

ROCHESTER INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY  
Student Council  
Minutes for March 21, 1955

The meeting was called to order at 5:05 p.m. by the Vice-President Rita Prado.

The roll call was taken and the following members were absent:

CHEMISTRY  
James Fantone

MECHANICAL  
James Forman (*on lock*)  
Richard Anderson (excused)

FOOD ADMN.  
Sandra Niven

RETAILING  
Frank Preston  
Jean Bush

ELECTRICAL  
Robert Smith  
Wallace Engard  
~~Frank Ashbaugh~~

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

PING PONG  
TABLES

A motion was made, seconded, and passed to have the School for American Craftsmen repair the ping pong tables for the Clark Building Lounge at the cost of \$18.00 each.

STANDARDS  
FOR COUNCIL  
MEMBERS

Representatives were reminded that there is a 65 per cent attendance requirement and a 2.25 grade average to be maintained by all Student Council members. The secretary will check on the new term marks this coming week. (Excused absences will not be counted against a member.)

COFFEE  
HOUR

A coffee hour, sponsored by Student Council for World University Service, is scheduled for Wednesday, March 30, from 3:30 to 5:00 p.m. Volunteers to work for half-hour periods between 3:00 and 5:00 p.m. were requested.

ASSEMBLY  
PROGRAM

Bette Bassett reminded Council members that there is to be an all-school assembly at 11:00 a.m., Thursday, March 31, in the RIT Chapel. The speaker is to be Dr. Buell Gallagher, president of the City College of New York and the National Chairman of World University Service.

CARNEGIE  
MUSIC ROOM

The Chair stated that a request would be made to the Carnegie Music Room Chairman to present a recommendation for new equipment next Monday.

EASTER  
VACATION

Jesse Maffuid asked if there were any possibility of the students having Wednesday afternoon off before

Easter. This would enable student having to drive some distance to start before evening.

Mr. Belknap reminded Council that at one time we had only Friday off and classes were resumed on Monday morning; therefore, additional time would probably not be granted. The matter was then dropped.

Al Wardle inquired regarding the status of the letter regarding absence and tardy regulations which is to be sent to the Policy Committee. Mr. Belknap stated that he had not yet received it.

Al Rosetto then pointed out that several department representatives had not given to President Anderson the required information concerning their department's policy for enforcing the present absence and tardy regulations.

The chair stated that the letter will be ready for the next Policy Committee meeting, however.

Jesse Maffuid asked about the suggestion made some time ago that tests be spread over a 5-day period rather than being crammed into 3 days. The Chair stated that this request is to be included in the letter to the Policy Committee.

A question was raised by Marvin Skolnik regarding the regulation of the bulletin board advertising. Recently signs, without any identification, have been posted to advertise get-togethers not registered on the social calendar.

The point was also made that good business practice requires that posted notices of any kind should be signed.

The Executive Committee will check into the above matter further.

Mr. Killip will be in the Student Council Office, on March 22, from 4:00 to 5:00 and from 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. to take orders for rings.

Student Council Senate will meet at 12:30 p.m., Tuesday, March 22, in the Student Council Office.

Parking Violators are to appear at 12:30 p.m., Thursday, March 24, in the Student Council Office.

There is a Spring Weekend Committee meeting, Thursday, March 24, at 5:00 p.m., in Room 100, Clark Union.

The meeting adjourned at 5:45 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,  
Karen Smith, Secretary

LETTER OF  
RECOMMENDATION  
TO POLICY  
COMMITTEE

Five-DAY  
EXAM  
PERIOD

UNSIGNED  
ADVERTISING

ANNOUNCEMENTS