



CLASSIFIED SENATE MINUTES

Thursday August 4, 2022 | 1:00 – 2:15 p.m. | Zoom & 2411A

Meeting Minutes

LPC Mission Statement

Las Positas College is an inclusive, learning-centered, equity-focused environment that offers educational opportunities and support for completion of students' transfer, degree, and career-technical goals while promoting lifelong learning.

LPC Planning Priorities

- ❖ Establish a knowledge base and an appreciation for equity; create a sense of urgency about moving toward equity; institutionalize equity in decision-making, assessment, and accountability; and build capacity to resolve inequities.
- ❖ Increase student success and completion through change in college practices and processes: coordinating needed academic support, removing barriers, and supporting focused professional development across the campus.

Classified Senate

Classified Senate Members Present:

Ana Del Aguila
Aubrie Ross
Carolyn Scott
Claire Graham
Danielle Bañuelos
David Rodriguez
Daisy Valle
Ellie Hirstein
Frances DeNisco
Helena Cruz
Jason Maxwell
Jean O'Neil-Opipari
Kristi Vanderhoof
Lisette Rocha
Lydia Penaflor
Maria Glidden
Miguel Alvarez
Mila Jabbar
Paula Rose
Sarah Bettencourt
Sharon Davidson
Sheri Moore
Sherita Waters
Shriya Shah
Terri Danner
Wanda Butterly

1. Call to Order

- Meeting called to order at 1:08 p.m.

2. Welcome and Introductions

3. Approval of Agenda – 8/4/2022

- Paula Rose motioned to approve, Shriya Shah seconded – Approved

4. Approval of Prior Meeting Minutes – 7/7/2022

- Helena Cruz motioned to approve, David Rodriguez seconded - Approved

5. Dr. Foster's Announcements

- Dr. Foster thanked Jean and the Classified team for their participation in the Caring Campus Joint Session held yesterday. Thank you to everyone that has put forth an effort to get more students on campus, and increasing our enrollment.
- We still have the mask mandate, despite their being no signage on our campus. VP Raichbart will reach out to the district to get us some signage for Fall 2022.
- We are looking forward to our colleagues coming for Convocation day next week.

6. Classified Senate President's Report

• Welcome July New Hires

- MacKenzie Draper, Physical Education/Athletics
- David Paonessa, Instructional Assistant, English
- John Penaflor, Campus Safety

• Classified Senate Officers 2022-2023

- Currently
 - President – Jean O'Neil-Opipari
 - VP – Activities – Aubrie Ross
 - VP – Fundraising – Liz McWhorter
 - Secretary – Danielle Bañuelos
 - Treasurer – Paula Rose
 - Ambassadors – Helena Cruz
- Nominations in August (communicated by email)
- Vote in September

• Set Priorities for the 2022-2023 Academic Year

- Jean shared that we might want to possibly increase number of tri-chair committees.
- Please share your ideas with us!

• Classified Senate Retreat, *Building Bridges* 7/28/2022 at Chabot College

- Jean recapped what we discussed at the retreat; we went over classified senate 101, what your rights are as a classified team member.



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• Caring Campus – Joint Session 8/3/2022

- We had a joint session with administration yesterday and it went well.
- Classified is the driving force behind Caring Campus.
- We will discuss this more on College Day 8/16
- If you'd like to be involved please let Jean know!

• Classified Senate Spirit Wear

- What types of items would you like? Hat, Cap, Jacket, T-shirt, Polo, Sweatshirt, Hoodie, Fleece, Collared Shirt, Vest
- What colors would you like? White, Black, Grey, Colors of Logo
- Survey is coming soon to collect your feedback.

• LPC Market, Tuesday, August 17th, all Classified Encouraged to Volunteer

- Let Josue know if you can help
- Market volunteer form: <https://forms.gle/X2ezxi3U4JNJtdgL7>

7. Student Government

- *Off for the Summer*
- COVID Resolution – Ombudsman, Classified Senate Letter of Support?
- Jean spoke with Tracey Coleman about working more collaboratively with Academic Senate!

8. Professional Development, Aubrie Ross

- Classified Senate Pot Luck, Friday, August 5th 12:00 – 2:00 p.m.

9. Fundraising Update, Liz McWhorter

- Upcoming Fundraiser – 9/20/2022 First Street Alehouse

10. Treasurer's Report

- *Tabled*

11. SEIU Update, Mike Alvarez

- Next meeting 8/15/22 8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. in 1011
- We will provide update on negotiations
- Juneteenth Holiday – 2023!

12. 4CS Update, David Rodriguez

- We had a special meeting 8/1 and appointed another member for Area L
- Senate wide senate applied for a grant – IEBC (Caring Campus)
- Notice sent out to update the College 4CS Report
 - \$500 District Level Cost
 - Benefits: Discounts for CLI, and Gathering of the Senates activities

13. Good of the Order

- New Payroll Deduction Form – Co-curricular fund **and** foundation fund
- We plan on hosting the Classified Senate Retreat for next year
- Heather Hernandez and I will be being doing a College Day session for *Building Bridges* which will be an extension of the retreat.

14. Adjournment

- Meeting adjourned 1:51 p.m.

15. Next Classified Senate Meeting

Thursday, September 1, 2022, 1:00 p.m.