

Staff Council Meeting Minutes
Tuesday, March 19, 2013 at 10:00am

The meeting was called to order at 10:02am by Chair, Bridgette Gibbs.

Those in attendance were: Ann Clifton, Michael Eden, Bridgette Gibbs (Chair), Betsy Graham, Lindsey Griffin, Bonny King, Ray Porter, Rodney Rymer, Michael Swan, and Alexandra Watts (Treasurer).

The February 2013 meeting minutes were reviewed and approved by Michael Swan and seconded by Betsy Graham.

Treasurer Report was provided by Alexandra Watts. A total of \$69.00 is in the account. The two staff awards will be paid for soon out of the account making our balance overdue by \$1.00 but we are planning fundraisers for later this semester.

Rowan Helping Ministries Drive Update – The February 2013 drive was a great success. RHM was very appreciative of our support.

Staff Development Programs:

- a. Alexander Technique with Missy Barnes Report scheduled for:
Tuesday, March 12 at 2pm in the Hurley Room – 3 participated – we were able to do parts inside and outside.
Thursday, April 25 at 1pm in the Hurley Room – Please join if you can because this will be the last opportunity of the semester.
- b. Frontline Staff – “Creating a Culture of Service Excellence” will be scheduled for April 2013. The Board of Trustee member still has the disk right now. This session will be open to staff and faculty.
- c. The Biggest Loser competition will be ending on Tuesday, April 2.

Fundraiser Updates:

- a. Jewelry Swap – Alexandra Watts, coordinator has scheduled this event for Wednesday, April 3 at lunch in the Hurley Room. She will get the idea together and if she needs assistance she will contact Staff Council members to assist.
- b. Hap’s Grill Truck – Michael Swan will present the following dates to Hap’s to see if these dates work: Friday, April 19 during lunch (Catawbapalooza) for faculty/staff/students and Friday, April 5 during the evening – Lacrosse and Baseball games. Michael Swan and Michael Eden will discuss the April 5 date with those in Athletics that need to approve.

Nomination of Staff Council – Elect: Vote will take place at the April Meeting after Bridgette contacts the people that are nominated for position before placing on the ballot if they aren’t present at meeting. Rodney Rymer and Michael Swan were nominated to be placed on the ballot. Nominations will be accepted until Friday, March 22.

We had a discussion of the members that are scheduled to **rotate off** of Staff Council in May 2013. The replacement process will begin soon after the April meeting so that the new members can attend the May meeting.

Other Items:

There was a Challenge e-mailed to Bridgette Gibbs (Chair) to present to Staff Council from a staff member. It was discussed and will be evaluated at the April meeting to see how we feel we should proceed.

Michael Eden and Michael Swan brought up the parking lot near the Field House and fields again. This area truly needs attention. Michael Eden was planning on having a conversation with Ben Smith and Eric Nianouris following this meeting.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:52am by Chair, Bridgette Gibbs.

Respectfully submitted by Bridgette Gibbs