

Student Council Minutes (meeting was on 9/7/05)

Attendance was taken. DeAnna Beckner gave the first reading of the Mock Trial Team. The sponsor would be Mr. Wood, and the team would serve to extend the business and law program already taught at West Lafayette High School. Clif moved that we accept the first reading of this club, Stephanie seconded, and the motion passed. The minutes were read. Clif moved to keep the minutes as read, Joe seconded, and the motion passed. Mohit gave the treasurer's report. As of 9/7 we have spent \$275.00 on MORP, but more may be spent on reimbursements for council members. Money will also be earned in ticket sales. We received about \$20.00 from pepsi sales, and \$716.00 from ID sales. The 2005-2006 Student Council donated \$450.00 to St. Anne's to fulfill the duty of the 2004-2005 Student Council. Our new balance is \$6,170.03. Clif and Ian will sell donuts this Friday (9/9). Ryne and Eliot will sell donuts the following Friday (9/16). The council evaluations committee will report their reviews on MORP, registration, and the new student luncheon at the next meeting. Brooke met with Dr. Koivo and has been putting up newspaper clippings for the last two weeks. Chelsea March informed the council about plans for Spirit Week. The theme for the week will be "West Side on Fire." The committee plans to decorate the school, and also to have a parade on Friday night for all clubs and the Homecoming Court before the football game. The Spirit committee, with the help of Pep Club, plans to build a float for the parade as well. Kyle Mauch moved that we accept the Spirit committee's plans for Spirit Week, Emily Capano seconded, and the motion passed. Brooke moved that we allot \$750.00 to the Spirit committee for **both** the fall and winter Spirit week, Michael seconded, and the motion passed. The senior class will find a new representative to replace Graham as a council member. A possible fundraiser for the victims of the hurricane in New Orleans was discussed. Kyle suggested that we talk to other clubs to organize one big fundraiser. Chad, chair of drives, will talk to other clubs about this possibility. Clif presented a blue sheet for the Debate Team to sell Fannie Mae Candies from 9/26-10/14. Clif moved that the blue sheet be accepted, Augusto seconded, and the motion passed. The council discussed the idea of clubs performing service projects in order to earn the money they receive from the parking lot. Jonathan brought up student concerns he had received including: the concern for sophomores parking in the lot after lunch, dispute about whether the "senior benches" should be set aside for seniors only, and concern over the lack of music between class. Jonathan will talk to Dr. Koivo about these concerns to see what can be done. Judith announced that the Constitutional Revisions committee would be making a correction the Student Council Constitution in Article IV: Elections. The committee will announce the correction at the next meeting. Mohit moved that the senior class be the nominating committee for the new senior class Student Council representative. Megan seconded, and the motion passed. Ryne moved that the council meeting be adjourned, Jonathan Dunn seconded, and the motion passed.