Honors Program Student Council Minutes

Wednesday, September 18th

HPSC members in attendance: Patrick Monroe, Wesley Spears, Patrick Klan, Will Shankles

1. Name Change
   1. In light of the recent announcement that the UAH Honors Program is being upgraded into an Honors College, the HPSC needs a new name to register as a student organization with the university.
   2. The HPSC’s faculty advisers recommended moving away from “council” to make the organization more inclusive to other Honors students.
   3. Names to be considered
      1. Honors College Club
      2. Honors College Student Council
      3. Honors College Council
      4. Honors College Senate
      5. Honors College Panel
      6. Honors College Cabinet
      7. Honors Organization Calling Upon Student Participation and Overall College and University Studies (H.O.C.U.S. P.O.C.U.S.
   4. The HPSC members decided upon “Honors College Senate” and “HOCUS POCUS” as the favored names for the organization. Both names will be sent to the faculty advisers for their final approval.
2. Amending the HPSC Constitution
   1. The Honors Program Student Council Constitution needs to be amended for use in the new Honors College organization (to be named). As such, the rest of the meeting focused on providing amendments for the constitution.
   2. The edited constitution will be given out at a later date (it is still in composition)
   3. Once the constitution gets drafted and proofread by the faculty advisers, the potential constitution will be dispersed in a separate electronic communication for general Honors students.
3. Unscheduled Meeting
   1. Since the amending of the constitution took up all the time of this meeting, the officers decided to schedule another meeting next Wednesday, September 25th to cover the remaining topics intended for this meeting.
   2. The next meeting will cover the following topics
      1. Events scheduled for the next few weeks
      2. Discussion of having a monthly or repeating event like the Game Night
      3. Brainstorming for fundraising projects this semester.