



# WESTERN NEVADA COLLEGE

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<b>ASWN Meeting Minutes</b>	DATE: 11/04/2021	LOCATION: Dini 105
<b>Members Present</b>	<b>Officers:</b> Andrea Sanchez De Loza, Victor Clavel <b>Senators:</b> Tristen Bushek, Guadalupe DeSantiago, Kevin Gouveia, Gisela Munoz Leon, Josias Heredia, Suzanna Stankute <b>Advisor:</b> Heather Rikalo	
<b>Members Missing</b>	Bryan Ramirez	
<b>Guests</b>	Ron Belbin, April Heiselt, Rachael Schneider, Ivan Ramirez	

<b>Agenda Topic</b>	Call to Order
<b>Action Taken</b>	Meeting was called to order at 3:02 pm
<b>Summary of Discussion</b>	Roll Call was taken
<b>Assignments/Potential Agenda Items</b>	None
<b>Comments/Information</b>	Majority of ASWN Members present

<b>Agenda Topic</b>	Public Comment
<b>Action Taken</b>	Information/Discussion Only
<b>Summary of Discussion</b>	April discussed how she is a new colleague to the college and her role is to find funding and donations. April discussed the <i>Thanks for Giving</i> event on Nov 13th, and she invited sponsors and donors on campus. April also discussed expanding the food pantry by doing an Open House event with NV Energy. April also discussed doing Thanksgiving & Finals bundles by using the Food Pantry. April also discussed how she met with the Advisor of the Nerd Herd and talked about doing student discounts on Student Body Cards for local communities.
<b>Assignments/Potential Agenda Items</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Attend all events that April discussed</li><li>• Find ways to contribute with the Food Pantry</li></ul>
<b>Comments/Information</b>	None

<b>Agenda Topic</b>	WNC Library Information
<b>Action Taken</b>	Information/Discussion Only
<b>Summary of Discussion</b>	Ron discussed opening the Library from 8 am to 10 pm for the two weeks during finals. Ron also discusses making an expansion for OER (Open Educational Resources) for students instead of having to pay for high-cost textbooks. Ron wants the OER to succeed through the upcoming Spring Semester and next Fall Semester.
<b>Assignments/Potential Agenda Items</b>	If ASWN can potentially be involved with a few activities during Finals in the Carson campus library
<b>Comments/Information</b>	Andrea asks a question on how the OER will be provided to students. Ron answers that the resources will be attached as PDF documents that are provided through classes on the Canvas website

<b>Agenda Topic</b>	Approval of Minutes for 10/1/2021
<b>Action Taken</b>	Approval tabled until next meeting
<b>Summary of Discussion</b>	Members did not have a copy of the minutes to review so the vote was tabled until the next meeting.
<b>Assignments/Potential Agenda Items</b>	Send minutes to all members to review prior to next meeting
<b>Comments/Information</b>	None

<b>Agenda Topic</b>	Approval of Minutes for 10/28/2021
<b>Action Taken</b>	Approval tabled until next meeting
<b>Summary of Discussion</b>	Members did not have a copy of the minutes to review so the vote was tabled until the next meeting.
<b>Assignments/Potential Agenda Items</b>	Send minutes to all members to review prior to next meeting
<b>Comments/Information</b>	None

<b>Agenda Topic</b>	Treasurer's Report
<b>Action Taken</b>	Information/Discussion Only
<b>Summary of Discussion</b>	Heather is currently absent
<b>Assignments/Potential Agenda Items</b>	None
<b>Comments/Information</b>	None

<b>Agenda Topic</b>	Bryan Ramirez to be Considered as Treasurer for 2021-2022 Term
<b>Action Taken</b>	Possible Action Only
<b>Summary of Discussion</b>	Waiting for Bryan to attend the next meeting
<b>Assignments/Potential Agenda Items</b>	None
<b>Comments/Information</b>	None

<b>Agenda Topic</b>	Ivan Ramirez to be Considered as Senator for 2021-2022 Term
<b>Action Taken</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Josias motioned for the approval of Ivan Ramirez to be Considered as Senator for 2021-2022 Term</li> <li>• Gisela seconded</li> <li>• Passed 6-0-0</li> </ul>
<b>Summary of Discussion</b>	Ivan discusses how he is a Latino Cohort Coach and he wants to become a member of ASWN because he wants to be involved on campus and to know what's going on around campus.
<b>Assignments/Potential Agenda Items</b>	None
<b>Comments/Information</b>	Josias asks the question to Ivan to define his character in the workplace. Ivan answers that he's in the process of becoming both a student and a leader.

<b>Agenda Topic</b>	Approval to Charter the Geology Club for 2021-2022 Term
<b>Action Taken</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Josias motioned for the approval to Charter the Geology Club for 2021-2022 Term</li> <li>• Tristen seconded</li> <li>• Passed 6-0-0</li> </ul>
<b>Summary of Discussion</b>	The Geology Club has finished making the Constitution and got all of their members listed.
<b>Assignments/Potential Agenda Items</b>	None
<b>Comments/Information</b>	None

<b>Agenda Topic</b>	ASWN Events Update
<b>Action Taken</b>	Information/Discussion Only
<b>Summary of Discussion</b>	Last week, ASWN participated and succeeded in the Nevada Day Parade
<b>Assignments/Potential Agenda Items</b>	None
<b>Comments/Information</b>	<p><b>Victor -</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Nevada Day Parade <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o Great to see Dr.Solis and the other regents being involved</li> <li>o Letting people know that WNC is here to help</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p><b>Josias -</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Nevada Day Parade <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o Says it was great overall</li> <li>o Not a lot of people get any candies from us</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

<b>Agenda Topic</b>	WNC College Committee Reports
<b>Action Taken</b>	Information/Discussion Only
<b>Summary of Discussion</b>	It explains how the Committees works and how they are beneficial for the college
<b>Assignments/Potential Agenda Items</b>	Andrea will attend the next College Committee this Friday and will report it by the next meeting
<b>Comments/Information</b>	WNC College Committees: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Accessibility Committee</li> <li>• Accreditation Committee</li> <li>• Auxiliary Committee</li> <li>• Budget Committee</li> <li>• College Council</li> <li>• Curriculum Committee</li> <li>• Distance Education</li> <li>• Diversity and Inclusion Committee</li> <li>• Healthy Campus Committee</li> <li>• Jump Start and Dual Enrollment Oversight Committee</li> <li>• Outreach and Enrollment Steering Committee</li> <li>• SPFIE</li> </ul>

<b>Agenda Topic</b>	Club Reports
<b>Action Taken</b>	Information/Discussion Only
<b>Summary of Discussion</b>	Club members will be invited to attend ASWN meetings to give a brief report on what the clubs are doing and what events they are planning
<b>Assignments/Potential Agenda Items</b>	None
<b>Comments/Information</b>	WNC Clubs: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Indigenous Student Association of Western Nevada College</li> <li>• LGBTQIA+ Alliance</li> <li>• National Student Nurses' Association (NSNA)</li> <li>• Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society (PTK)</li> <li>• Second Year Nursing Club</li> <li>• The Nerd Herd</li> <li>• The Psychology Club</li> <li>• Wildcat TEACH</li> <li>• WNC Fallon History Club</li> <li>• WNC Social Work Club</li> <li>• WNCyber Club</li> <li>• Word Syndicate</li> </ul>

<b>Agenda Topic</b>	ASWN Advisor Report
<b>Action Taken</b>	Information/Discussion Report
<b>Summary of Discussion</b>	Advisor Heather Rikalo will discuss current campus happenings
<b>Assignments/Potential Agenda Items</b>	None
<b>Comments/Information</b>	Heather was currently absent

<b>Agenda Topic</b>	Old Business
<b>Action Taken</b>	Information/Discussion Only
<b>Summary of Discussion</b>	None
<b>Assignments/Potential Agenda Items</b>	None
<b>Comments/Information</b>	None

<b>Agenda Topic</b>	New Business
<b>Action Taken</b>	Information/Discussion Only
<b>Summary of Discussion</b>	None
<b>Assignments/Potential Agenda Items</b>	None
<b>Comments/Information</b>	None

<b>Agenda Topic</b>	Public Comment
<b>Action Taken</b>	Information/Discussion Only
<b>Summary of Discussion</b>	None
<b>Assignments/Potential Agenda Items</b>	None
<b>Comments/Information</b>	<p><b>Ivan -</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Nevada Day Parade <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Wasn't aware that Dr. Solis attended the parade but it was nice of him to have time to attend out of his busy schedule</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p><b>Victor -</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Nevada Day Parade <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>We waited approximately 45 minutes to walk in Carson Street</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

<b>Agenda Topic</b>	Adjournment
<b>Action Taken</b>	Meeting Adjourned at 3:25 pm
<b>Summary of Discussion</b>	None
<b>Assignments/Potential Agenda Items</b>	None
<b>Comments/Information</b>	None