Campus Recreation Advisory Council
Meeting Minutes
Campus Recreation Center, Conference Room 55C
December 1, 2009, 4:30 PM

Members Present: Brittany Benson, Ryan Hoffman, Emily Ives, Dylan Knuth, Pat Macy, Pete Maslowski, Kristen Ostdiek, Roshan Pajnigar, David Pelster, Larry Takechi, Alex Weingarten, LaRita Lang and Mallory Wittstruck

Members Absent: Marti McDonald (excused)

CRAC Advisor Mark Powell and Campus Recreation director Stan Campbell were present.

President Ives called the meeting to order

Larry Takechi made and Alex Weingarten seconded a motion to approve the minutes from November 17, 2009. The motion received unanimous approval.

Open Forum and Announcements:
A. Campus Wellness Ad Hoc Committee: The committee has narrowed down the choices to two possible referendum recommendations and will present the final recommendation to ASUN on Wednesday, December 9, 2009.
B. Advisory Council Holiday Party and Gift Exchange Rules: The council's Holiday Party is scheduled for December 8, 4:30 PM at the Schorr Center. Council members voted on Granite City as the food of choice with the council budget covering the expense of the catering. Members were also encouraged to bring a $12 gift to participate in the annual Gift Exchange. Gift Exchange Rules were distributed.

Facility Project Updates: The Mabel Lee Hall Pool findings should be known by the end of the week as Campus Recreation is waiting for the consultant’s report. The consultants project the repairs to cost approximately $500,000 to $2 million. The Wiese property purchase is on the agenda for the Board of Regents meeting Friday, December 11.

Committee Reports:
A. Instructional Programming and Staff Development: They are in need of additional instructors for new classes and want input on current programs and possible new programs that are needed. All suggestions should be sent to Vicki Highstreet, Senior Assistant Director. As more departments require CPR classes it has drastically increased the student enrollment.
B. Intramural and Extramural Sports: Forfeit rates decreased in sand volleyball and softball. However, forfeit rates increased in flag-football due to the rainy conditions.
C. Membership Selection and Rules: 2010-11 Advisory Council applications will be available January 4, 2010 with the deadline being Friday, February 19, 2010. Applications will be available to any UNL student at the Campus Recreation Center and the East Campus Activities Building, as well as at GET REC’d. The current council members will also need to reapply for their position. Any council member that will not be reapplying should let Mark Powell know if interested in serving as an interviewer. CRAC appoints nine and ASUN appoints three of the twelve students on the council.
D. **Outdoor Adventures:** Staff expressed that they are running out of space with three professionals and encourage possibilities of moving locations. Outdoor Adventures prefers a 8,000-10,000 sq. ft. space compared to their current 3,000 sq ft.

E. **Social:** CRAC Holiday party will take place December 8, 2009 at the Schorr Center at 4:30 PM with members participating in a Gift Exchange.

F. **Sport Clubs, Youth Activities, and Aquatics:** Mabel Lee Hall Pool activities have been rescheduled, cancelled or moved in case the pool no longer meets standards, which will greatly affect SCUBA classes and the water polo sport club. Consultants will give Campus Recreation their recommendations at the end of this week. Aquatics has talked to the Athletic Department about possibly renting the Devaney Sports Center pool.

**Unfinished Business:** Congratulations to Brittany Benson and the UNL co-rec team, D-Unit, for winning the ACIS Regional College Flag Football Championship. The team will compete at the National Championships in New Orleans, Dec. 29-31.

**New Business:**
A. Kristen Ostdiek lectured a Nutrition class with approximately 200 students in it about osteoporosis. CRAC members were encouraged to attend her second lecture.

B. CRAC Battleship: Two teams of four will represent CRAC at the Intramural Battleship competition Sunday, December 6, 2009 at 6:00 p.m.

C. UNL Empowerment Forum: On Friday, February 26, 2010 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the Jackie Gaughan Multicultural Center, UNL faculty, staff and students who have an interest in discussing the challenges we face in dealing with diversity issues are encouraged to attend the forum. Students have the opportunity to come and go as classes permit with lunch provided. There is no cost for the forum, but space is limited.

**Motion to Adjourn:**
Alex Weingarten made and Dylan Knuth seconded a motion to adjourn the meeting at 5:18 p.m. The motion received unanimous approval.

**Next Meeting:**
Next meeting, December 8, 4:30 p.m., Schorr Center, 2nd Floor

Respectfully submitted by,

Mallory Wittstruck
Secretary