UNCW Communication Studies Society Meeting Minutes
September 10, 2008

Roll Call:

Kelly Padykula, Sean McBride, Amanda Frasca, Hayley Lovitt, Reagan Thomas, Taylor Bailey, Alyssa Brass, Erica Tucker, Brent Kight, Ashley Scales, Jessica Costanza, Michelle Billick, Stephanie Celenza, Mike Pandich, Marisa Munoz, Daniel Cameron, Ronda Jackson, Michael Regina, Shannon Meadows, Wendy Fulk, Maureen Carlin, Holli Davis, Kati Heffield, Lindsey Champion, Sam Johnson, JP Phillips, Kate Heaton, Sean O'Connell, Jessica Davis, Danielle Murray, Stephanie Noser, Allison Day, Susan Surey, Deji Adeleke, Alexis B, Amy Beam, Elle Dubberly, Brittney Sito, Ashley Evans, Aisling Jerome, Katie White, Brezny Qualls, Preston Barber, Ginny Shepherd, Nicole Doherty, Melissa Carlo, Robert Dough, Monica Tockman, Jordan Whitaker, Kristina Duerr, Megan Bendt, Margit Weinberg, Tessa Salottolo, Justin Dillon, Dustin Gurley

Meeting Started by President Sean McBride at 7:06 p.m.

1. Food!
    a. Special thanks to Brezny Qualls and Daniel Cameron for bringing food!

2. President Sean McBride introduced the CSS Executive Board and Committees.
    a. President- Sean McBride (som3281@uncw.edu)
    b. Secretary- Kelly Padykula (kjp2745@uncw.edu)
    c. Treasurer- Reagan Thomas (krt5663@uncw.edu)
    d. Historian- Amanda Frasca (arf9040@uncw.edu)
    e. Publicity Chair- Hayley Lovitt
        - ✓ Contact Hayley at hl5926@uncw.edu if you would like to join the Publicity Committee.
    f. Community Outreach Chair- Taylor Bailey
        - ✓ If you have any ideas for a service project, or would like to join the Community Outreach Committee, contact Taylor at ctb8397@uncw.edu.

3. Faculty Advisor Jennifer Chin (chinj@uncw.edu) spoke about Reasons to Join CSS.
    a. Service Opportunities
        a. Halloween Carnival
        b. Rock for the Cure
        c. Relay for Life
    b. Networking Opportunities
        a. Project Protégé
        b. Visits to PR Agencies
        c. Panel Discussions
    c. Educational Opportunities
        a. Make the Most of Your Major
    d. Making Lifelong Friends While Having Fun!

a. Socials/ COM Department Banquet
b. Dress for Success Fashion Show

e. Other Things We Do:
a. Raise money for charities
b. Support the COM department at various functions
c. Attend N.C. State PR conference
d. Sponsor the CSS Achievement Award--$100 bookstore gift card

4. Icebreaker

5. Community Outreach Chair Taylor Bailey spoke about the Bake Sale.
a. When: Tuesday, September 16th from 9am-2pm.
b. Where: TBA
c. We need volunteers to bake items and/or work the table for an hour shift.
d. Earn points and help raise money for Rock for the Cure!
e. Please contact Taylor at ctb8397@uncw.edu to sign up!

6. President Sean McBride spoke about a point opportunity!
a. Earn points by bringing food for meetings.
b. Food you can bring:
i. Chips
ii. Dip
iii. Cookies
iv. Soda
v. Ice
c. Points vary according to what items are brought
d. Sign up with Sean at the end of meetings or contact him at som3281@uncw.edu.

7. Treasurer Reagan Thomas spoke about Dues and Points.
a. Dues
- ✓ Dues for fall semester 2008 are:
  - $20 (cash or check)
  - $10 for members who have achieved active status
  - Make checks payable to CSS
  - Can be given to Reagan Thomas or Jennifer
- ✓ A member info sheet should be turned in along with your dues.
  - Forms can be printed out at: http://student.uncw.edu/org/css. Click on "Club Info," or they can be picked up at meeting.
  - Deadline for dues is September 24th.

b. Points
- ✓ To achieve active member status, you must earn *10 points a semester*.
- ✓ Points can be earned by:
  - Attending meetings = 1 point
  - Participating in service activities and events approved by CSS (points vary)

- ✓ Active members will receive a 50% reduction in future membership dues.
- ✓ Contact Reagan Thomas about dues and points at krt5663@uncw.edu.

8. Publicity Chair Hayley Lovitt spoke about Project Protégé.
    a. What: A mentoring program to help students learn more about careers in communication-related fields. Fields include: PR, marketing, Event Planning, Print Journalism, and TV News.
    b. When: Application deadline is September 12th by noon SHARP.
    c. Pick up an application after the meeting, or visit http://student.uncw.edu/org/css.
    d. Should find out this coming weekend, September 12-14, about mentor match.
    e. Feel free to contact Hayley at hl5926@uncw.edu if you have any questions.

9. Historian Amanda Frasca spoke about Rock for the Cure.
    a. Where: Reel Café (2nd floor)
    b. When: NEW DATE Friday, October 24th at 7 p.m.
    c. Volunteers are needed!
        i. Two hour time commitments between 5 p.m. and 10:30 p.m.
    d. Pre-order a t-shirt for $15 for the shirt and ticket or $10 for the shirt alone.
    e. Deadline for to buy a shirt is September 19th so don't delay!
    f. Contact Amanda Frasca at arf9040@uncw.edu to get in on this great cause!

10. Treasurer Reagan Thomas spoke about volunteering for Hunt for the Cure.
    a. Need volunteers with the Scavenger Hunt and prize donations.
    b. Contact Reagan at krt5663@uncw.edu if you're interesting in helping.

11. Secretary Kelly Padykula conducted the raffle.
    a. Congratulations to Jordan Whitaker for winning a large pizza from CiCi's! ☺

Meeting ended at 7:47 p.m.

Next meeting: Wednesday, September 24, 2008 in Leutze 143 at 7 p.m.

Meeting Minutes by CSS Secretary Kelly Padykula and Faculty Advisor Jennifer Chin.