



RPI TV Meeting Minutes

15 September 2009

Officers Present

Mike DiTore, Scott Altman, Dan Falkenstrom, Reilly Hamilton, Kyle Mackenzie, Colin Sullivan, John Isabella, Sean Andrese, Thomas Falls, Haris Khan

Members Present

Andrew Armenia, Raymond Colon, Charlie Emala, Matthias Galvin, Rob Humphreys, Ryan Kemper, Gabriel Malveaux, Robert McDonald, Tiffany Milano, Alexandra Niaura, Luis Peraza, James Petranik, Zachary Rowe, Mackenzie Sullivan, Andrew Tamoney, Vincent Terranova, Holden Tseeng

Non-Members Present

Kyle Mackson

Mike opens the meeting "Good afternoon, RPI TV". We have all kinds of great things coming up. Scott on operations: last weekend Football went very well. Dan reads an email we've received from the Assistant Football coach, congratulating us on our hard work. We are always trying to improve ourselves technically, and always appreciate these comments. There were some press passes left over, Mike asks if anyone has a press pass and Kyle says "You can have mine over my dead body."

This weekend, we will have a few less people than last week, but we will be training people on the scoreboard, or graphics systems if interested. Call time will be 10:30a at the RPI TV room in the Union on Saturday. We also filmed/broadcasted a senate meeting this week, which we will continue to do each week.

Kyle Mackenzie talks about the server that we will be purchasing soon. This new server will allow us to encode videos much quicker than we currently do, so we can get them online faster. It will also allow us to archive our productions for longer. We are also purchasing a tripod and Gaff tape. Kyle asks if anyone can "acquire" any gaff tape, and Charlie (jokingly, of course) says "Just call me when you want me to steal it".

There are still one or two members who have been untrained.

We have also been working on a new equipment policy for quite some time. If anyone is interested in looking at the document-in-progress, please feel free to let us know. At RPI TV, to pass a new document, voting members (any member who has been to two RPI TV events) must approve it by a vote.

Reilly tells the members that if they would like to have a picture for their profile on RPITV.org, just email it to rpitv-web@rpi.edu.

Scott on Swine Flu: RPI TV's advice on Swine Flu is to "stay away from swine". Seriously, if you are sick, don't come to our meetings or events. Mike says that if you are sick at an event, you will be able to leave with absolutely no penalty!

Mike tells the members that we are running low on our food budget since the Union has decided that this is not essential to the operation of our club. In the future we will be pooling together a "doughnuts fund", which will allow us to buy doughnuts or pizza.

Dan on creative productions: Tomorrow we are having our first "Wednesday Night Live" of the season featuring the band "Elf Project". "Wednesday Night Live" is where WRPI hosts a band in their studio to play a set, and we film and later stream it online. We will be meeting at 5pm at our room in the union, and after that we will be at WRPI's studio in the basement of the DCC.

Tonight is the party outside the Union for "Hockey Line". Dan asks if anyone would like to go out with a camera and shoot a news story. There will be another news segment on the Freshman elections as well.

Friday, the 25th will be Cultural Pride Night, which will be a fun event as well.