

ROCHESTER INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY
Student Council Meeting Minutes
May 12, 1958

The meeting was called to order at 5:10 p.m. by President Richard Nally. The roll was called, and the following representatives were not present

ART & DESIGN
Olga Vangel

CHEMISTRY
Don Rickert
Ray Rauscher

COMMERCE
Bob Barnes

ELECTRICAL
Robert Moore
Ralph Agresta

MECHANICAL
Jim Welch
Dave Barclay

PHOTOGRAPHY
Richard Burkhart
Bob Kane

PRINTING
Henry Working
Dick Bojanowski

S. A. G.
Sandra Glassmire
Don Fredette

The secretary's minutes were read and approved as read.

DIVISION REPORTS

Social Division

Bud Lockwood announced that the social calendar for the fall quarter has been completed and copies are available to the organizations at the Student Union

Sal Schiafano reported that the intake from Spring Weekend was about \$4,300. There are, at the present time, about \$4,000 in bills. All bills are not in as yet. With this extra money raised Schiafano recommended that the percentage to organizations be raised to 50 per cent or above. This money is not extra money, but only to help make up the losses of the organizations. Bob Kohler moved that the allotment to every organization be increased by ten per cent. Bill Wilson moved to amend the motion to state that the total profit from Spring Weekend be distributed on a percentage basis to each organization, whatever this percentage amounts to. Kohler withdrew his motion, and the second stood. The main motion was passed. President Nally thanked Schifano for a job well done.

Student Affairs

Art Pavelle asked that the Community Chest funds be turned in as soon as possible. Pavelle moved that Council allot not less than \$300 nor more than \$400 for charity and that the Association give this money to the Community Chest, etc., instead of soliciting from each individual student. The motion was seconded and passed by a vote of 17-13.

Legislative and Financial

This division had no report

Publicity and Publication

This division had no report.

Judicial Action

President Nally gave the report submitted by the Executive Committee in the case of a student insulting an instructor: "It is the feeling of the Executive Committee that a letter of censure be written to John Tracey of the Retailing Department. Bob Kohler moved to accept the letter and to send it. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously. The following is the text of the letter:

"Dear Mr. Trace, Having heard testimony from all parties concerned in your case of an insult rendered an instructor in the presence of other students, the Executive Committee of Student Council has decided that your action is not befitting a member of the Student Association. While it is felt that there is some justification for your complaint, we feel that your course of action cannot be condoned. In view of these findings you are reprimanded."

Athletics Banquet

A letter to Mr. Lou Alexander has been written by Bob Kohler stating the reasons for Council's denying the allocation of additional funds for the banquet for athletes.

John O'Connor moved that we put on the agenda for the first meeting of the fall quarter a discussion of the revision of the method for electing departmental representatives to Council. The Motion was seconded. John Markowski stated that the Election Board of Control will be making a recommendation for this next year. The motion was passed.

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Art Pavelle moved that, at the first meeting of next year, a committee be appointed to hear testimony of disciplinary actions if the case should arise. The motion was seconded and passed by a vote of 18-8.

Art Gardner moved that the Council in existence should not be able to allocate funds of succeeding Councils, although recommendations may be made. The motion was seconded by Natalie Riker. However, this motion would involve a constitutional change and cannot be made from the floor.

Sue Joyce moved that a committee be set up to investigate the possibilities of an inter-communications system within the Institute for the use of organizations. The motion was seconded and passed.

A new representative asked why scholarship rejection letters are sent out in a form letter. Mr. Fram said that the application load is too great at this time of ~~year~~ to send individual letters.

As the last order of business at this, the annual meeting was the election of Secretary. Jannifer Brennan was elected to this office.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:15 p.m.

Respect fully submitted,

SHARLA KLEIN
SECRETARY