

RESIDENCE HALL STUDENT ASSOCIATION  
ASSOCIATE COUNCIL MEETING

Date: 10/31/22

Location: SUB 402

CALL TO ORDER 9:03

**Abby:** Hi, Happy Halloween! I hope all of your Halloweekends were spooky, scary, and fun.

MYSTERY ACTIVITY 9:04

**Abby:** Tonight we will be taking a vote on the scariest halloween villain in horror movies.

ROLL CALL/HALL REPORTS 9:07

**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	2	0	0	0	Last Thursday we had our second program. It was really nice. We had drinks and donuts and we all just hung out. It was a really good, successful program.
Bliss	4	3	0	0	Halloween in the halls went well!
Bouton	2	1	0	0	At The Pumpkin with Dunkin event last week over 60 people showed up!
Capen	4	4	0	0	We held a three tier movie night that was fun that 60 people
Collango	0	0	0	0	
Esopus	0	0	0	0	
Gage	4	0	0	0	Halloween in the Halls was crazy fun
Lenape	1	0	0	0	
Minnewaska	0	0	0	0	
Mohonk	1	1	0	0	Movie night last Thursday
Ridgeview	0	0	0	0	
Scudder	1	1	0	0	Had paint and sip costume contest and a movie night last week
Shawangunk	1	1	0	0	Had halloween in the halls and painting pumpkins after that went well.

**Faith:** Alright thank you, one more thing at the end of the meeting if you are not on the email blast please come up after so you can be added to it and get the minutes and updates on programs. Also, the riddle in the minutes will now only be in the minutes posted in the facebook where the answers should be submitted. The winner this week was \*\* drum roll please\*\* In second place we have bouton and in first place we have Mohonk. Make sure to submit those answers to get GFPS for riddles in the minutes! Also, please be sure to raise your placards to speak throughout the meeting! Thank you!

SENATE: 9:11

**Sophia:** Ann can't be here, I am senator, I will give senate report. Senate is cosponsoring the NYPIRG Social Security Workshop exploring the impact of Social Security and discussing policy options to secure its future. The workshop is Wednesday, November 2<sup>nd</sup> at 4PM in SUB 62-63. We are also looking for students to serve on some Student Association Committees, such as constitution and rules committee, UPD committee, student concerns committee, student association productions committee (planning Springfest), transportation committee. If you're interested please email [chair.newpaltzsa@gmail.com](mailto:chair.newpaltzsa@gmail.com). Any questions?

NRHH: 9:12

**Sophia:** Once again collecting emails if you're interested in joining! Website being updated with application, should go out soon! <<Riddle in the minutes: How many of the RHSA EBoard members are also RAs?>>If you want to join, let me know! Just give me your email to be added to the email blast.

OLD BUSINESS 9:13

Motion to Open Old Business: Lenape

Second: Shawangunk

HALLOWEEN IN THE HALLS 9:13

**Abby:** Thanks for participating in halloween in the halls. It was the first time we were back in the halls in a couple years.

SUCCULENT BUZZ 9:13

**Caroline:** Thank you for coming! Check your email for if you won a raffle prize. Thank you!

NEW BUSINESS 9:14

Motion To Open New Business: Bouton

Second: Gage

DRAG SHOW 9:14

**Athena:** Hey everyone! We are going to be having a Drag Show! We have a bunch of stickers and pins to hand out and I know that everyone loves freebies! So, join us this Friday — November 4th — in the SUB MPR at 7:00 PM to support our lovely queens!

Abby: We gave you guys new flyers by the way in the folders. We made a mistake on the last one. Again free shirt, free stuff, free performance.

#### PHOTO BUZZ 9:15

**Mazee:** Photo Buzz will be held in SUB MPR on **Friday, November 11th from 7:00pm-9:00pm**, it's 70's themed. Photo buzz is an event where you come into a room with multiple backgrounds, look cute, get a free shirt, and get some instagram photos. Make sure to show up!

#### CONDOM CASINO 9:16

**Sophia:** The beloved Condom Casino is back again for this year! **Friday, November 18th at 7 pm in SUB 100N!** For those who do not know. It is a casino but instead of chips, we use condoms! You can trade them in for candy or prizes. We are going to have a ton of fun games, simple ones like Uno, and then games like Poker and Kahoot! We are looking for volunteers. This is a really big program, and we rely on the campus and your guys' volunteer work. Specifically, if you know how to run typical casino card games, we would love some help with that! We will have a link in the minutes ( <https://forms.gle/R777P5GszLYgNHoc9> ) where you can sign up to volunteer. It will also be attached to the email blast. You do not have to work the whole night, you will just let us know what shifts you will be able to work. On the google form I made half hour shifts, and I am asking you to select all that apply (thanks Bliss for pointing out an issue on it!). You can only work half an hour if you need to or you can work the whole time if you want. It's a great opportunity to volunteer and if you're interested in the future doing RHSA it's a good way to get acquainted with how we do programs. Again, it's going to be November 18<sup>th</sup> in SUB 100N from 7 pm to 10 pm. Are there any questions?

#### UPCOMING EVENTS 9:

- Drag Show | Friday, November 4<sup>th</sup> from 7:00pm-9pm
- Photo Buzz | Friday, November 11<sup>th</sup> from 7:00pm - 9pm
- Condom Casino | Friday, November 18<sup>th</sup> from 7pm - 10pm

#### HALL CONCERNS 9:18

**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, now is your time to tell us.

**Lenape:** Our oven is way too hot and people keep burning their things.

**Abby:** That oven has always been weird. I will keep trying. I'm working away I promise.

#### STUDENT CONCERNS 9:19

**Abby:** If you have general concerns for 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). If you were at our food concerns meeting last week and you have a picture make sure to email them to us.

**Bliss:** Did the worms in the broccoli lead anywhere?

**Abby:** I have absolutely no clue. I am meeting with administrative people. So, I will let you guys know if there were worms in broccoli.

**Gage:** The dining hall ceiling is leaking for the second time

**Abby:** Is it in the same spot as last time?

**Gage:** Yes, but worse. My friend sent me a photo.

**Abby:** Okay, send that to us. Any other food concerns? 3,2,1 seeing none.

OPEN FLOOR: 9:21

**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'm going to plug it one more time, come to our RHSA drag show this Friday! SUB MPR @7:00pm

**Capen:** We're having a pizza party this Tuesday in our main lounge

PASSING OF MOLLY THE MOOSE 9:22

**Abby:** Where's my moose?

Shawangunk: Right here! She had a photo shoot this week and we dressed her as a ghost.

**Abby:** Who wants the moose? Gage had their hands up first!

QUOTE OF THE WEEK 9:23

**Mazee:** "People get built differently. We don't need to figure it out, we just need to respect it." -- Princess Bubblegum from "Adventure Time"

ADJOURNMENT 9:23

Motion To Adjourn the Meeting: Bliss

Second: Ashokan

Next Meeting will be in SUB 100N!