

Campus Recreation Advisory Council

Meeting Minutes

Campus Recreation Center, Suite 230, Conference Room C

April 1, 2014, 4:30 p.m.

I. Call to Order and Roll Call

Members Present: Jonathan Berger, Jana Dietsch, Nathan Hubert, LaRita Lang, Marissa McCormick, Valerie Pavlicek, Jim Steadman, Eddie Walters, Tiffany Wieser, Skyler Zeller, Deb Johnson (Advisor), and Stan Campbell (Director)

Members Absent and Excused: Karen Kassebaum, Glen Ready, Gabe Ryland, and Jordyn Tollefson

The meeting was called to order at 4:34 p.m. by Vice President Marissa McCormick.

II. Review and Approval of March 18th Meeting Minutes

The minutes were approved.

III. Campus Recreation Updates

A. Intramural & Extramural Sports (Marissa McCormick & Nate Hubert)

Nate reported that 4 on 4 flag football deadline are today. This is the second year of flag football so hope for increase in numbers, had 20 teams last year. First year of kickball and the deadline is on April 15th. Had one of the students who work in the office win the outstanding student leadership award. Ejections are down over 50% from last year. There are currently 21 international student officials and supervisors.

B. Marketing & Technology (Karen Kassebaum, Glen Ready, & Jordyn Tollefson)

Deb Johnson reported that there has been new signage around for construction. Working close with IT for digital signage updates. They are marketing the Purely Pink event to let guys know that they cannot be in the weight room during this time. The blog was launched this week. It will be coming out every Tuesday and Friday. Today the blog was about Purely Pink and why women should do strength and conditioning. Other blogs to come will be from other professionals on staff. Today they were especially busy with trying to get the word out that the day passes have been increased to 10 dollars.

C. Member Services (Tiffany Weiser & Skyler Zeller)

Tiffany reported that they recently promoted 3 support specialists to facility managers and 12 ID checkers to support specialists. They are doing a different training now in groups instead of individually. The promoted ID checkers will go over memberships, lockers, activities, passes, and rentals in 3 separate sessions and will then take a test. The promoted support specialists will shadow facility managers and once the facility manager thinks they are ready, they can start working on their own. They are selling 2 new naked juice kinds.

D. Outdoor Adventures (Nathan Hubert)

Nathan reported that they had a staff meeting on updates. On April 12th will be the 5 state climbing competitions. 60 out of 100 spots are currently filled and will probably

fill the rest by the time the competition begins. They will be setting out routes tomorrow. There are 2 back packing trips left and a surfing one. All trips except the Niobrara and Rock City Easter weekend trips are full. They are also training new facility managers for the new OA building.

E. Sport Clubs, Youth Activities, & Aquatics (Valerie Pavlicek & LaRita Lang)

Valerie reported that many Sports Club teams have Nationals coming up. By the end of the semester will have a recognized Racquetball sports club. Shannon is working on revising their constitution. Aquatics are currently hiring summer lifeguards. Currently have one full lifeguard class. There will be a recertification class offered this weekend that is open to the public. Next semester will offer an Academic class for instructor training (which is a step up from a lifeguard). The Mable Lee Hall pool motor is fixed, but waiting for the temperature to increase before use. Hopefully, it will be ready by next Thursday. Second session swimming lessons are starting. Youth activities are holding interviews this week for Husker Kids summer camps. They had 65 applicants this year with lots of returning workers. There are currently 2 full weeks and others have only about 20 spots left each. Itty bitty soccer begins today with having good numbers.

F. Sponsorship & Development (Jana Dietsch)

Jana reported that the Purely Pink event is on Friday. After orientation women will be given a card to redeem a free shirt, manicure, or massage. Each participant will also receive yogurt parfaits and shower bags. They also received uniforms from adidas for the new Outdoor Adventures building staff. Adidas is also now connected to NIRSA. A new dietetics internship program was put into place in honor of Karen Miller. The alumni golf tournament is coming up soon.

G. Wellness Services & Fitness Programs (Skyler Zeller, Eddie Walters & LaRita Lang)

Skyler reported that strength and conditioning has been moved to court 1 and has been really busy, but should be fine through the summer. Katie Wilder has been hearing concerns about the super circuit being changed. Some concerns include that it is too difficult to change weights and takes too much time, those who have visual impairment has made it hard, the clock is not visible and not loud enough. From these concerns they are taking action and giving patrons more time to adjust to the change. They do have staff available at certain times to help. Also, putting in an additional clock and turning the volume up on the clock(s) to help fix that problem. Even though there are concerns, some people do like the new set up. Also, it has been said that Court 1 is now too hot and are working with facility management to fix that problem.

Eddie reported that the Fit at Work Challenge is coming up. CASNR Fun Run is on April 12th at 9 a.m. Wear purple to the run to help remember Karen Miller and to support pancreatic cancer research. A free stress management session is also coming up.

IV. Open Forum and Announcements

A. Outdoor Adventures Center

The construction progress meeting was held this morning. Domestic water turned on by end of the day. Climbing center will bring in cleaning team at end of week. Route setting tomorrow. They are planning for final checklist tomorrow. Above ceiling

work finished so will begin inlaid tile installation tomorrow. The bike shop will be done by the end of the week. The kitchen work continues with the return of the stainless steel top back to be redone and will get it back by April 9th. The parking lot will be closed at the end of the week for cleaning and stripping. Site work lights will be installed by the end of next week. Member services' desk hasn't been manufactured yet. Door height issue has been resolved, but not installed yet. Lockers room are almost done, but haven't started on gender neutral locker yet. Lockers will be completely done by competition except gender neutral. Telephone line (with Windstream) should be in tomorrow (need all those before fire and safety can be installed). April 18th is the target deadline for the project to be complete.

B. East Campus Rec Center

Construction continues. Steel is up on the west addition and for a portion of the south addition. As of last Tuesday the Activities Building balcony had not yet been demolished. Completion is about a year away.

C. Campus Rec Center Renovation

Contractor was here today and will begin work in the next couple of weeks. The hallway to strength and conditioning will be closed to speed up construction.

D. Breslow Ice Center

Board of Regents approved the project's Program Statement and Budget. Design development will begin as soon as the NU foundation gives approval.

V. New Business

A. 2014-2015 Board Slate – ASUN has not done their appointments yet so they will choose one off-campus, Greek, and residential housing council members from our application pool as well. The slate does not have faculty/staff appointments on there yet. Jana Dietsch made the motion to approve the slate and LaRita Lang seconded the motion to approve the slated positions. There was a unanimous vote of approval of the slate. It was brought up to consider a change in bylaws to require a graduate student on the council.

B. Cleaning Park Next Week – Campus Rec has picked a park to keep clean (Ironhorse Park) in the Haymarket. CRAC will clean it next week after the meeting and hang out afterwards.

VI. Unfinished Business + Reminders

A. Purely Pink event – Friday, April 4th, 3-5 p.m. at the Campus Recreation Center

B. MASA Banquet – Friday, April 4th, 6:30 p.m. at the Nebraska Union

VII. Motion to Adjourn

Eddie Walters made and Jonathan Berger seconded a motion to adjourn the meeting. The meeting was adjourned without dissent at 5:22 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by,

Valerie Pavlicek
Secretary

Upcoming Meetings:

April 8 4:30 p.m. Campus Recreation Center, Suite 230C, **2014-15 Members & Current Execs**

April 15 4:30 p.m. Outdoor Adventures Center, Conference Room - tentative

April 29 4:30 p.m. End of Semester Social, TBA