The 6th meeting of the 12th senate was called to order at 5:00 pm on October 1, 2013. There were 28 out of 33 senators present. There was a motion to approve last week’s minutes. Passed.

**Officer Reports**

* President Keyana Boka

The Board of Student Body meeting went well. Thank you to those who came to the retreat. We have extra copies of handouts from retreat if you were unable to attend. University Publications and Student Publications committees are open so I encourage you to sign up for those. We have the Picnic with the President next Wednesday. I’m looking forward to the swearing in two new senators at large today.

* Executive Vice President Mark Reeves

Have a safe fall break. I am still working on Dine with Decision Makers. The University Athletic Committee will be having a meeting so we shall hopefully hear a report on that soon.

* Administrative Vice President Nicki Seay

Organizational Aid will meet tomorrow at 4:30 pm. We will be having our first interviews. I have left some business cards here so you hand them out to organizations that want to apply.

* Speaker of the Senate Paige Settles

I have the handouts from retreat if you were unable to come. Please keep attendance to committee meetings up.

**Staff Reports**

* Chief of Staff Brad Cockrel

I have updated the roster. If you have any corrections please come talk to me. Our office will be open tomorrow.

* Director of Public Relations Laura Harper

Please wear your SGA polos shirts often. I am still working on brochures. I will be starting to work on homecoming posters soon.

* Director of Academic Affairs Hannah Garland

There is a new deadline for the Student Affairs Head position. It will be this Wednesday before the office closes.

* Director of Information and Technology Sara Hazelip

I have updated the budget page and have updated Orgaid applications forms.

**Committee Reports**

* Academic Affairs Megan Skaggs

Please encourage people to apply for the study abroad scholarships. We will be having our regular meeting.

* Campus Improvements

We will be reviewing some of the goals we came up with at retreat.

* Legislative Research Ashlee Manley

We will be meeting after senate.

* Public Relations Mallory Treece

We will be having our meeting and discussing overarching goals for the year.

**Special Orders**

Presidential appointments approved.

Swearing in of new senators at large and Associate Justice.

* Judicial Council

There is a new Judicial Council Opinion authorizing a new committee for election codes. I am passing around a sign-up sheet and it is open to any student that wants to join. Keep attendance up. I will be doing more judicial reviews after fall break.

**Unfinished Business**

None

Student Speaker

Logan Eckler: Our campus isn’t very handicap friendly. Here are some changes simple changes I think need to be made: more automatic opening doors as about half the campus buildings lack them, more benches at the bus stops, maintenance on older elevators to improve the speed, and a faster approval process in order to use the ADA transportation vans.

There was a motion to adjourn and it was seconded.

The meeting was adjourned at 5:20 pm.