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**RECORDED MINUTES  
Black Student Union**

**General Assembly Meeting  
5:30 PM**

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**PRESENT:**

Dominic Dorsey-President  
Valencia Blair-Vice President  
Dara Johnson-Secretary  
Amber Brown- Treasurer  
Tolvi Patterson-Communications Chair

Jackie Ivy-Historian  
Neal Foreman-Parliamentarian

Jamie Jackson, LeAndra Brown, Tiffany Reed,  
Jaime Sherls, Krystle King, Stefanie Simpson,  
Tiera Betts, Devon Dikes, Cody Williams,  
Theron Evan Wilson, Samuel Campbell,  
Alex Nyrendah, Dustin Jones, Naja Steward  
(Purdue)

Jamie Goodman, William Watson,  
Nakeeta Howell, Ryan Kelley, Monica Durham,  
Taryan Temple, Tiffany Holcey, LaVauda  
Dawson,  
Jessica Adams, Fallon Coleman

**ABSENT:**

**GUESTS:**

**PROXY:**

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The meeting was called to order at 6:02pm.

The <sup>1st</sup> meeting of the General Assembly for the Black Student Union for the 2006-2007 year took place on Friday, February 9, 2007 at Ball Residence Hall.

**Announcements**

**I. President**

The office of Vice President has been vacated. Valencia is still the President of SAAS and she has decided to contribute more time to that organization. Please let us know of any candidates that you know. Candidates must have criteria.

Two multi-cultural forums being formed. The original committee was looking for a room, but the new idea is to give us the whole UC. Scott Evanbeck says that he is open to that idea. A new proposal has been issued and should be finalized by the end of the semester.

Scott Evanbeck has offered Dr. Turner, a office the spot right outside the Nina Scholars.

Melissa Gholston has asked AA women to participate in the Brain Scan and Genetic Research Study information

Usef Young (youth director), brought some mentees and came to recruit volunteers. Asking for more AA female volunteers. Kaleidoscope. At least once a week. Anytime between 3 and 7:30. 42<sup>nd</sup> and Broadway. Ladies ages 10 to 13 years old. Rod Haywood has put a lot of energy into the community. Tim Wise, influential

speaker, wants to bring him on campus and would be willing to come April 27<sup>th</sup> and it will cost \$4500. timwise.org

In house student passes at the IRT.

Political Action Committee

Partners for Peace- bringing about a student movement and March 24<sup>th</sup> a protest on the circle. Start an umbrella of different organizations. Want true solidarity at its finest.

Vice-Chancellor Whitney passed out a flyer for feedback and wanting a strategic forum on February 15<sup>th</sup>. Any concerns and suggestions.

Quality of Student Life Initiative packet, and broke down the money to be dispersed. She is trying to make some changes. Had a mission statement and transferring the lives of individuals.

8 proposals and they all passed.

Free thinkers will no longer receive funding.

Women's History Month- Pacers vs. the Grizzlies, tickets are \$4.

Scholarships for struggling students

IUPUI Scholars will receive free parking if you maintain a certain GPA

USG nominations have to be in by Monday.

Be aware of what is going on on campus.

Look at the activity affairs website.

## **Vice President**

Treasurer

*-Treasurer's Report-*

As of today, we have

Between January 26<sup>th</sup> and February 9th

5 new members

1 shirt

9 sweatshirts

\$1984.00

Still \$2 missing from the account

## **Communications Chair**

Black Jeopardy this week.

Soul Cinema, School Daze,

BSU Bowling on the 17<sup>th</sup>, free for the first 24 paid members

Signs have been submitted and will be able to be passed out.

## **Events Chair**

If you have photos you want to upload

Images in Black was very nice and good conversation

BSU fit club starts today, weigh in in public and private (must sign the contract)  
At the end of the semester the person who has lost the most body fat will win a prize  
B&B with LSA on the 20<sup>th</sup> in UC115 and will be from 6 to 8  
March 8<sup>th</sup>, in UC115 the Dating Game co-sponsoring with Sigma Gamma Rho  
Alex has put together Wild'N'Out  
Having a family fun night and need suggestions

Need suggestions for B&B and pre-submitted

#### Community Service

Tutoring will continue at Metropoliation Missionary Baptist Church and please come out Monday and Wednesday from 5:30 to 7

Still collecting cell phones

Have collected two boxes of clothes and we will find somewhere to donate.

Boys and Girls clothes, if you knit then please donate and will be given to children

#### SAPB

Def Jam Poet named Shihan. UC115 on March 27<sup>th</sup> if its cold outside around 6.  
And will have open mic.

Fountain Fest on April 17<sup>th</sup>. Two bands, and want people to come out. Carnival will free pizza, two inflatable games

If don't have to knit, but you can still donate.

You can still donate clothes

More than welcome to ask any questions into the buckets, but they will be screened.

#### **Fundraising Chair**

Sold out of white tshirts

Have 4 hoody's left

\$28.10 for Darfur and still need \$21.20 to make the \$50 suggested estimate

Still selling candy and have made \$10.50

## II. **Calendar of Events**

### III. **Etc.**

Dominic-228, body fat 28.6

Amber-149 body fat 22.5

Tolvi-151 body fat 22.9

Larry-301 body fat 56.1

Evan- 195 body fat 24.5

Ashley-128 body fat 23.5

Neal-238 body fat 45

Dara-160 body fat 24.3

Maurice-251 body fat 31

Suprena- 153 body fat 22.2

Pete- 198 body fat 24.8

Teryan- 217 body fat 32.8

Courtney- 154 body fat 19

Brittany- 129 body fat 23

Jeff-

March 24<sup>th</sup> fixing dinner between 6 and 8 at the Ronald McDonald House  
Christian and Faith Missionary Baptist Church has friends and family days on  
the 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday

Carlene sews so let her know

SAAS Women's Empowerment Luncheon on March 25<sup>th</sup> and general  
assembly meeting next Friday

The meeting adjourned at 7:06pm.