



UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH ALABAMA
FIRST YEAR COUNCIL

January 16, 2025

I. Roll Call

II. Approval of Minutes

III. Ice Breaker: What was the best thing you did after Winter Break?

IV. Guest Speaker: None this week

V. Officer Reports

- Martha Claire Thaxton: President -
 - SGA meeting went well
 - Start strong this upcoming semester
- Owen Stubbs: Vice President -
 - Hope the break went well, there was an issue with drive but I believe Mak is fixing it
 - I have most the meeting times for each committee, just make sure those are into me soon
- Olivia McDonald: Secretary -
 - Discussed office hours and SGA meeting requirements

VI. Committee Reports

- Governmental Relations: Benjamin Bruce
 - Met this week, Women's History Month event on March 19th
 - Tabling on February 26th for Higher Ed Day
- Student Engagement: Katie Shanks
 - No report
- Campus Safety and Improvement: Helen Hendrix
 - No report
- Student Resources and Outreach: Olivia Keller
 - No report

- Public Relations and Marketing: Liza Mays
 - Reminders to give her dates for all events FYC is putting on
 - Put tentative times and dates
- JP-At-Large: Bryson Beverly
 - No report

VII. Old Business

VIII. New Business

IX. Sprinks Speaks

- Welcome back, folks from SGA will talk soon at an Open House for SGA applications on February 24th, and discuss what you need to do for certain SGA positions
- Talk to Mak for any questions – she's a key player
- Keep an eye out for the digest

X. Hone in with Hamilton

- If anyone is interested in being FYC director, talk with her
- Spring Retreat discussion
- Expectations: 10 office hours and 3 SGA meetings
- Communicate with one another, CC her and Heather into all emails about attendance and any events
- Stay involved within your committee, if you cannot make it, let your chair know in a timely manner
- Committees need to do 2 events each
- Like to see FYC pass a bill

XI. Student Forum

XII. Announcements

- January 30th - SGA tabling event, if ever want to help, SGA will be tabling every Thursday 10-1 pm.

You will get office hours if you go.

- Reminder: Retreat is January 25th. We will have food! Fajita salad bar
- Night to Shine needs volunteers

XIII. Adjourn