

University of Nebraska
Office of Campus Recreation
Responses to
Comments and Suggestions
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1. A few more clocks in the weight room. I use the second hand on my watch to keep track of rest between sets. A few more clocks would mean that I wouldn't have to wear a watch. Thanks.

Thank you for your comments. We will look into your suggestion.

2. What about a magazine rack and recycling for the newspapers?

Thank you for your ideas. We have provided a magazine rack and magazines in the past but clutter and safety issues from pages and inserts from the magazines caused us to go away from providing magazines. We are researching the addition of newspaper as well as other recycling opportunities in our facilities.

3. Keep a bench by the Smith machine at all times. Thank you.

Thank you for your comments. We will look into your suggestion.

4. You have to get rugby balls.

Thank you for your comment.

5. Move badminton courts away from b-ball baskets. There are a bunch of birdies up there!!

We are unable to move badminton to different courts. If your birdie gets stuck on a b-ball hoop, please go to Husker Red's and ask a Facility Manager to get it for you.

6. The scheduling of the Ultimate Frisbee tournament was a very poor choice. Over half of my team rightfully is not willing to skip church, therefore it ends up being a waste of money.

We apologize for the inconvenience. Please stop by the office to discuss a refund.

7. On intramural sign-ups, it does not say when the contests will be held on a lot of them.

Thank you for bringing this to our attention. We will double check all flyers for play date information.

8. Post the schedule for the Cook; i.e., when baseball or lacrosse will be in there.

The weekly calendars are posted outside Cook Pavilion on the bulletin board by the computers.

9. Again the music in the conditioning room is too loud. The video programs are targeted for urban NY, LA, Philly, Miami and not Lincoln, NE. To be forced to watch a bunch of low life thugs scream about pimps and hoes and their money is inhumane. Someone needs to take a better look at what is put out by mtv-U. UNL is no place for ghetto attitudes.

Recently, UNL has entered into a contractual agreement with mtv-U to supply eight (8) LCD TVs in the Strength and Conditioning Room at no cost to the University. Due to the agreement, we are obligated to turn five (5) of the TVs to mtv-u, with the freedom to select channels for the other three (3) sets. We intend to keep the volume of mtv-U programming at a minimum so that it is easily heard, yet does not disrupt those using headphones to hear their own music or listening to the FM transmission from the other three (3) TVs. The decision to enter into the mtv-U contract was approved by the Campus Recreation Advisory Council. This is a group of twelve (12) students and three (3) faculty/staff members. The contract proposal received unanimous approval and met with considerable enthusiasm from the members. Thank you for your comment.

10. mtv-U is BAD!!!!

Please see the answer to number ten (10).

11. Would it be possible to return the TVs so that we can get rid of mtv-U. It is terrible!

Please see the answer to number ten (10).

12. mtv-U is the worst idea in the history of mankind! Please bring back satellite radio.

Please see the answer to number ten (10).

13. Every day I have to put up with the urban ghetto rap and hip hop that mtv-U puts out. I ask the attendant to turn it down and they roll their eyes and reluctantly do so. I have talked to the administration and nothing is done. This is getting old. You made a big mistake by selling out to mtv-U and you won't even admit it or make it right.

Please see the answer to number ten (10).

14. Music was too loud again today. The ghetto rap, hip-hop noise has continued to disrupt my workout. The video noise is weak. Is there no way to change the agreement with mtv-U and move the monitors into an area outside the conditioning room? Why would you agree to that programming?

Please see the answer to number ten (10).

15. The poor drainage in the large men's shower near the swimming pool has reached epic proportions. This may be in part due to the guys who clean their field gear and fill the drains with sand—ROTC?

Thank you for bringing this to our attention. When this happens, please come to the office or call 610-2341 so we can address the problem in a timely manner.

16. Someone has been washing muddy field equipment in the men's locker room shower. The drains are full of dirt. This isn't the first time.

Please see the answer to number 16.

17. Please fix shower gel dispensers in men's showers. Thanks! Some are broken, some are missing altogether.

Thank you for calling this to our attention. We will check the dispensers daily.