

RESIDENCE HALL STUDENT ASSOCIATION  
ASSOCIATE COUNCIL MEETING

Date: 9/12/22

Location: SUB 62/63

CALL TO ORDER

**Abby:** Hey everyone! Welcome to this week's RHSA meeting! Thank you for coming! Let's get started. So every Eboard meeting we will have a mystery activity. It just so happens that today is someone on the Eboard's birthday. So, I was figuring that the mystery activity should be singing happy birthday.

MYSTERY ACTIVITY

**Abby:** singing happy bday to sion. \*sings happy birthday\*

ROLL CALL/HALL REPORTS 9:10

**Faith:** Hey everyone! So when I call your hall, if you can give me the number of people representing your hall, how many RHSA shirts you have on, how many NRHH shirts you have on, how many Conference shirts you have on, and a hall report from your hall gov if you have one.

Hall Name	Number Present	RHSA Shirts	NRHH Shirts	Conference Shirts	Hall Report
Ashokan	4	0	0	0	We have our meeting Thursday
Bliss	11	0	0	0	
Bouton	0	0	0	0	
Capen	3	0	0	0	We have a full eboard
Collango	1	0	0	0	
Esopus	0	0	0	0	
Gage	5	0	0	0	
Lenape	2	0	0	0	
Minnewaska	2	0	0	0	
Mohonk	3	1	0	0	
Ridgeview	1	0	0	0	

Scudder	7	0	0	0	
Shawangunk	1	0	0	0	

SENATE 9:13

**Abby:** Normally we would go to our senate representative Ann, but Ann is not here so we will

NRHH 9:14

**Sophia:** no update at this time, I will take emails if you are interested in joining

OLD BUSINESS 9:14

Motion to Open Old Business: Lenape

Second: Mohonk

QUICK RE-INTRO W OFFICE HOURS + advisors 9:16

**Abby:** Hi my name is Abby I'm president my office hours are 10am-12pm wednesdays

Sion: Hi I'm Sion, I'm Vice President. My office hours are 2pm-4pm on Tuesdays.

**Mazee:** Hi, I'm Mazee, I'm the treasurer. My office hours are 1pm-3pm Wednesdays.

**Faith:** Hi, I'm Faith, I'm secretary. My office hours are 3pm-5pm on Wednesdays.

Ryan: Hi, I'm Ryan, I'm the PR. My office hours are Tuesdays 11am-1pm.

**Caroline:** Hi, I'm Caroline. I'm the NCC person. My office hours are 9am-12pm Fridays

**Sophia:** I'm Sophia, I'm the CCC. My office hours are 11am-1pm on Mondays

**Athena:** Hi, I'm Athena. I'm the historian. My office hours are 12:00pm-2:00pm on Thursdays.

PRESIDENT 9:16

**Abby:** If you have not had your hall government elections, please do so by September 16th and let us know so we can facilitate that. If you need to have more elections to fill the rest of the positions and would like an E-Board member there to facilitate, please email us at [rhsa@newpaltz.edu](mailto:rhsa@newpaltz.edu). We will also be sending the liaisons a contact sheet so we know who is on each hall government.

CCC 9:17

**Sophia:** Hi Everyone. I'm excited to announce the start of the GFPs tonight. You can get GFPs by showing up to meetings, wearing shirts to meetings, participating in events, answering the riddle in the minutes. GFPs are "good fellowship points" ; they are awarded to halls that do the things I said. At the end the hall with the most GFPs is awarded the hall of the semester.

HISTORIAN 9:18

**Athena:** As you can see up here on the board I started a remind to remind everyone about events you guys can come to. Basically you send a text to 81010 and send this message “@rhsarem”

#### TREASURER 9:19

**Mazee:** I’m going to be doing treasurer training. So, any RAs and the treasurers elected are more than welcome to go to that. They can come with questions. I can also answer any questions at my office hours.

Motion to Close Old Business: Lenape  
Second: Gage

#### NEW BUSINESS 9:20

Motion to open New Business: Scudder  
Second: Capen

#### BOARD GAME BUZZ 9:19

**Sion:** Hey all! I want to remind you all that Board Game Buzz will be September 23rd from 7:30 to 9:00pm! If you want a free shirt, some juicy GFPs or just want to have fun in general!, then I implore you to come to Board Game Buzz! It will be in SUB 100. Bring as many people as you can.

#### SPIRIT WEEK 9:20

**Abby:** From September 19th to September 24th, we’re hosting Spirit Week! It happens every year and all of the halls come out to participate in events, including field events against other halls. It’s a great way to build hall gov relationships. We are starting Spirit Week off on Monday, September 19th with ways to earn GFPs through our remind! Our field day is Saturday, September 24th from 12 pm - 2 pm at Parker Quad. This year’s Spirit Week theme is Y2K. If you have any questions, feel free to ask us or email us.

**Lenape:** What’s Y2k?

**Abby:** Year 2000.

Motion to Close New Business: Scudder  
Second: Gage

#### UPCOMING EVENTS 9:23

- Boardgame Buzz | Friday, September 23rd| 7 pm-9 pm
- Spirit Week | Monday, September 19th - September 24th
- Field Day | Saturday, September 24th | 12pm-2pm

#### HALL CONCERNS 9:24

**Abby:** If there's something wrong in your hall that you have already talked to your RAs, SRA, and RD about and nothing has been done, this is your time to tell us.

**Lenape:** Our oven has been a little weird. And I have been informed that our stove top has stopped working

**Abby:** Does anyone have any other hall concerns? Minnewaska.

Minnewaska: Minnewaska gets pretty hot sometimes. Is there any way to get central air?

**Abby:** Does anyone have any other hall concerns? Bliss

**Bliss:** The vending machines do not work. They don't vent.

**Abby:** Does anyone have any other hall concerns? Capen.

**Capen:** Vending machines take people's money.

Abby: 3, 2, 1. Seeing none.

#### STUDENT CONCERNS 9:27

**Abby:** If you have general concerns about things going on campus-wide (something's broken, wrong, administrative concerns, faculty concerns), this is your moment to tell us so we can relay the information to the administration. However, if you have any food concerns (type, quality, price, location), we will not hear them at this point but you can email us at [rhsa@newpaltz.edu](mailto:rhsa@newpaltz.edu). Are there any student concerns?

**Capen:** There's a thing going on that students cannot get onto brightspace. When will this be resolved?

**Abby:** I will ask about that. I also am unsure if it has to do with payments because I believe you have to be around 75% paid off to access brightspace. Any other concerns?

**Scudder:** I don't know how much this can be fixed, but parking

**Abby:** Yes, I will bring that up and get back to everyone. Any other concerns? 3, 2, 1. Seeing none.

#### OPEN FLOOR 9:28

**Abby:** If you have a program, meeting, or any other announcement that you would like to share with the Associate Council, now is your time to share. Are there any open floors?

**Abby:** I have one, Color and Computer Stickers Thursday 9/15 at 6pm in the Gage main lounge.

**Capen:** I have a program at 8:30 this Wednesday to talk about mental health and you get little stuffed dogs if you come as well.

**Abby:** Any more open floors? 3,2,1 seeing none.

#### PASSING OF MOLLY THE MOOSE 9:30

**Abby:** For anyone who doesn't know this is Molly the Moose. Molly is passed around to each hall. A new hall gets her every week and adds something to her. The Eboard added a condom casino shirt to her to get everyone excited for the Condom casino. If a hall would like to give

Molly the Moose a bath, that hall will get 1 GFP point. So, first show of hands for Molly the moose. Who wants the moose? Okay, Bliss gets Molly this week!

QUOTE OF THE WEEK 9:32

**Sion:** “Don’t count the days, make the days count” -Muhammad Ali

ADJOURNMENT 9:32

Motion to adjourn the meeting: Lenape

Second: Gage

Next meeting will be in SUB 100N!