AGENDA DASB SENATE MEETING

Wednesday, November 5, 2003

4:30 pm

Student Council Chambers

Call to Order

Roll Call

Approval of Minutes

Wednesday, October 29, 2003

Public Comments

Burning Issues

Consent Calendar

- 1. Add Mohammed Faham Shaikh to the Academic Council
- 2. Add Serei Tun to the Instructional Planning and Budget Team
- 3. Remove Anne Park from the Marketing and Communications Committee

Business

INFORMATION/DISCUSSION

4. Dean of Physical Sciences, Math, and Engineering

This item is to introduce the Dean of Physical Sciences, Math, and Engineering Department to the student body and present the current situation and the goals and projects of the department.

Presenter: Anne Leskinen Time Limit: 10 minutes

DISCUSSION/ACTION- First Vote

5. New Funding Request for *Red Wheelbarrow*

This item is to approve funding in the amount of \$1,150.00 from account #41-52102 (Winter/Spring Special Allocations) for printing of Red Wheelbarrow Literary Magazine for national and student editions.

Presenter: Randolph Splitter Time Limit: 10 minutes

DISCUSSION/ACTION

6. Proposed Amendments to Article 7 of the DAB Bylaws

This item is to discuss and act on changes to the DASB Bylaws that concern midterm elections of Senators and Junior Senators.

Presenter: James Newburg Time Limit: 10 minutes

INFORMATION/DISCUSSION

7. Information of Transit Access Pass

This item is to inform the DASB of the Valley Transportation Authority's Eco-Pass/Transit Access Pass Program, and to explore the possibility of DASB taking the lead in implementing the program at De Anza. Guest Speaker: Stephan Blaylock, President of Altrans.

Presenter: Robin Claasen Time Limit: 15 minutes

DISCUSSION/ACTION

8. Student Survey on Plus/Minus Grading System

This item is to get official Senate approval to conduct a survey of student opinion on the proposed implementation of a plus/minus grading at De Anza and Foothill Colleges, and if approved, to distribute copies of that survey to each Senator for distribution in their classes.

Presenter: James Newburg Time Limit: 10 minutes

DISCUSSION/ACTION

9. Reconsideration of funding for a Peace Studies Program

This item is to reconsider funding in the amount of \$2,000 from account 41-52002 (Summer/Fall Special Allocations) for a part-time instructor/consultant for researching and write/pass though the Curriculum Committee for a Peace Studies Program proposal.

Presenter: Anthony Lin Time Limit: 10 minutes

Introduction/Approval of Prospective Senators

Business Report

Announcements/Informational Report

Appreciation Period

Adjournment