I. Call to Order

a. Roll Call

i. Zach Brecheisen

ii. Kevin Hayes

iii. Laura Magnotta

iv. Chad Zimmerman

v. Meghan McClincy

vi. Sarah Heyser

vii. Robyn McAllen - Absent

viii. Beth Boul

ix. Kyle Chandler

x. David Brown

xi. Peter Klein

xii. Nisha Pasapuleti

xiii. Scott Engstrom

xiv. Wanika Fisher - Absent

xv. Cody Graham

xvi. Mayra Gamez - Absent

xvii. Shaundra Kisailus

xviii: Matthew Bosakowski

xviv: Dennis Harbin
xx. Evelyn Miller
xxi: Jason Samuel
xxii: Josh Slavin - Absent
xxiii: Steve Smith - Absent
xxiv: Missy Padalino
xxv: Patrick Boyer

Zach: Alisha, how many were absent? I want to make sure there is enough for a quorum.

Alisha: Five.

Zach: Alright, that’s enough.

b. Minutes Approval

Zach: Everyone should have gotten the email with last weeks minutes. Motions to approve.

Evelyn: Motion.

Kyle Chandler: Second

Zach: Discussion? Seeing none we will vote.

No opposition UP. No opposition Carlisle.

Previous minutes approved.

II. Public Comment

Zach: If you have things for next year, feel free to wait until Laura’s meeting following this meeting. Anything? Seeing none we’ll move on.

III. New Student Organization - American Association for Justice

Zach: Kyle Peasley is here to present on American Association for Justice.

Kyle: The club is part of the American Association for Justice’s national brach, which is the student organization in the country. AAJ promotes getting more trial lawyer information and overall promote better public speaking, which we do not have much of here beyond moot court.
Any member will get the benefits of a mentor program and job shadows for attorneys. If you have any question, ask me.

Zach: I have one - have you gotten interest at both campuses?

K: I’ve gotten emails from both, but mostly from in UP, but I’m hoping Carlisle is interested as well. Is there anyone in attendance in Carlisle interested?

Zach: Fine, just making sure it’s pushed on both campuses and there is equal representation.

Cody: I’m to understand that this is on a lot of schools?

Kyle: Yes, we’re one of the only ones not involved. Most schools in PA have a student chapter. Our current 3Ls now compete in the AAJ mock trial and are members of AAJ. There are plenty of scholarships.

Scott: What are the dues?

Kyle: Members in good standing owe dues of $15. The president can collect more, but that’s not likely.

Zach: Anyone else? Seeing none, any motions?

Scott: Motion to approve American Association for Justice.

Cody: Second.

Zach: Any additional discussion? Seeing none, put up for vote.

No opposition UP; No opposition Carlisle.

Zach: AAJ is a new student organization.

**IV. GSA Delegate Report**

Zach: Wanika is not here, so moving on.

**V. Executive Council Reports**

a. **Presidents Report**

Zach: Not too much.

I attended the last Dean’s meeting last week and someone mentioned at the last meeting about color printers being available for student use? There is none due to cost and the administration is
on top of staff and faculty about their color printer usage, so it’s pretty much out of question for us. You can go to student services, but as far as getting student access, it’s out of question.

Someone had brought up at the last meeting that Con. Law II is not being offered in the spring. It is listed on the website under anticipated courses that it will actually be offered live at both campuses in spring, so it’s not an issue.

I spoke with Dean Toomey and Dean ___ about the Carlisle library - about getting a rug on the stairs and they are going to be looking into ways to make that quieter, especially during the upcoming reading days.

The issue of study space in Carlisle was also brought up with the Deans and it is a long term goal. They are still looking at possibilities of adding study spaces in other locations on campus, possibly the computer room in basement to add study carrels. It’s on the radar.

Matt B.: As far as turning the computer lab into study carrels, there is lots of interest here (in Carlisle).

Zach: Dean McConnaughay does not like room that is not being used, so it’s on the radar, but it’s more of a long term goal - something the new e-board can check into it. Any questions? Seeing none, moving on.

b. Vice-Presidents’ Report

Kevin: Nothing to report.

Laura: Two things:

One, the senior picnics are coming up this weekend - Friday in Carlisle from 4-7 at the law school and Sunday from 11-3 at Tussey Mountain at UP and I just want to make it clear that all the law school community is welcome, not just graduating 3Ls, and that it is a good time before studying for finals kicks in.

Also, Race Judicata raised about $1300 for PILF and Sara Heyser and her committee did a great job and we are on track for making it bigger and better next year.


c. Treasurer

Chad: Yeah, nothing much. I met with Sherman and we had our treasurer training and he will be adequate to say the best. I will maintain the spreadsheet throughout the rest of the year to make sure there are accurate records for next year and I will hand over to Sherman to make sure everything looks good going into next year. I would also like to extend congrats to Sarah. The budget is doing OK. We have even been OK with granting a few supplemental requests, but I am still waiting to hear back from Sue and Holly on final totals. So far:
$36567.75 - total money spent this year
$6392.25 - bank left over (but mostly going to senior picnics)
$1417.64 - amount that will carry over to next year with luck

d. PSU Senator

Sarah: Nothing except that the last Senate meeting will be next Tuesday, 4/24 at 9am.

e. ABA Rep Report

Zach: Robyn’s no here, so...

Meghan: I would like to do a Secretary report.

Zach: If no objection, Megah will do a secretary report.

Meghan: I briefly want to run through my successes this year...no, Zach we want to thank you for all of your time and energy you put into this organization and Penn State Law at large and this organization will really miss you...so thank you! [Presentation of gift and eating of cake].

Zach: Thank you, Meghan and a big thanks to the executive board and members of the board of governors and for all of your work. We had a few stumbles at the beginning, but pulled through and made things better. And big thanks to the committee chairs - without them a lot of things would not happened. They have put in a lot of time and the law school really benefited from their labors. So, thank you.

Cody: Motion to adjourn.

Kyle Chandles: Second.

Z: Discussion? Seeing none - no opposition in UP.

Kevin: No opposition in Carlisle.