



Lafayette College Student Government General Body Meeting

Thursday, May 7th, 2026, 7:00 PM, *Kirby 104*

CALL TO ORDER

President Waxman called the meeting to order at 7:02 PM.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Treasurer Vale motioned to approve the minutes from April 30, 2026. Senator Zara Wilson seconded the motion, and it was unanimously approved.

ATTENDEES

Roll call was conducted by Hayden Cohen, Secretary. The attendance was recorded via this [sheet](#).

Present:

Allie Waxman '28, President
Annabel Hooey '28, Vice President
Grace Vale '27, Treasurer
Hayden Cohen '29, Secretary
Evalina Ibrahim '29, Inclusivity Officer
Amy Atuhaire '29, Parliamentarian

Matthew Epp '27, Senator
Lily Hoffman '27, Senator
Roy Nisson '27, Senator
Lily Nylund '27, Senator
Kate SantaMaria '27, Senator

Anoosh Ahsan '28, Senator
Will Bennett '28, Senator
Josh Horenstein '28, Senator
Chloe Miller '28, Senator
Doga Uzel '28, Senator

Josh George '29, Senator
Gwyn Horn '29, Senator
Adil Kulmanov '29, Senator
Clovis-Lato Nkamga '29, Senator
Trefor Thomas '29, Senator
Matt Valenta '29, Senator
Zara Wilson '29, Senator

Hannah Cohen '29, Student Observer

Teddy Sukernik '29, Student Observer

Absent:

Ryan Burns '27, Senator
Ahmir Crawley '27, Senator
Eniyah Rolle '28, Senator
Emerson Casper '28, Senator

BUSINESS

Committee Reports

Communications Committee:

- Revamp the Ttkok account
- Stugov quiz tabling video
- Dirty soda tabling
- Thursday instagram takeovers!

Budgets Committee:

- Allocated a bunch of money
- Held budget info sessions

Dining Committee:

- Meetings with dining all semester
- Upper Farinon takeover (that was a success!)
- Another takeover next semester
- Gather specific feedback to bring into dining meetings

DEI Committee:

- New bill was approved to revise the delegate system aiming to make it a more effective resource to clubs, especially in connecting them with Student Government

- Working on events in the future, to ensure that Lafayette is the most equitable place it can be

Pard Pantry

- Worked with student involvement to make sure dietary and religious needs are met in the Pard Pantry
- Implemented a shelf outside of the Pard Pantry so that students can have access to food around the clock

Internal Affairs Committee:

- Started in mid-march
- Go through absences, what counts, what doesn't
- Form in progress for student government grievances

Student Organizations Committee:

- Successfully carried out the club registration process
- Read applications, hosted interviews, utilized a new rubric to ensure clubs were all held to the same standards

Student Life Committee:

- Senator Ahmir Crawley
 - Worked with Public Safety to start the conversation about various issues, presented them to GB, currently in talks about fixing parking situation
- Senator Lily Hoffman
 - Residence life, met with Thor Banks several times, emphasis of laundry service and timers on machines
- Senator Josh George
 - Working with IT and Wifi issues
 - Met with the CIO and several important individuals within IT
 - Wifi evaluation
- Continued campus life initiative → successful implementation
- Collaborations with LAF
- The upperclassmen uplift project
- Future plans: finishing current projects, continuing campus life initiatives, and the upperclassmen uplift project in collaboration with President Allie Waxman

Academic Affairs Committee:

- Senator Adil Kulmanov
 - Worked with library creating resource flyers with what the library has to offer
- Senator Enihyah Rolle
 - Provost and dean's office in introducing new courses and syllabus depository website
- Senator Roy Nisson

- Academic resource hub
 - Superior student instructor award and stall talks
- Senator Josh George
 - Master resource sheet
 - Stugov monthly email suggestions, where academic resources would be listed that are pertinent to the time of year
- Future plans: finishing current projects and looking at course evaluations

Sustainability Liaison (Senator Chloe Miller)

- Worked with office of sustainability to host a raffle to educate students on the Climate Action Plan
- Earth fest tabling event
- GEC
- Sustainability Survey
- Regalia Hand Me Down Program
 - They don't know if gowns will stay maroon or switch back to black, so we will still collect gowns this year

Senator Shoutouts

Golden mic award: Senator Joshua George

Motion to Action award: Senator Chloe Miller

New voice and big impact award: Senator Lily Hoffman

Heart of the Senate award: Senator Lily Nylund

Steady hand award: Senator Will Bennett

Leadership through perspective award: Senator Matt Epp

OPEN FLOOR

Vice President Hooey reminded all of the Senators to sign up for a slot for Lafcot, which is tomorrow.

Senator Ahsan announced that former Student Government President Alex Brown was published in the

ANNOUNCEMENTS

We don't have set dates for GBMs over the summer (there will be two), but it will likely be June 25th, so keep an eye out on the group chat for those dates.

Peep of the Week

Senator Kate SantaMaria and Secretary Hayden Cohen! They planned an excellent spring club fair for the newly approved clubs!

ADJOURNMENT

Treasurer Vale motioned to adjourn the meeting at 7:24PM. Inclusivity Officer Ibrahim seconded the motion and it was unanimously approved.

Submitted by

Hayden Cohen '29, Secretary