

# SGA GENERAL ASSEMBLY

## AUGUST 29, 2012

### ❖ Call to Order

- **12:00 p.m.**

### ❖ Student Government Officer Reports

- President- Johnny Guajardo:
- Vice President- Joel Pena:
- Student Concerns- Gloria Park:
- Secretary- Ysenia Carrizales:
- Treasurer- Jared Lorenzana:
- House Liaison- Katie Benjergedres:
- SGA Intern- Daji Aswad:

### ❖ Administrative Announcements

- **Athletics- Rick Smith:** went over new student admission policy (now students have to have a hard ticket to enter games, it is still free. Students must go to box office scan their ideas and they will then receive their tickets), indoor sports you must show your idea at the door and they will then hand you a ticket to enter the game, for all games you can get a ticket from 8 am-5 at the ticket office (under the bleachers), focusing on fan engagement for all games, for all home football there will be a pre-concert series at the tailgate area 4:00-6:30, looking to enhance game day spirit by having games, Flight of the Cardinal starting at 6:02 ending at 6:15, asking to clean up tailgates at 6:15, Rally Ally Overtime is now allowing tailgates to open up after the games, volunteers are needed for games (athletics is looking to pay volunteers contact Mr. Smith for this information), wanting to have a tug-of-war game during each half-time of the football games, the radio shows will be at Boston's every Thursday from 7:00-8:00 (if you get people there athletics will pay you), trying to pump up their social media, QR codes are going to be on all athletic schedules and their special events, Friday September 14<sup>th</sup> at 3:30 p.m. football team will be going to play at the Cowboys Stadium, you can now advertise on the score board during the games, licensing initiative is

uiw.edu/branding (this is where you must go to order merchandise with the new cardinal logo), looking for Red the Cardinal and the new mascot will be revealed this Saturday

- **Public Relations- Brance Arnold and Kayla Rice:** you can promote your events on Channel 15 (uiw.edu/pr/preventform.html), September 8<sup>th</sup> and September 22<sup>nd</sup> are Light the Way Workdays volunteers and needed for these days (community service hours are given), Phone-a-thon September 29<sup>th</sup> through October 4<sup>th</sup> are needing volunteers (also offering community hours), October is Light the Way Display Board Contest (deadline to enter is September 24<sup>th</sup>)
- **Alumni- Steve Hemphill:** Trunk or Treat (October 28<sup>th</sup> from 5:00-8:00 p.m.) wanting organizations to go out and design a car, Rock-n-Roll Marathon (November 8<sup>th</sup>) competing city wide to be the top university in the city (offering free training) wanting to sign up 150 people 100 dollars to sign-up (discount offered to UIW)
- **Student Life- Cristina Luna:** SOL workshop is coming up, The Lead (September 5<sup>th</sup>) going over the changes in the student handbook

#### ❖ Student Government Announcement

- **Student Concerns: Gloria Park:** Golden Harvest (November 3<sup>rd</sup>) will start sign-up next GA, open forum (October 3<sup>rd</sup>) planning commission/administrators is going to speak during this forum, one rep. is required to attend from each organization, if any organizations are needing money please contact SGA
- **House/SGA Announcements: Katie Benjeredres and Demi Cruz:** Activities Fair went well, senator elections are now taking place (applications are on org sync.) due Friday at 8 a.m.
- **Upcoming General Assembly: 09/12/12**

#### ❖ Organization Announcements

- **RED C:** playing Texas Christian
- **CAB:** Taco Truck Wednesday
- **Greek Life:** Sorority Info

#### ❖ Advisor Comments

- **Paul Ayala and Dean Moore:** Food Service Committee (September 19<sup>th</sup> first meeting), Sodexo is making more meeting

space, Org Sync is vital for communication for all organizations, orgs must join SGA on Org Sync so they can be counted for their attendance, new parking lots are coming (there is free parking behind Cheesy Janes), SGA and Campus Life are hosting a tailgate spot, if organizations are wanting a tailgate spot contact Paul

❖ Meeting Adjourned

- **1:05 p.m.**

