



UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH ALABAMA
FIRST YEAR COUNCIL

March 20th, 2025

- **Roll Call**
- **Approval of Minutes**
- **Ice Breaker: What do you wish was illegal? What is a real thing that shouldn't be real but is?**
- **Guest Speaker: The Southerners**
 - **Oozeball - Largest fundraising event at the university**
 - **Team of 6, 3 guys 3 girls, a Southerner will host the team, and money goes toward the Southerner Excellence Scholarship**
 - **April 19th, 2025**
 - **Details and updates on @usasoutherners**
 - **Free lunch and t-shirt, chance to win Grand Prize, double elimination**
 - **Entry forms and liability waivers are due April 14th**
 - **The Mud Pits by the indoor training facilities for football**
- **Officer Reports**
 - **Martha Claire Thaxton: President -**
 - So glad to be back
 - I will not be here next week
 - Out of the Darkness walk where FYC makes the team for it, more information to come, message Martha Claire if going to the walk, for Suicide Prevention, **April 5th at 10 am**
 - **Owen Stubbs: Vice President -**
 - Google Calendar is updated, if you have anything, feel free to let me know
 - Work on your transition booklets
 - Make sure committee chairs submit reports
 - **Olivia McDonald: Secretary -**

- 10 office hours 3 SGA meetings
- **Committee Reports**
 - Governmental Relations: Benjamin Bruce
 - April 1st, Voter Registration Drive, if you sign up, leave the red block alone
 - Promoting trivia night on April 8th, a Tuesday night, details in the drive from 6-7 pm in the back room of the cafeteria
 - Student Engagement: Katie Shanks
 - Spring Fling is next Thursday
 - Be at rec center pool no later than 5:30 pm, might need people earlier
 - We are making a balloon arch next week early in the week if you can help
 - The sheet will be sent out to sign up
 - T-Shirts will be sent in soon, we will wear them Thursday to get the word out
 - Tabling next Monday from 10-1 to promote Spring Fling
 - Campus Safety and Improvement: Helen Hendrix
 - Partnering with SGA to do a Spring Cleanup on April 6th from 10-2 in the residential area
 - Mural unveiling went very well
 - Office hours for cleanup
 - Student Resources and Outreach: Olivia Keller
 - Trivia night is April 8th, can win South merch
 - From 11-1 April 8th, tabling for the event
 - Public Relations and Marketing: Liza Mays
 - FYC Friday is tomorrow, please wear polos tomorrow
 - You get 30 minutes of office hours, and the person who took a selfie of you can send it to Instagram
 - JP-At-Large: Bryson Beverly

- JP is hosting Midday Melodies from 11-1 in the food court
- **Old Business**
- **New Business**
- **Sprinks Speaks**
 - The mural unveiling went well, everyone is very excited about it
 - Spring Fling, is mandatory, let us know if you cannot make it

- **Hone in with Hamilton:**

Convocation Speaker Committee Chair

- Committee for choosing convocation speaker, the opportunity to nominate people tonight who would excel in that
- Nominations, anyone nominated, send Mak a paragraph on what you think leadership is
- If you are a nominee and plan on running for convocation speaker, let Mak know, because you cannot be committee chair if you apply for convocation speaker
- **Student Forum**
 - **South for St. Judge's first meeting on March 25th from 6-7 pm in the same room as Thursday's meetings**
 - **ASCE Lab Cleanup at 4 pm at the Chemistry Lab Building on the side**
 - **Opera event on March 30th at 3 pm on a Sunday, Emily will be performing at Laidlaw Performing Arts Center**
- **Announcements**
- **Adjourn**