Vice President Jeff Abraham called the meeting to order at 5:15pm. Secretary Lisa Knapp took attendance. A motion to accept the minutes from last week’s meeting was made by Campus Voice and seconded by ATE. There were 34 senators in attendance, 2 senators were absent: Grilling Society, and ATEC, and 2 senators were late: NAHB, and Multicultural Club.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SPB: Friday, October 30th, is the Asher Roth concert at 8:00pm in the Clark Field House. Tickets can be purchased at the bookstore or at Ticketmaster.com. It is $15 for presale with student ID or $20 at the door. Also, on Sunday, November 1st, Comedian Donnell Rowlings, also known as Ashy Larry will perform at 8:00pm and 10:00pm in the Catskill Hall Great Room.

College Players: The Chancellor’s Award for Excellence in Teaching Board is still looking for student nominations to the board. Only one student is needed now to serve on this state-wide board. Please bring in nominations, as the board would like to start meeting in November, but cannot operate without a student member.

NSNA: The Spaghetti Dinner Fundraiser will be held at the First Presbyterian Church from 4:30pm to 7:30pm on Wednesday, November 18th. The dinner costs $8 for dinner, a beverage, and dessert. There will be a Chinese Auction that will be held at the church as well at the same time. Also, NSNA is having a Cookie Dough in Mason Jars fundraiser. Table orders will be set up on Tuesday, November 10th and Thursday, November 19th in Sanford Hall from 11:00am to 4:30pm. Distribution of orders will be on Thursday, December 10th from 11:00am to 4:00pm in Sanford Hall. Prices are $7 for a one quart mason jar and $6 each for 2 mason jars. For additional information call Ruth at (607)746-3980.

GUEST SPEAKERS

None.

OFFICER’S REPORTS

Secretary

A correction was made to last week’s minutes in that Governor Patterson’s budget cut was 90 million, not 24 million. Also, Colleges Against Cancer was not late last week.
The following clubs still need to clean out their mailboxes in the Student Activities Office in Thurston Hall: BSU, Bronco’s Fynest, Cheerleading, Honor Society, Parks and Recreation, Japanese Animation Club.

If you have an Adopt-A-Spot on campus, please make sure it is maintained. There have been cigarette butts on the ground outside of Thurston Hall, which is considered a “smoke-free zone,” so please keep your areas clean!

Treasurer

Thank you to the clubs who have reconciled their budgets. Clubs that still need to reconcile their budgets include the Ski Club, Japanese Animation Club, and Grilling Society.

Vice President

The Coca-Cola Presentation went well and they have a wide variety of beverages to offer. Also, Coca-Cola focuses heavily on recycling and campus involvement. All of the students who attended this presentation will also be attending a presentation by Pepsi next week.

The Assembly Conference in Binghamton was informative and the Chancellor spoke of her ideas for the SUNY system. Student representatives were impressed by the Chancellor’s vision for SUNY’s future.

The Association for the Promotion of Campus Activities (APCA) is this weekend at the Turning Stone Hotel. Students will be going to the conference to decide on upcoming student activities.

The Constitution Review Committee met. The CRC is waiting for constitution changes for the Psychology Club and Commuter Club before presenting these two new clubs to the Senate for approval.

The Grilling Society’s budget is frozen until further notice.

President

The meetings at the Assembly Conference were enlightening. Topics such as the Bundy Aid were discussed. There is a SUNY petition for the budget on Facebook called “Students Unbacked By New York.” The Student Senate will be sponsoring informational tables next week to inform students about the pending SUNY cuts and the impact they will have. Students will also be able to add their names to a petition that will be sent to Albany to express their opinion about the proposed cuts.
NEW BUSINESS

John Ford is resigning as advisor of the Grilling Society.

OLD BUSINESS

None.

FUTURE AGENDA

Students are wondering if green sheets could be done online in an effort to go green. It may be plausible but not in the near future.

OPEN DISCUSSION

Marty Greenfield gave thanks to the AGC and Delta Theta Gamma for helping with the Haunted House on Tuesday. Also, Marty hopes to see a lot of support for the upcoming events on Fall Weekend including the Asher Roth concert. Lastly, Farrell Hall construction continues at a brisk pace, and Student Senate Executive Board will be touring Farrell Hall before the next Senate meeting.

ADJOURNMENT

A motion to adjourn the meeting was made at 5:41PM by WIC and was seconded by the AGC. All were in favor with no one opposing or abstaining.