Korean Conversation Club

Constitution 10/12/2007

Article I Name & Purpose

Section 1

This organization shall be known as the Korean Conversation Club.

Section 2

The purpose of this club shall be to teach the North Carolina State University community the language and culture of Korea and to provide a means for students to learn the Korean language in a campus setting.

Article II Membership

Section 1

Membership shall be open to all regularly enrolled students or faculty who are interested in learning or teaching the Korean Language.

Section 2

There are no means of selecting members. All people shall be allowed in the club as long as they have the passion and the desire to learn or teach Korean and they are not on Academic Probation.

Article III Officers

Section 1

The elective officers for this club shall be the organizers of meetings, social functions, and responsible for letting members know of meeting locations and times.

Section 2

The officers shall be elected by the club members to serve a term of one year, beginning in September. One officer position will always be filled by a mentor to help facilitate pairing mentors with students.

Article IV Dues

Section 1

No dues are required by the Korean Conversation Club.

Article V Amending the Constitution and by-laws

Section 1

Amendments to the constitution or by-laws shall be presented by members of the club in writing and read at a regular meeting but shall not be voted upon until the next regular meeting, and then only after informing each member of the proposed amendments. A majority of 2/3 of the members present and voting shall be required.

Article VI Meetings

Section 1

Requirements of mentors include: volunteering to teach Korean and Korean culture; speak Korean fluently and know Korean grammar well; ability to explain Korean in English; consistent attending except special excuses (no more than 3 absences); should find a substitute for missing days; and be on time for class. Requirements of students include: those who know Korean alphabets at least can have own mentor, otherwise there is a beginner's group; consistent attending except special excuses (no more than 3 absences); if you cannot attend, should notify the President and mentor 1-2 days in advance; and be on time for class.

Section 2

Meetings occur once a week and the first 15 minutes of the meeting is allotted as time for the entire group to learn something about Korean culture. Students can choose their own topics and interests to study. As long as there are enough mentors, there will be one-on-one learning for each student that is not designated as a beginner.

Article VII Committees

Section 1

There is no necessity for committees, but if the need ever occurs committees will be formed by voting for each position.