Minutes from the Student Senate meeting 03/19/14.

Call to order at 4:04, with the pledge of allegiance, there was a quorum present.

Attendance: Andrew Potter, Wendy White, Mindy Kuka-Holm, Denise Brewer, Sarah Peterson, Ashley Betzel, Molly Grubb, Brad Shields, Joe Vernon, Ron Kling, Eric Neal, Annie Kling,

- **Old Business**
- The old minutes were approved.
- We discussed voting on the By Laws
- Ron moved to table voting on the By Laws, until the following week. The senate voted in agreement, the By Law voting was tabled until the following week, March 26th.
- We talked about how elections are going, and made sure everything is ironed out with that.

- **New Business**
- Denise brought up for discussion some of the changes that are being proposed to the By Laws, the changes concerning the Finance/Vending committee, and the changes concerning the administrative assistant’s roll in the senate.
- Denise brought up the idea of putting a written poll on the election ballot about whether Northern should go tobacco free or not, the Senate agreed.
- We talked about the people nominated to receive the golden-N award. Mark Sampson, Bill Swartz, and Barb Zuck were the ones nominated. After discussion it was voted in that all three nominees shall receive the golden-N award.

- **Club/Committee Reports**
- Joe said that the big project idea for earth day that we were thinking of doing will be too big and that he is going to look into finding a smaller project to do.
- Denise brings up the idea of repainting the Folf goals, and the big N on the hill as a possible project. This was discussed, and will be brought up again at the following meeting.
- We talked about how the posters for Bacchus should be done the first week in April.
- Sarah mentions that next Thursday at 8 Mike Winfield, a comedian will be performing.
- Ashley said that floor hockey is starting up this week; it will only be the two days. After floor hockey the next intermural will be softball.
- Ron acknowledged Mindy Kuka-Holm, a 1st year nursing student. Mindy asked about whether they needed Senate approval to host a fundraiser. It was deemed that no, you don’t, but that the fundraiser they are wanting to do will not be allowed, because it involves firearms.

- **Meeting Adjourned at 4:49**