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ASUM CENTRAL BOARD AGENDA  
MOUNT SENTINEL ROOM  
OCTOBER 24, 1984  
8:00 P.M.

1. CALL MEETING TO ORDER
2. ROLL CALL
3. APPROVAL OF OCTOBER 10, 1984, MINUTES
4. PRESIDENT'S REPORT
  - A. GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS
  - B. MONTANA ASSOCIATED STUDENTS LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE
  - C. HOMECOMING
  - D. LIBRARY'S OPENING OF THE LINDERMAN EXHIBIT
  - E. CENTRAL BOARD APPOINTEE - ROBERT LEHEUP
  - F. PROGRAMMING'S ADVERTISING COORDINATOR APPOINTEE - BILL REKER
  - G. ASUM LOBBYIST APPOINTEES - MARK BLEWETT, MONTE KOCH
  - H. COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS
5. VICE PRESIDENT'S REPORT
6. BUSINESS MANAGER'S REPORT
  - A. BUDGET AND FINANCE REPORT
    - (1) SPECIAL ALLOCATIONS
      - (A) DAY CARE (VOTE)
      - (B) WOMEN'S RESOURCE CENTER (VOTE)
  - B. DAY CARE
7. OLD BUSINESS
8. NEW BUSINESS - SAC UPDATE - VOTER EDUCATION
9. COMMENTS
10. ADJOURNMENT

### Explanation

## CB Members

## ASUM Officers

### Faculty Advisors

Montana Kaiman

ASUM CENTRAL BOARD MINUTES  
Mount Sentinel Room  
October 24, 1984  
8:00 p.m.

The ASUM Central Board meeting was called to order by Phoebe Patterson, ASUM President. Members present were Baer, Brown, Campbell, Crilly, Desmul, Elison, Henderson, Hense, Johnson, Johnston, Keyes, LeHeup, LeSueur, McGuire, Mercer, Miller, Reich, Sullivan, Winslow, Sauter, Gullickson, Whiteman, and Jahrig. Stack was unexcused.

The minutes of October 10, 1984, were approved as written.

President's Report

1. Meeting October 31, 1984, will be canceled.
2. Patterson informed CB members that the MAS (Montana Associated Students) are holding their annual Student Leadership Conference, October 27-28, here at the University. All six campuses from the state of Montana will be represented. Saturday, October 27, workshops will cover topics and ideas that are relevant to what is presently happening on all six campuses. Several guest speakers will be featured on Sunday, October 28, discussing topics that will focus on the legislature. Patterson extended an invitation to all Central Board members to attend and requested a head count by Thursday morning. (Appendix A)
3. Patterson encouraged the participation of all Central Board members to the Homecoming events this weekend. ASUM has received many invitations to these events.
4. Patterson informed the members that an invitation has been extended by Ruth Patrick, Dean of the Library, to all ASUM to attend the Mansfield Library opening of the Linderman Exhibit. President Bucklew will be opening the exhibit on Friday, October 26, at 1:30 p.m., in the library archives.
5. Sauter - Hense  
  
Motion to ratify Robert LeHeup to fill the vacant Central Board seat. Upon vote, motion passed.
6. Crilly - Gullickson  
  
Motion to ratify Bill Reker as Programming Advertising Coordinator. Upon vote, motion passed.
7. Copies of the questions asked to applicants during the recent Lobbyists interviews, were passed out to the Board. (See Appendix B) Patterson reminded the Board that they were all welcome and invited to attend all the applicant interviews. The two Lobbyists appointees selected by Patterson, with the help of an



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advisory committee, are Mark Blewett and Monte Koch. Patterson asked the Board to ratify Blewett at this time and Monte Koch at a future date due to Koch being unable to attend tonight's meeting.

Brown - Keyes

Motion to ratify Mark Blewett as one of the two ASUM Lobbyists to represent ASUM at the 1985 State Legislative Session in Helena. Discussion followed.

LeSueur - Baer

Motion to table the main motion to ratify Blewett until November 7, 1984. Upon vote, motion failed.

Brown - Johnson

Previous question. Upon vote, previous question passed. Upon vote, main motion to ratify Mark Blewett passed.

8. Crilly - Gullickson

Motion to ratify the complete list of proposed committee appointments. Upon vote, motion passed. (Appendix C)

Business Manager's Report

9. Gullickson reported to members that there are still some positions open on the Budget and Finance Committee. He encouraged Board members to notify him or Sauter if they know of anyone who would like to serve on the committee.
10. A seconded motion came from Budget and Finance to approve special allocation of \$234 for the ASUM Day Care Home Program. Discussion followed. Upon vote, motion passed. (Appendix D)
11. Johnston - Sauter

Motion to enact the Bylaws to allow the Women's Resource Center special allocation request to be discussed. Upon vote, motion to enact the Bylaws passed. Discussion followed.

Henderson - LeSueur

Previous question. Upon vote, previous question passed. Upon vote on main motion to give Women's Resource Center \$730 to attend the conference entitled "Campus Crime Prevention", motion passed. (Appendix D)

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12. Gullickson informed the Board that in effort to save the Day Care Program one of the classified positions has been eliminated by decision of the Executive Board. This position was held by Dana Lund and she received her letter of termination effective November 12, 1984. Gullickson estimated that by eliminating this position and also making some adjustments in their budget this should save the Day Care Program \$6000 for this fiscal year.
13. Gullickson announced that the Fine Arts Department will be conducting special tours of the new Fine Arts building next week for Central Board members and ASUM Administration. Gullickson passed around a date/time sign up sheet for members interested in the tours.

New Business

14. Sauter acting in behalf of Co Carew, SAC Director, gave an update on the Get Out the Vote and Voter Education campaigns. Concerning the Get Out the Vote campaign Sauter passed around a sign up sheet for volunteers needed to call registered University students to remind them to vote and also where their polling place is located. The Voter Education drive will sponsor a series of forums. The forums will include the following: Supreme Court Justice - October 29, 12:00, UC Mall; Milk Control Initiative 96 will be debated October 29, 7:00 p.m., Montana Rooms; and State Legislature - November 1, 7:00-9:00 p.m., Montana Rooms. SAC can be contacted for further information in regard to either campaign.

Comments

15. LeSueur - Welcome Bob.
16. Mercer - Bob, welcome to the most progressive and enlightening legislative body west of the Mississippi.
17. Sullivan - Greg, I met a person up at the retreat that will fit into the Budget and Finance Committee. I didn't get his last name, but his first name was Steve.
18. Winslow - I would like to clarify something that was written in the Kaimin two weeks ago. I was quoted as saying, "Once you are a cheater you should always be known as a cheater." I would like to clarify with everyone on the Board that I am not responsible for that quote. I feel that it was very irresponsible reporting. I have already discussed my feelings with Dave and feel that it is his responsibility to keep track of who he is quoting and to make sure his reporting is accurate. If I say something and it is quoted I take full responsibility for it, but if I am misquoted that bothers me.

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19. Baer - It was a great retreat and I was disappointed that more Central Board members did not stay over till Sunday.
20. Crilly - Alpha Omicron Pi will be selling Homecoming corsages for five dollars each with the money benefiting the Arthritis Foundation.
21. Henderson - I would like to welcome Mark to ASUM and good luck in Helena.
22. Johnson - I hope everyone can come to the Homecoming Dance, it is going to be a lot of fun.
23. Gullickson - I may be stepping on some toes but I feel that abstaining from a vote when there is no conflicting interest is a cop-out. You are only given one chance to vote and speak for the students that you represent. You need to say and the students have a right to know how you feel about the issues. I feel that by abstaining from a vote the student is losing his representation that you were elected to voice.
24. Patterson - I sincerely apologize if I said some things harshly. I know that sometimes when you come into the office I'm flying 180 mph. I feel that you asked very responsible questions of Mark and I am glad that you asked those questions.
25. Whiteman - I will be taking part in the Homecoming parade. Kyi-Yo Club has asked me to be the masthead on their float and I will be wearing my traditional Indian outfit. I respectfully request to be excused from the November 7, Central Board meeting as I will be attending a state conference in Phoenix, then flying to New York for two days, back to Phoenix, and finally home to Missoula.
26. Craig, Mike (Audience) - I would like to thank you for allowing me to serve on the Day Care Advisory Committee. I would like to respond to the recent decision regarding the elimination of the teacher position at the Day Care Center and shifting that responsibility to the present administrator.

The decision was made in an effort to curb the increasing deficit the Day Care Program has been operating under for the past three years. It's true that this problem must be dealt with immediately and the President has given ample time for all involved to respond. Unfortunately, she has received little input. And now, since there is so little time left before budgeting, this decision had to be made. Elimination of the whole program was foreseen had Phoebe not acted at all.

As a participant of this program, I have witnessed its excellent quality both through its administration and teaching. No where else



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in this community will you find scholastic excellence taught to our preschoolers, especially at these required fees. But, I do believe that administration should be kept separate from teaching.

Speaking for myself, I am willing to dig deeper in order to maintain continuance of the existing program. If all the parents felt as I do, we still wouldn't more than scratch the surface of the deficit.

I strongly feel that the two positions be kept intact and alternatives be sought. Moving the center is obviously the best idea and when the former bowling alley is vacated, it at least ought to be considered. I know that convincing pressure must be applied to the right people for this type of proposal, but if successful, the Day Care Program could turn its financial difficulties around. Seeking state or local assistance or even grants are also alternatives worth merit.

I intend to help the program where I can. I strongly urge that the staff not be cut and duties merged. It may be too late to save this one job by budgeting time, but please remember, ASUM can take credit for the quality the Day Care Program has now achieved, and for the sake of those children that quality should not be lessened.

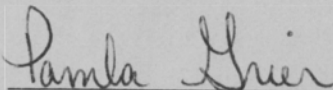
27. Sheldon, Dave (Audience) - When you make a decision as a Central Board member, remember who you stand behind with those decisions. You represent the students of this campus. You represent every group, remember that, don't take it lightly when you make a decision concerning the budget.
28. Blewett, Mark (Audience) - I respect all your questions and concerns and I will be available to answer any more you may have.

Adjournment

29. Gullickson - Baer

Motion to adjourn at 9:55 p.m. Upon vote, motion passed.

Submitted by:



Pamla Grier, ASUM Secretary



MONTANA ASSOCIATED STUDENTS  
Tentative Conference Schedule

October 26, 27, 28  
University of Montana

FRIDAY, October 26, 1984

7:30-Montana Associated Students Meeting

SATURDAY, October 27, 1984

12:00-Luncheon Buffet-Welcome Address by Associated  
Students Presidents

1:00-Workshops begin (all workshops will be held in the  
Montana rooms on the upper level of  
the University Center)

1:00-Business Managers & Accountants	University Hiring & Firing
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2:00-Legal Services. Is there a need?	Election Procedures
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3:00-Communications	Budgeting
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4:00-Day Care	Budgeting (continuing)
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5:00-Montana Associated Students Meeting

SUNDAY, October 28, 1984

9:00-Role of Lobbyists and Voter Participation  
Speaker-Maggie Davis

10:00-Role of Governor's Office in Legislative Processes  
Speaker-Gene Huntington

11:00-Buffer Brunch  
Speaker-The Honorable George Turman, Lt. Governor,  
State of Montana

12:15-Legislative and Education Sub Committee  
Speaker-Gene Donaldson

1:15-Role of Regents  
Speaker-Jeff Morrison

ASUM Lobbyist Selection Process  
Interview Questions

1. What personal accomplishments do you hope to gain through your experience as a student lobbyist?
2. What is your perception of the responsibilities of the ASUM Student Lobbyists?
3. Please list any qualifications and experience you may have that will aid you in being an effective student lobbyist.
4. Please respond to the following situation: As ASUM's lobbyist you must lobby a member of the House with whom you disagree politically. It is imperative that the University has this person's support on a particular bill. How would you react and deal with this person?
5. Briefly discuss your understanding of the legislative budgeting process that the University's budget must go through before it becomes law.
6. Please respond to the following situation: As an ASUM lobbyist you will maintain close contact with and be held accountable to the legislative chairperson. The chairperson, in turn, is accountable to the ASUM President. How would you react to an issue that is deemed important by the ASUM Administration but you do not personally feel is worthy of a lobbying effort?
7. Because of the nature of this position it is valuable to consider the political convictions of the applicants, for this reason we are asking you to briefly discuss your political attitudes and opinions.
8. Are you able to commit your time as a lobbyist from December 1, to possibly the second week of April?
9. Would you like to use this time to elaborate on any of the above questions or anything on your resume?

Committee Appointments  
Central Board  
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Julianne Pinter	ASCRC
Fresh., Pre-law, PoliSci	
Dianna Moffet	Legislative Cmte
Senior, Inco	
Martin Landry	Legislative Cmte
Fresh., General	
Susan Helvick	Legislative Cmte
Fresh., Psych., Business	
Carolyn Champoux	Elections Cmte
Junior, Elementary Ed.	
Mike Craig	Day Care Cmte
Junior, PoliSci	



BUDGET AND FINANCE  
Special Allocations

Day Care

Special allocation request of \$234 to purchase six fire extinguishers and six smoke detectors for use in the Day Care Home Program. Budget and Finance voted to approve funds of \$234.

Vote - 3 for  
1 abstention

Women's Resource Center

Special allocation request of \$1462 to attend the "Campus Crime Prevention" conference. Budget and Finance voted to approve funds of \$730.

Air fare	\$860
Lodging	234
Per Diem	48
Registration	160

Vote - 4 unanimous