Student Government Association

September Monthly Report

- Winton Cooper, President

- Events:
  - Capture the Flag
    - Date: September 6th, 2021
    - Attendance: 30
      - Teams of students work together to capture the opposing team’s flag in the Student Union Commons. Event sponsored by SGA and coordinated by the Executive Assistant and President.

- Meetings:
  - Dr. McPhee One on One:
    - Date: September 24th
      - Brief meeting: Topics for discussion included recent Board of Trustees news and other topical issues at the University.

- Other:
  - Tennessee Intercollegiate State Legislature
    - Head Delegate Appointed: Zach Smith, Senator
      - Applications September 7 – 17th
        - 13 Applications collected
  - Tennessee Higher Education Commission
    - Coordinator: Anwar Butterfield, Executive Assistant
      - Applications opened September 23rd
  - University Standing Committee Appointments
    - Appointed: 67 students
  - June Anderson Center Collaboration (CSIL Collaborations)
    - Executive Board approval to co-sponsor a craft night event.
  - Office Furniture Funding
    - Proposal made to the Senate for the purchase of a sofa and chair for the Student Government Association office.
    - (Refer to Senate meeting minutes for further information)
  - Parliamentary Procedure Workshops
    - Workshops for Senators to hone skills and learn more about the basics of Robert’s Rules of Order.
• Jada Powell, Executive Vice President
  • 84th Congress of Middle Tennessee State University
  • Legislation
    • Amended
      o Tentative Resolution 1-21-F: A Resolution to Implement Training Modules for Student Organization Leadership
        ▪ Senator(s): Andrew Pauly and Logan McVey
      o Tentative Resolution 2-21-F: A Resolution to Create Event Categorization and Priority Types
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  • Upcoming:
    o Tentative Bill 1-21-F: A Bill to Amend Article VII Section 1 of the Senate By-Laws
      ▪ Senator(s): Blaze Harrison, Landon Tracy, Ashton Beatty, Marym Elaarag, Moon Bartram, Rana Sharubem, and Trinity Henderson
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  • Petitions
    • Petition 1-21-F: To remove the name “Forrest” for Forrest Hall
      o Date: Thursday, September 30, 2021
      o Nathan Wahl
      o Passed 45
      o No: 0
      o Abstain
  • Special Guests
    • June Anderson Center
      o Date: September 02, 2021
      o Purpose: Bystander Awareness Training
    • The Collegiate 100
      o Date: September 09, 2021
      o Purpose: inform the Senators about organization
  • Confirmations by the Senate
    • Appointed Senators
      o Date: September 02, 2021
    • Student Judicial Board
• Date: September 23, 2021
  • Election Commission
    • Date: September 23, 2021

• Taya Crowder, *Vice President of Marketing*
  • No Events

• Taylor Hayes, *Vice President of Campus Relations*
  • No Report Submitted

• Reagan Canon, *Attorney General*
  • University Traffic Committee:
    • The committee viewed and decided over 100 appeals.
  • Student Judicial Board Traffic Court:
    • Date: September 24th, 2021, at 2:30pm
    • Location: KUC 322
    | Students | Cases |
    |----------|-------|
    | Slated to Appear | 26    |
    | Actually Appeared | 8     |
  • Of the eight (8) students who appeared at the traffic hearing, seven (7) were denied. All other appeals, for students who failed to appear, were denied. There was only one appeal approved.

• Jules Mayes, *Homecoming Director*
  • Events: No Events

• Antonio Dodson, *Philanthropic Coordinator*
  • Events:
    • Voter Registration Tailgate
      • Office of the Tennessee Secretary of State Tre Hargett Collaboration – SGA, MT Athletics, Rutherford County Election Commission
      • Date: *Saturday, October 2nd, 2021*
      • Purpose: Tailgate tabling with election officials to get students registered to vote. Met virtually with event coordinators on a semi-weekly basis throughout the month of September to plan this event. I served as liaison between SGA, the SOS’s office and the RCEC. SGA now has about 1000 extra MTSU branded voter registration flyers, stickers and buttons to distribute as needed.
    • MTSU VS. WKU Red Cross Blood Drive
      • Date: *November 1-3rd 2021*
      • Purpose: Yearly blood drive with accompanying campaign targeting minority campus communities for sickle cell anemia. I attended planning meetings. Winton, President McPhee, athletes,
and alumni are encouraged to campaign, SGA senators requested to volunteer, and VPM to work with marketing to promote.

- **Committee**
  - **Philanthropic Committee**
    - **Applied:** 15
    - **Accepted:** TBD
    - Formation delays due to postponed marketing and being busy with event coordination. Meetings begin October 13. Considering an additional rolling admission basis to accommodate students who wish to engage with SGA mid-year.