

## **Kresge Parliament Minutes – 04/23/09 - 6:31 PM**

Icebreaker: If you were a celebrity, what would you name your child?

Budget Request from UCSC Poetry Anthology

- Collective senior project from the Literature department.
  - Books would be distributed to friends, family and colleges who give funding.
  - Books will be hand bound for this 1st effort
  - 22 poets – 6-7 are Kresge students.
  - \$750 for printing, \$200 for binding tools
  - Requesting \$400
- Anthony motions to fund \$75, Nestor seconds. Passed by consensus.

Presentation - SUA Constitutional Amendment – Caleb

- The constitutional amendment would remove the Big 5 (ABSA, APISA, ESOC, MeChA, and SINAI) and The Network's vote in the SUA.
  - Would also change how elections at UCSC are held.
  - Would require the chair of SUA to do an "oath of office" with the Chancellor.
  - Would make SUA comply to Brown Act even though we are not responsible in doing so.
  - The only committees would be Student Outreach Committee, Funding Committee (separate entity outside of SUA), and Lobby Committee. All other committees would be optional
  - So far, 5 of the 10 College Senates have approved the Amendment – also gathering signatures
  - Need 7 of 10 College Senates to approve or 10% of student signatures by the April 24th deadline
- Kresge votes NO on Amendments to the SUA Constitution by consensus.

SUA Report Backs – Nestor, Kameron, Anthony

- Capitol Construction Plan → Building new housing near Crown/Merrill apartments
- UCSA against all CA special election propositions except 1A/1B.
- MeChA Art Show, 7-10pm at Oakes Learning Center
- African Appreciation Day funded \$1500.
- Student Veterans funded \$2000
- Funding Request from Kresge presents PRIDE
- College Affordability Act not passed in Congress

No SCOC meeting

Academic Senate meeting cancelled for April 24th, next meeting May 20th

SUGB

- Pool Tournament, 04/24/09 at 7PM, Student Union
- Still working on new T.V. installation

Announcements

Rock the world – video game event – Friday, April 24 – Kresge Town Hall, 7-9 p.m.

Pajama Jam III Dance – Saturday, April 25 – Kresge Town Hall, 10:30-1:00 a.m. – Tickets \$5/\$3.

Fundraiser for Fam. Stud. House. Food Pantry

Jazz BBQ – Kresge Upper Street – Sunday, April 26th – 3-5 p.m.

Pick up the mic, Homohop film – Monday, April 27 - Kresge Town Hall, 8 p.m.

Parliament Town Hall event – May 7th, 7-8 p.m. Lower Street – Kresge Film, raffle, get out the vote!

Devina motions to close, Nestor seconds. Meeting adjourns at 7:56 PM.

