

# 02/09/2022 SGA General Meeting Minutes

[Wednesday, 02/09/2022]

Meeting called to order on [02/09] at [1:06pm] in Friends Hall.

## I. Roll Call

- a. President Anjali Patel
- b. Vice President Paolo Miyashiro Bedoya
- c. Secretary Janea Tozer-Murphy
- d. Treasurer Victoria Columna (Absent - Excused)
- e. Chief of Staff Avery Cangro
- f. Secretary of Academic Affairs Nataly Merino (Absent - Excused)
- g. Secretary of Commuter Affairs Dawn Sy (Late - Excused)
- h. Secretary of Delegate Affairs Ciara Luciano
- i. Secretary of Diversity & Inclusion Cristina Navarette Carpizo
- j. Secretary of Fraternity and Sorority Life Jiany (JiJi) Lindsey (Absent - Excused)
- k. Secretary of Governmental Affairs Danny Gurniak
- l. Secretary of Programming Jenna Falkenheim
- m. Secretary of Public Relations Dylan Solis
- n. Secretary of Sustainability Danielle Bongiovanni (Absent - Excused)
- o. **Chief Panelist Angelina Farallo**
- p. *Executive Panelist John Waite*
- q. Legislative Panelist Leah Berlinger (Late - Excused)
- r. Senate President Helen Witte
- s. Senate Vice President Kimberly Santana
- t. Senate Secretary\*\*
- u. ASB School Senator: Chris Vedra (Absent - Excused)
- v. CA School Senator: Grace Velarde (Late)
- w. HGS School Senator: Rojja Kharel
- x. SSHS School Senator: Ashley Gomez
- y. TAS School Senator: Patricia Kalaidjian
- z. Senator Sannia Balgahoom
- aa. Senator Kristina Hollosi
- bb. Senator Cindy Lam (Absent - Excused)
- cc. Senator Aime Lara (Late - Excused)
- dd. Senator Misha Mathai
- ee. **Senator Mariam Tinawi**
- ff. Senator Rylie Klain
- gg. Senator Connor Sweeny (Absent - Excused)
- hh. **Senator Bella Apgar\*\***

- ii. Senator Shanel Lopez
- jj. Senator Weina Xiao
- kk. Senator Samikshya Pokhare
- ll. Graduate Senator Andy Annucci
- mm. ***Student Governor Nazli Tiyaloglu (Naz) (Absent - Excused)***
- nn. ***Alternate Student Governor\*\****
- oo. ***Student Trustee Alexis Meneses\*\*\*\****
- pp. ***Alternate Student Trustee Jakub Zak***
  - i. Present:
  - ii. Late:
  - iii. Excused:
    - 1. *Senator Connor Sweeny\*\**
    - 2. *Secretary of Sustainability Danielle Bongiovanni\*\**
    - 3. *Senator Bella Apgar\*\**
    - 4. *Student Trustee Alexis Meneses\*\*\*\**
    - 5. *Secretary of Academic Affairs Nataly Merino\*\**
    - 6. *Student Governor Nazli Tiyaloglu\*\**
    - 7. *ASB School Senator: Chris Vedra\*\**
    - 8. *Treasurer Victoria Columna\*\**
    - 9. *Senator Cindy Lam\*\**
    - 10. *Secretary of Fraternity and Sorority Life Jiany (JiJi) Lindsey*
  - iv. Absent: (Unexcused)
    - 1. Senator Mariam Tinawi
    - 2. Chief Panelist Angelina Farallo

## **II. Mission Statement read by Sannia Balgahoom**

*The Ramapo College Student Government Association serves as the persistent voice of the student body. While representing the student body and the ideals of Ramapo College of New Jersey, the Student Government Association, through unity in diversity, embraces student leadership in all forms.*

## **III. Approving Minute Meetings**

- a. Minutes from 02/02/2022
  - i. Motion to approved by Helen
  - ii. Moved by Kimberly
  - iii. Seconded by Ashley

#### IV. President's Announcements

- a. President Jebb's Spring State of the College: Weds, 2/16 at 12 pm in Friends Hall
  - i. Post-discussion will be 2/24 from 1:15-2:15 pm in SC-158
- b. Fair Trade week is this week. Events are listed on social media. You can also visit the website located [here](#). Contact Danielle with any questions [dbongiov@ramapo.edu](mailto:dbongiov@ramapo.edu)
- c. This month is Black History Month. Events every week. Listed on the EDIC page located [here](#).
- d. Cabinet meeting this week as a sheet meeting. Make sure to complete all reports by the end of this Saturday. Future meetings will be hybrid and the date and time is TBD. Look out for more information on that from me.
- e. Update on the water: [Gina Mayer-Costa](#) has informed me that the water is not dangerous or unsafe to drink, so don't feel like you need to waste your plastic water bottles; she will have water sample results the week of 2/22 and Mahwah is also taking samples itself, and these results will be posted on the college website, Daily Digest, and social media
- f. Last Call to Serve as SGA rep for 2022 Campus Facilities Master Plan Task Force; if interested, email [sgapresident@ramapo.edu](mailto:sgapresident@ramapo.edu) by noon tomorrow, 2/10
- g. SGA Office Layout will be changed soon, as announced prior, so don't be startled
- h. Reminders
  - i. Please join a committee if you have not already!
  - ii. As you work on your different initiatives, remember to always try to get evidence to support statements gauging student interest
  - iii. If you want to email me, please send the email to [sgapresident@ramapo.edu](mailto:sgapresident@ramapo.edu), and not my personal Ramapo Gmail
  - iv. Cabinet inquiries go to Avery, Senate inquiries go to Helen/Kimberly, and Attendance concerns go to Janea
    1. Attendance concerns for Senate Meetings should go to Helen and Kimberly. All other attendance concerns go to Janea.
- i. Questions:
  - i. [Cristina NavarreteCarpizo](#): How are we sure that the water is safe? The contaminant in the water was said to be cancer-causing.
    1. Gina said that the Township of Mahwah never said to stop drinking the water. The regulations for the water changed, not the water itself. There is more information on the Mahwah Township website if you want more information. They will be testing the water over the next few weeks.

#### V. Cabinet Reports

- a. Vice President Paolo Miyashiro Bedoya
  - i. No Club Process Committee today 2/9. Will send a reminder to the committee if we do have clubs pop up.

- ii. If anyone asks about starting a club, direct them to [sgaclubs@ramapo.edu](mailto:sgaclubs@ramapo.edu) **with a description of what their new club's mission is.**
- iii. Office Hours & Committees Announcement: If there is ever any concern about Office Hours please reach out to Janae as soon as possible. [jtozermu@ramapo.edu](mailto:jtozermu@ramapo.edu)
- iv. If I tagged you to do something on any document (roster, office hours, Committee, etc) please take a look!
- b. Secretary Janae Tozer-Murphy
  - i. Ordered office supplies. Let me know if you have any more ideas for office supplies. [jtozermu@ramapo.edu](mailto:jtozermu@ramapo.edu)
  - ii. Please make sure to insert Cabinet reports into the agenda when sent out on Wednesdays at 10am so please make sure to put your information in there before the meeting and BEFORE 12PM.
- c. Treasurer Victoria Columna
  - i. ABSENT
- d. Chief of Staff Avery Cangro
  - i. Got cabinet secretaries started.
  - ii. First cabinet reports are due by 2/10 (tomorrow). Sent an email regarding the new template with a new logo.
  - iii. Please complete Paolo's email in regards to the committee you will be joining. All committee secretaries please send me your meeting attendance. [acangro@ramapo.edu](mailto:acangro@ramapo.edu)
- e. Secretary of Academic Affairs Nataly Merino
  - i. ABSENT
- f. Secretary of Programming Jenna Falkenheim
  - i. No reports.
- g. Secretary of Diversity & Inclusion Cristina Navarette Carpizo
  - i. CPB: Ideas on how to make CPB more inclusive. Looking to talk to CPB about making an amendment with the DIC Secretary to make a meeting with CPB every semester to make sure that programming is inclusive.
  - ii. Dining Services: Addressed something with Rachel because they have been deflecting results that she's sent them for recipes. Talked to Rachel about what to do about the survey about international students.
  - iii. Why fewer male students are going to college: emailed Marie Attis Springs and Rachel Sawyer. We are trying to determine how to make men more comfortable using resources and making sure they succeed in their college careers.
  - iv. Ramapo Renaissance Fair: Is SGA interested in tabling for that?
  - v. Muslim Club: Has been having problems finding a preaching room because the administration hasn't given them the chance to change their room. Feel uncomfortable in the room they're in now. Emailed the club President to address this concern.
  - vi. EDIC is creating the culture collective. This is a group where EDIC will help the multicultural group in order to sustain their clubs in the long run so that there is longevity for those clubs.
  - vii. Project: startup mission to make sure everyone has access to menstrual products. meeting to see how in Ramapo we can address this.
    - 1. Point of Inquiry by President Patel: Which surveys have been sent out?

- a. Kosher Survey
- b. Vegan and Vegetarian Options Survey
- 2. President Patel: Can we meet after the meeting to discuss this?
  - a. Yes
- 3. VP Paolo: What room is the Muslim prayer room now?
  - a. President Jebb: It was just moved to the first floor of the CPA's.
  - b. Point of Clarification by Dr. Brown: A room of Mackin was designated as fair space. Because of the visitation policy right now, only residents can use that. H201 is now temporarily where faith and spirituality groups meet. Students have been using H201 which is now not convenient. So EDIC is working to identify another space.
- h. Secretary of Public Relations Dylan Solis
  - i. Trying to schedule a meeting with Liaison.
  - ii. Trying to work on a possible survey to gauge where students get their news on camps to plan PR.
  - iii. Research on bulletin board decoration.
- i. Secretary of Fraternity and Sorority Life Jiany (JiJi) Lindsey
  - i. ABSENT
  - ii. Meeting with Alyssa DiCarlantonio from Laptop Upcycle next week to discuss details about the Spring donation drive that we are planning to set up.
  - iii. In-person meeting with Amanda Riehl on Wednesday, 2/16 at 3:00 pm to go over the improvement of Greek Life.
  - iv. I emailed the four council presidents for a meeting this month, still waiting to hear back.
  - v. If you need to reach out to Jiany please do so here: [jlindsey@ramapo.edu](mailto:jlindsey@ramapo.edu)
- j. Secretary of Sustainability Danielle Bongiovanni
  - i. ABSENT
  - ii. February 24 SGA is cosponsoring with Active Minds. A220, 6:30pm, come for a free Earth stress ball and some open conversations about climate anxiety.
  - iii. I'm working on an Archway survey for the Ramapo community to voice their interest in Fair Trade Certification at the college. When should this be posted? How should it be distributed? My thoughts right now are: Ramapo Green email list, daily digest, Ramapo Green Instagram, SGA Instagram story, Ramapo Green Board & Television
  - iv. If you need to reach out to Danielle please do so here: [dbongiov@ramapo.edu](mailto:dbongiov@ramapo.edu)
- k. Secretary of Commuter Affairs Dawn Sy
  - i. recently had a focus group but will bring up issues to SGA if needed.
  - ii. Things planned for February
    - 1. 2/14 we have cards and crafts in J.Lees at 1pm
    - 2. 2/15 commuter breakfast from 8:30am-10:00am - Feel free to stop by
    - 3. 17th or 24th (not confirmed yet) - Connect and Learn (1-2pm in Alumni Lounges)
      - a. A speaker comes in and does one hour talk about a decided topic
      - b. Will give information when we have it.
    - 4. 2/21 Muffin Day at 1pm in J.Lees
- l. Secretary of Delegate Affairs Ciara Luciano

- i. Wanting delegates to be a part of a bill. please let me know (Senators) if you're thinking about a bill or in the process of it. [cluciano@ramapo.edu](mailto:cluciano@ramapo.edu)
- m. Secretary of Governmental Affairs Danny Gurniak
  - i. Working on some bills that I'd like to discuss more. Will be sending them over to Kimberly and Helen. Some of those subjects include A287, a Manufacturing in Higher Education Act, a 486 Establishing a College Child Care Advisory Commission, A787 to develop career and education guide for postsecondary students with disabilities. I would like to consider supporting and am asking the senate to support.
  - ii. Will speak with O'Connor to talk about the feasibility of this bill being passed. I will send over specific details after I have those details.
  - iii. Kimberly Santana: I can work with you for the disability bill.
- n. Chief Panelist Angelina Farallo (Speaking on behalf of Executive Panelist John Waite and Legislative Panelist Leah Berlinger)
  - i. Angelina - Absent
  - ii. No comments from Leah or John.
- o. Alternate Student Trustee Jakub Zak (Speaking on behalf of) Student Trustee Alexis Meneses
  - i. Jakub: Had a board meeting on the 31st which went well. We are planning higher education week (the week of March 8th). Finalizing dates and documents for the search for the next Student Trustee. Working on getting someone elected and spreading the word to get more applicants.
  - ii. President Patel: Do you need any help from SGA or leadership?
    - 1. Finalizing things. Will reach out to you.
  - iii. Kimberly Santana: I would work with Dylan on the promotion of this position.
  - iv. Patel: Reach Alex [amodaffe@ramapo.edu](mailto:amodaffe@ramapo.edu) or DM the official Ramapo Instagram.
- p. Alexis - Absent
- q. Student Governor Nazli Tiyaloglu (Speaking on behalf of Alternate Student Governor\*\*)
  - i. Please advertise the Alternate Student Governor applications. Interviews will be happening in April. Don't hesitate to reach out with any questions!
  - ii. Reach out to Naz if you have any questions.
  - iii. Naz is sending applications through email. Direct anyone interested to her email. [ntiyalog@ramapo.edu](mailto:ntiyalog@ramapo.edu)

## **VI. New Business**

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## **VII. Public Comment**

a. President Jebb:

- i. Thank you everyone here for joining us today. Your leadership has been instrumental with taking care of everyone from a holistic perspective. We will continue to follow the science. The spectator policy was lifted. We will keep looking at the science for decisions for mask policies and visitor policies.
- ii. Future series: we have it next week. We have found that there are struggles in the K-12 landscape so we invited some people to talk to us on 2/17 and the student's voice is really important in these conversations. We hope to learn more about the needs of students coming into Ramapo so that we can provide the necessary services.
- iii. 3/7 - Pat Waters - Ramapo looking at the future of work.



- iv. Future of Ramapo Readiness and Resolve - thinking about what distinguishes Ramapo as an institution.
- v. 2/23 - Diversity Convocation.
- vi. Attend all of these and bring a friend, please.
- vii. This is a time when we should take a pause to be patient and kind. Be there for people who need help and reach out if you need help. Take care of one another.
- b. Jack Nesmith (SGA Advisor):
  - i. 2022 Student Leadership Awards:
    - 1. The application is officially open. We have awards for every year and 2 awards for graduating seniors.
    - 2. The application is on Archway. You need a 2.5 GPA or higher to apply. You also need to be in good standing with the college. Pick a faculty or staff member to be your reference. A reference form will go out to them when your application is submitted.
    - 3. ***Due Monday 3/7 at 11:59pm***
    - 4. Everyone is encouraged to apply to these applications. We encourage people to think of it as a reflection of what you do at Ramapo. You're great role models. Please encourage a friend to apply. We have tabling happening next week.
    - 5. email [leaders@ramapo.edu](mailto:leaders@ramapo.edu) if you have any questions about this application.
    - 6. you can start the application and save it for a later date.
  - ii. Questions:
    - 1. Can you apply as a senior even if you're a junior with senior credits?
      - a. Yes but you have to indicate which one you want to apply for by answering the question of when your graduation date is and once you decide you're locked in.
      - b. For seniors, we automatically put them in three specific categories.
      - c. If you're a non-graduating senior with senior credits you can only go out for the outstanding senior award. Indicate what your graduation date is on the form when applying.
- c. Dr. Brown: Future series link to register is located [here](#).
- d. Next Thursday 2/17 from 1pm-2:30pm.

## VIII. Open Forum

- a. Need Volunteers for a Co-Sponsorship event (Kimberly)
  - i. College Programming Board (Paolo)
    - 1. Volleyball Tournament. Fri 2/18, 9 - 11 pm, Aux Gym \$5 to play, \$2 to spectate All proceeds benefit the WeCare Program 1st place team wins a prize
    - 2. Sign up to volunteer for this event [here](#).
    - 3. The sign-up to create a team is located [here](#).
    - 4. Comment by Dr. Brown: I'm very happy that SGA and CPB want to co-sponsor this. All of the money raised goes toward the Student Relief Fund. Please get folks to participate so we can raise money to help your peers.
      - a. Can I volunteer and still play?
        - i. Paolo: We won't need a lot of volunteers - we're mostly asking for people to play.

- ii. Leah: Avery and I are running the event so if you want to form a team you can let us know right now.
  - ii. Ramapo Renaissance: (Paolo and Kim)
    - a. held 7pm-10pm on 2/24 in Alumni Lounges. Will have food, performances, etc to engage students in the history of black culture. Brought by the women's center. Want supplies and marketing from SGA.
    - b. \$725 is the total amount. → they are asking to split the food cost. (We would be giving \$362.50. They are ordering from Paula's Soul Food from Hackensack.
    - c. The Senate does not have to approve the full amount - we can sponsor a certain amount (partial) from what they're asking. (Kimberly)
    - d. President Patel: We have \$1937 left in our co-sponsorship budget. But the last time I spoke to Victoria we had about half of that. I think we are now at around \$1500 (the halfway point for our co-sponsorship budget.
    - e. Senator Ashley Gomez: Do they know the anticipated amount of people that they are expecting?
      - i. VP Paolo: This is the first time they're hosting the vent. They are bringing 7 outside black performers (spoken word and singers). They've been doing a lot of promotion and are hoping to get a big turnout but don't have an estimated number.
    - f. Senate VP Kimberly: Is this a first-time event?
      - i. VP Paolo: Yes. It is their first time hosting it.
    - g. Dylan Solis: I think their budget might need a little revision. They could substitute some things like collard greens for other things.
      - i. President Patel: We can not ask them to change their list of items or requests. We can only give the price and what we decide.
  - 2. Informal vote on whether to vote on the full amount \$362.50 or if you want to give less than that: Most senators voted on giving less than that amount.
  - 3. Vote on what price options to give:
    - a. \$300
    - b. \$250
  - 4. Official vote on whether to give \$250 for this cosponsorship:
    - a. Motion to approve \$250 for this Ramapo Renaissance event:
    - b. Moved by Kimberly
    - c. Seconded by Rylie
    - d. Vote:
      - i. 11-3-1
    - e. Motion passed.
- iii. Active Minds
  - 1. Coping With Climate Anxiety. They will be hosting a presentation and discussion about coping with climate anxiety on Feb 24, 2022 in room A220.
  - 2. Sign up to volunteer for this event [here](#).



- iv. **Remember: members are required to volunteer with at least one event before the halfway mark of the semester which is Friday, March 11th.**
- b. President Patel: As soon as you are thinking of working on a survey, please let me or Paolo know first, just so we can brainstorm, review, and work with you on delivering them as efficiently as possible
  - i. VP Paolo: Anything that has SGA's name out there represents us so we need to be in the loop on surveys and anything else that goes out to the greater student body. This is so that we can maintain the image and reputation that SGA has.  
Everything needs to be approved by the SGA President.
  - ii. Dr. Brown: In the past few weeks we've heard about a lot of surveys. Reach out to the SGA President to combine surveys or figure out something else so that we can do these as efficiently as possible.
- c. Pandemic Assessment Team (PAT) Meeting Updates
  - i. Met Dean Van Der Wall and Debbie Lucasko with Paolo on Monday afternoon, so we are having ongoing discussions, and Dean Van Der Wall has been calling me with updates; if any of you have items of discussion for us, please let us know in advance:
  - ii. Any questions for us to ask this team?
    - 1. Secretary of Governmental Affairs Danny Gurniak: Thank you to the guests for being here today. Thanks for lifting spectator policy and no seating at Dunkin policy. I want to express to SGA that some students and myself are concerned. There is an urgency to return to normal. There's a desire to lift the universal masking policy as well as others like the no guest policy. Students feel in the dark. That is an effort that we all can achieve more. It's hard to have everyone in place given the realities that we faced the past few years. As we continue to look at these new policies, we follow the information that's coming to us and we look to see how we can loosen restrictions and not add more. We want to make a tangible difference so that students feel welcome and comfortable on campus. I would love to be included in those conversations.
      - a. President Patel: I had a call with Dean Van Der Wall about that this morning and that is a topic of mine for the PAT. These discussions are happening today. I can update you on all of that right now. We are not withholding this information but these discussions are currently happening and no decisions have been made. We will let you know.
      - b. Point of Inquiry: A lot of students came up to you - how many? Can you add detail?
        - i. Secretary of Governmental Affairs Danny Gurniak: I've had over 100 students in the past two weeks. I am very involved on campus so that is how I have these connections with these people. I also have random students from connections and in PayCaf that come up to me. This is an approximate number. One of the concerns that came up was also from a faculty perspective that there are members who are moving their classes virtually who are supposed to be in person. They also openly undermine

the rules of being in person as they're stating that we should not be on campus.

- c. President Patel: How have you gotten that number of 100? Are you approximating? How is this discussion coming up? If you are sensing that there is a strong sentiment one way or another, let me know so that we can have these discussions with leadership. If there is a large number I would want to be in the know.
    - i. Secretary of Governmental Affairs Danny Gurniak: A lot of people who have come up to me know that I am involved in SGA. I always suggest that they come to an SGA meeting. There has been no formal survey given or sent out to ask about masking or other COVID policies. The majority of the people who came up to me have been in informal/formal conversations. If I don't know the answer I try to refer them to someone who does. I got 100 because as a math major I keep count of things. I kept a count and approximated about 100.
  - d. Kimberly Santana: Point of Information about Faculty: once the syllabus has been sent out, afterward professors have the ability to change it as they see fit. That might be why course delivery has changed. I would advise whoever comes up to you, that you tell them to come to General Meetings. You can direct people who come up to you to the SGA email [sga@ramapo.edu](mailto:sga@ramapo.edu) It might be hard to be the voice of all of those people but we need those people to come.
  - e. Secretary of Diversity and Inclusion [Cristina NavarreteCarpizo](#): I saw you in A-wing with you not having your mask on properly. It feels like you're using the power you have in SGA for your own agenda instead of the Ramapo Community. how come anti-masking is coming from you instead of other GSA members. I feel like we should have a survey if this is true.
  - f. Senate President Helen: I also have heard from people who do not like mask mandates.
  - g. President Patel: I want us to focus on, if there are student concerns - we should have a fruitful discussion. Let's focus on the policy at hand.
  - h. VP Paolo: Keep personal issues out of these discussions, please.
  - i. Lisa Ambrose: (President of Ramapo Staff Association): An observation in regards to what Danny reported and some of the reactions to it. I appreciate the idea of getting people to come to meetings. At the same time, in our roles, if we get the information we have an obligation to share that information. We have to be open and while some people want to come and speak up for themselves it's very hard. If people do come to you in confidence that needs to be respected, acknowledged, and shared instead of cast aside.
- iii. Andy Anucci: I have a concern about the guest policy. I live in the CPA's and I've talked to people who say that because of the guest policy they feel a bit isolated because they're not attached to any other residential buildings. I know we have to wait for science but I have heard concerns fo being isolated and cut off because of the guest policy.

- iv. Dr. Chaudhary: This is a fabulous meeting. I want to remind you that the larger world is going through the same thing. There are going to be a lot of views as we come out of this pandemic. As the FA president and a faculty who has been here for many years, one of the most important things is your health. A lot of decisions being made are based on our health: mental and physical. A lot of things go into this calculation that we take into account and that the PAT will take into account as well. We are coming out of the pandemic, everyone is nervous so let's be patient and kind. hear one another out. If you have a faculty perspective: remember if you're finding that they're wary: some of us are older, have little children who can not get vaccinated, have older parents at home, etc. There is a reason that faculty may be asking you to do something. Always be kind and try to understand what someone else is saying. Please talk to one another. We have two sides of the story which I know as FA President. This is a huge conversation in you're a great group. Try to keep this in mind. As for surveys, go ahead and survey people (run it by Paolo and Anjali before you survey them).
- v. Rojja Kharel: Guest Policy - I've talked to a couple of people and I want to speak from an international student perspective. This is a commuter school, a lot of people go home on the weekends. As international students, it's hard on the weekends because some students go home but international students can not do that. We want to visit our friends who live in other dorms.
- vi. Secretary of Governmental Affairs Danny Gurniak: As an SGA member and a Student Leader on campus, and a disabled student I have always wanted to represent students who do and don't feel comfortable speaking for themselves. I will always voice support for a student or faculty member who may agree or disagree with me. From a person who disagrees with you, you learn. That is something that has been highlighted throughout the past two years. We need to listen to one another, be kind to one another, and be good teammates with one another. I always try to represent a diverse coalition of people. I will always do that whether it's appreciated or not. Thank you for being here and being transparent.
- vii. VP Paolo: Thank you for these discussions and these conversations. Thanks for talking to people outside of the SGA. We are the voice of the student body. Keep talking to each other and students. Please voice concerns that students are having while keeping it professional and productive. We appreciate you for your hard work as student leaders.
- viii. Presiden Patel: If there's something that needs to be brought to the attention of student leadership please let me know. Thank you all for your input. We hear you and appreciate it. We want to work as a team to help the student body. Please be mindful of that moving forward.
- d. Janea:
  - i. Peer Facilitation:
    - 1. The last Peer Facilitation interest meeting is Friday 11th from 4pm-5pm in D215.
    - 2. The application closes on 2/18 at 4pm.
    - 3. The link to sign up is located [here](#).
  - ii. OVP tabling on Monday from 1pm-2pm about Consent and Safer Sex (located at the top of the Student Center stairs). Stop by.
- e. Dawn: Orientation Program
  - i. The application is out now if you're interested.
  - ii. More info - info session is at 3pm today after this meeting.

iii. Applications are due on 2/18 at 4pm.

iv. Let me know if you have any questions [dsyl1@ramapo.edu](mailto:dsyl1@ramapo.edu)

1. I'm applying to be an Orientation leader - do I have to go to the information session?

**IX. Adjournment**

a. Meeting adjourned at 3:38pm.