
   - Hot Dogs and Hamburgers
   - 12pm to 2pm

   Chair **Andres** opens the floor for the committee members to volunteer for Sober Fest:
   - Shahid – Bar B Que
   - Rohan – Clean-up
   - Dehererra – Bar B Que
   - Sezy- Set-up
   - Alice- Clean-up

   Chair **Andres** states that she will be speaking with Garvin to make signs for Sober Fest.

   b. Scrap Book Budget and Timeline

   Chair **Andres** states that she wants to incorporate a tea time or some type of meditation time for Scrap Booking; looking to host the event before Finals.
   - May 26th
   - Budget $400
   - Noon to 3pm
   - Hosted in the University Union or On the Lawn

VII. **Roundtable Remarks**

   **Deherrera** states that she is planning an Invisible Children event next Wednesday at 6pm and would like the committee members to attend the event. There will be an actual child soldier present.
Chair **Andres** states that she's speaking with Garvin about the display boards and they are in the process of being done. Thanks the committee for their contributions.

VIII. Adjournment
Motion: (Sandberg) to adjourn the meeting at 7:28pm
Motion Carries.

**Internal Affairs Committee Chair**
Name: Samantha Andres

4/20/2010
Date

Minutes Approved On:
4/27/10
Date

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