Campus Recreation Advisory Council

Meeting Minutes

55 Campus Recreation Conference Room, Campus Recreation Center
February 24, 2009, 4:45 PM

Members Present: Caroline Anderson, Brett Bogenrief, Emily Ives, LaRita Lang, Marti McDonald, Roshan Pajnigar, Fatemeh Parsa, David Pelster, R.J. Shute, Larry Takechi, Alex Weingarten, Mallory Wittstruck

Members Absent: David Jackson (excused)

C.R.A.C. Advisor Mark Powell and Campus Recreation director Stan Campbell were present.

Fatemeh Parsa called the meeting to order.

Brett Bogenrief made and LaRita Lang seconded a motion to approve the minutes from February 10, 2009 with one editorial change. The motion received unanimous approval.

III. Open Forum and Announcements

A. Connect Party Presentation/Questions (10 minutes) - Megan Collins, Amanda Crook and Jared Tidemann introduced the CONNECT party platform. The platform includes creating a traditions council, promoting campus nightlife, and enhancing UNL’s sustainability efforts. The CONNECT party supports the recommendation for improvement of Campus Recreation and Health Center facilities.

B. CRec Budget Request Update - CFA unanimously approved both of the 2009-10 Campus Recreation budget requests.

C. ASUN Budget Vote - ASUN will vote on our budget requests on Feb. 25 at approximately 7:00 PM.

D. Wellness Facilities Referendum Update – The Campus Wellness Ad Hoc Committee is still promoting the wellness facilities referendum and speaking to a variety of student organizations and clubs. It is believed that every organization, committee members have spoken to, has endorsed the referendum language.

IV. Committee Reports

A. Executive Committee – VP/Treasurer Shute reported that the C.R.A.C. fund has a balance of $480.80.

B. Business Operations/Member Services – No report.

C. East Campus Recreation - Please vote on March 4. Also, to note, there was another obstruction in the water line at the Activities Building. The earlier steam leak cost Campus Recreation in excess of $10,000 to repair.

D. External Relations - There are several events coming up in the near future. There are Alumni Functions in Raleigh, NC on April 4, a spring football game tailgate on April 18 and Intercampus Golf Tournament on May 11. Additionally, C.R.A.C. watched the recently released 2009 GET REC’d video.

E. Facilities Management and Operations – Bill Goa has been working on the bids for the tennis and basketball courts. More information to come soon.

F. Fitness & Wellness Services - Fitness and Wellness Services are replacing the stationary bikes at the manufactures cost in the Strength Training and Conditioning Room, due to maintenance concerns. Additionally, there will be a fitness challenge next week and 11 teams have registered.
G. Injury Prevention and Care - The Athletic Training Basics class is going well and there are currently 40 students enrolled. I.P.C. is looking to hire new student workers for next year and are looking for one new massage therapist. I.P.C. is losing its lone male massage therapist. Coming up soon is a spring break massage sale.

H. Membership Selection & Rules Committee - The membership selection and rules committee is still seeking residence hall candidates for the 2009-10 C.R.A.C. Seventeen total applications have been submitted thus far for the 9 student positions (Greek, Off Campus, and Residence Hall).

V. New Business
   A. Laser Tag Refund - Brett Bogenrief made and David Pelster seconded a motion to reimburse Alex Weingarten, from the C.R.A.C.fund, for the C.R.A.C. Co-Rec Intramural Sports Laser Tag entry fee. The motion received unanimous approval.
   B. Intramural Sports Swim Meet – Members of the UNL Swim Club have asked to reinstate the swim meet. The intramural and extramural sports committee members will research and discuss this proposal with Ron Miller, Assistant Director for Intramural Sports. C.R.A.C. will discuss this item further at the March 10 meeting.

David Pelster made and Marti McDonald seconded a motion to adjourn the meeting. The motion was approved without dissent. The meeting was adjourned at 5:47 PM.

The next meeting will be on March 10, 2009 at 4:45 PM in Conference Room 55C at the Campus Recreation Center.

Respectfully submitted by,

Emily Ives
C.R.A.C. Secretary