

University of Montana

ScholarWorks at University of Montana

ASUM Senate Documents, 1919-2007

ASUM Student Government

10-30-1952

Documents from the October 30, 1952 meeting of the Associated Students of the University of Montana (ASUM)

University of Montana--Missoula. Associated Students

Follow this and additional works at: <https://scholarworks.umt.edu/asum>

Let us know how access to this document benefits you.

Recommended Citation

University of Montana--Missoula. Associated Students, "Documents from the October 30, 1952 meeting of the Associated Students of the University of Montana (ASUM)" (1952). *ASUM Senate Documents, 1919-2007*. 1423.

<https://scholarworks.umt.edu/asum/1423>

This is brought to you for free and open access by the ASUM Student Government at ScholarWorks at University of Montana. It has been accepted for inclusion in ASUM Senate Documents, 1919-2007 by an authorized administrator of ScholarWorks at University of Montana. For more information, please contact scholarworks@mso.umt.edu.

CENTRAL BOARD MINUTES
October 30, 1952

The meeting was called to order by Danny Lambros, and minutes from the previous meeting were read and corrected — to read that the Kaimin was also selected to help sponsor the political rally.

Cameron introduced the following recommendation from Budget and Finance Committee: "That tickets for the Les Brown concert and dance, November 25, 1952, be placed on sale as follows: for concert and dance, \$3.00 per couple; for concert only, \$1.00 per individual. These would be the only tickets sold."

Total expenses for Les Brown will be about \$1,650, he said (\$1,250 for the band, \$155 rental, and \$245 for advertising). Cameron said an audience of about 1,600 could be accommodated at the concert, and about 400 or 500 would be a good number to expect and have at the dance. He estimated that with these prices there would be a leeway of about \$300. Brennan and Newlin both felt that about as many people would be willing to pay \$1.50 as \$1.00, and they figured that this would result in a larger profit. Cameron and Leuthold both said they were not for having straight tickets for everything to keep the dance crowd from becoming too large and to attract even more people to just the concert. Briggs questioned whether we were trying not to make any profit on this dance. He suggested that we might try to make a little profit on it as a reserve for possible future losses. Brennan agreed, stating that any profits might be used for more and better functions. Cameron replied that ASMSU already had about \$753 profit carried over from past dances and also had close to \$400 in the Outside Entertainment budget. He then moved that the recommendation be accepted, and Tascher seconded. Motion carried, six to four.

The second Budget and Finance Committee recommendation read by Cameron was as follows: "That Central Board delegate financial management of future musical shows to the Music Department; that in the future the financial arrangements for such shows be a matter of written agreement signed by representatives of ASMSU and the Music Department; that Central Board limit the extent of its own financial responsibility and have first priority over gate receipts to the extent of their commitment, after which receipts or expenditures be covered by special clauses in a memorandum of agreement between Central Board and the Music Department."

Cameron explained that from now on the Music Department would supervise all financial expenditures for such productions, would be responsible for any losses, and could finance any losses. Leuthold questioned whether the word "Department" was too general. After some discussion, Cameron said that this recommendation did have the approval of heads of the Music Department. Much discussion then followed concerning whether this recommendation involved the giving up of possible profits though perhaps assuming some losses as an inducement to get agreement and help from the Music Department. Wunderlich said he felt the recommendation was a good one as it was general enough to fit different situations and as it arranged for a written agreement concerning expenditures and or receipts.

Briggs spoke out for making reliable budgetary counsel also part of the duty and responsibility of the Music Department. There was some questioning as to whether any such group responsible for expenditures would do as thorough a job of checking the budget and keeping it down as some other group. However, it was felt that a group from the Music Department knew as much and more about this sort of budget as any other group. Cameron then moved that the recommendation (with a few minor changes made by the Central Board members) be accepted. Shanahan seconded. Motion carried.

Henne reported on additional plans for the Bozeman game: (1) a Friday evening open house for students upstairs in the Student Union (where the game room would be open and dancing could be done), and (2) an open house for alums in the Student Union lounge from 4 to 6 Saturday afternoon. Lambros reported that the Bozeman student body senate had been asked to be our guests for lunch at 11:45 and at the game afterwards. Wunderlich said not to expect too many, as that would be during their midquarters. Henne suggested that we might obtain meals from the Dads' Day buffet and eat in one of the Student Union rooms. Shanahan moved that we pay for the Bozeman guests' meals from the general fund and foot our own bills. Cameron seconded. Motion carried.

Tascher said she would put a box in the ASMSU office where reports of committee recommendations and topics to be brought up at the next meeting could be left for the Kaimin reporter the day before the meeting. If such items were to be publicized, less time would probably be necessary for explanations at meetings, she said.

Shanahan questioned whether Gripe Board is functioning this year, and he told of some of this organization's recommendations that were carried out last year. The new freshmen officers seem to really want to be active this year but don't know what to do, someone said.

In answer to a question concerning what action will be done in further planning and carrying out constitutional revisions in student government, Lambros said he intended to appoint a special committee for this purpose.

Wunderlich asked that one person be appointed from Central Board to attend a faculty meeting with Bob Graves whenever the question of Aber Day would arise. He said it would be astute to have a positive "Save Aber Day Plan." Shanahan suggested that Traditions Board chairman, Bev Henne, be appointed; and she said she was interested. Lambros said he would look into the matter and make an appointment a little later.

Being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

*Respectfully submitted,
Mary Joan Tascher*

Present: Cameron, Jones, Briggs, Shanahan, Henne, Atchison, Lee, Baley,
Abbott, Newlin, Brennan, Leuthold, Lambros, Tascher, Keim, Wunderlich.
Absent: Coppedge.