

# ***Kansas State University Students for the Right to Life***

## ***Meeting Minutes***

November 6, 2008

### **I. Call to order**

Lisa Hund, President called to order the regular meeting of the Kansas State University Students for the Right to Life at 7:03 pm on November 6, 2008 in Weber 221.

### **II. Roll call**

Lisa Hund, President, conducted roll call. The following persons were present: 5 voting student members, 0 voting honorary members, 3 non-voting student members, 1 non-voting honorary member, with 2 voting members missing, and 1 Advisor missing.

### **III. Approval of minutes from last meeting**

J. Peak, Treasurer, moved to approve the meeting minutes from the October 16, 2008 meeting. P. Ptomey seconded the motion. Vote unanimous.

### **IV. Officer Reports**

President, Lisa Hund: Nothing to report.

Vice President, Kristi Mendenhall: Led an icebreaker called "The Pretzel Game". All stand in a circle and grab the hand of a person across from them. Then you must unwind yourself without letting go of each other.

Secretary, Liz Gonzales: will be bringing copies of the minutes to the next meeting!

Treasurer, Janet Peak: Our current balance for the organization is \$625.78.

### **V. Chair Reports**

a) Outreach: This position is still open!

b) Publicity, Lauren Zey: may need a new chair representative because she has not been able to attend since the first few meetings.

c) Historian, Patrick Ptomey: got great pictures at Silent Day of Solidarity and at Life Chain: also got the article from the K-State Collegian about Life Chain for the Scrapbook.

d) March for Life, Jason Orme: Still looking at options on who to travel with; also let Jason know if you are interested in attending.

e) Fundraising: This position is still open!

## **VI. Open issues**

a) Open Positions:

- No nominations were taken for Outreach or for Fundraising

b) Pro-Life Day of Silent Solidarity and Life Chain Event Review:

- Patrick liked having the support of other people who believed in the same things that we did on abortion.
- Lisa had two great experiences, one was in the morning a man came and asked for information and then left. Later he came back and signed up and told her that he was a child born out of rape. He said that even though he had been still born the doctors revived him and he lived. He decided that he can't pass up the opportunity to support something like this.
- Jason thought Life Chain went really well and thought there were a lot more positive responses than negative response.
- Janet said that where she participated it ended up with 120 people standing together in the chain. People just stopped and joined.
- It was mentioned that for next years Life Chain we should get more press out to local churches for more participation.

c) Janet Peak, Report on Community Project opportunities our organization could be involved with: It was discussed getting in contact with MOPS (Mothers of Preschool Students) and Young Families for Life/Young Moms for Life in Topeka to see if we could do some activities with them. Activities could range from programs to volunteering.

## **VII. New business**

a) Organization T-Shirts: We had 8 designs that came in! 4 from Janet, 2 from Patrick, and 2

from Kristi. We had a Round Robin style voting beginning with 3 votes per person. We then narrowed the choices of t-shirts down to 3 and again had a Round Robin style. What was decided was that there were two t-shirts that we all really liked. Therefore Patrick and Janet will combine each others ideas together and bring them to the next meeting. The designs will be voted on and the winner will receive the grand prize!

b) Bramlage Fundraising Opportunities: There was interest expressed in participating in some Bramlage Clean-ups to raise money for our group. Bring your schedules to the next meeting so that we can discuss potential dates!

### **VIII. Announcements**

a) The next organization meeting is Thursday November 20th, 2008, at 7:00pm in Weber Hall Room 221.

### **IX. Adjournment**

Lisa Hund, President, adjourned the meeting at 8:07pm. (Moved L. Gonzales, Seconded J. Peak, Vote unanimous).

Minutes submitted by: Elizabeth Gonzales, Secretary