



Student Services Council

June 26, 2012

Meeting Notes

In lieu of meeting notes, the following staff members have provided data to be shared:

Lisa Matye Edwards -

- Roxana Ahmadifard is back in Longview, but will still be out addressing medical issues with her dad. We wish her well and if you have anything that needs to be addressed in her absence, please let me know. Marcy is addressing Running Start and Kami has Outreach covered.
- Congratulations to Tamra Bell! She has accepted the WorkBased Learning position and will begin transitioning soon.
- Don't forget to route your credit card receipts to Sandie so reminders won't be necessary!
- Classes start Monday, July 2 and Financial Aid checks will go in the mail starting on Wednesday, June 27.
- Lisa will be at Cabinet retreat all day Wednesday and Thursday, and out the first week of classes.

Marisa Garrison –

- There have been a total of 11 Summer Quarter appeals and 6 of those have been reinstated and 5 of those have been denied.

Betty Hayes –

- Educational Talent Search has 489/500 participants
- We will be concentrating on content rather than recruitment next year
- July 19 - trip for 9th, 10th, 11th grades – A Day in Seattle
- August 14 - trip for 6th, 7th, 8th grades – Oregon Zoo
- Currently meeting with HS graduates to give Compass waivers, register for LCC classes, etc.

Chad Meadors –

- Discussed the new student orientation classes being completed by 6/27/12 and how are staff has restructured the orientation in a positive way.
- Thanked Jenny for all of her great work in the testing office
- Lupe Rodriquez has been hired part-time in the testing office
- Chad, Judith, and Nichole will be attending the College Fish Conference and ADP-Pro Training in Walla Walla June 28-30.

Amber Lemiere –

- Advising & Testing has been working hard to revamp New Student Orientation (adding video interviews with people across campus to make it more dynamic).

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- Today was the last day for Ability to Benefit testing, but we will keep this recently created website active in order to make this more clear to student and staff/faculty:
<http://lowercolumbia.edu/nr/exeres/C724B09F-20C3-43DD-8CEE-97514FBF43C2>
- The GED webpage has been updated too: www.lowercolumbia.edu/GED
- We just changed the placement messages for Compass to reflect the changes to English, and we are working on changing our forms as well. Please let us know if you seen anything that might need to be altered or improved.

Jenny Smith –

- Jenny is transitioning into Career Services full time to bridge the gap now that Tamra is going to be in charge of Work Based Learning. As much as possible, cross-training is happening to assure that Amber knows everything Jenny knows and that Jenny know what Tamra knows in support of the two programs

Marcy Gilchrist –

- Four Running Start orientations completed (150 students)! They were mandatory for student and guardian in order to participate in RS. We'll have two more in August and anticipate at least 30 more students in our second wave of applicants.
- All who attended received a booklet that included the materials we covered. They also received their student ID with a fall quarter sticker.
- Students were told to go to the entry center the end of August for their parking permits
- It was communicated to parents and students that **all** registration transactions must occur in the RS office. Please do not alter their schedule or register them...send them to the RS office.

Megan Jasurda –

- Welcome to new DSS staff member Shalaina Joiner!

Megan Wiggins –

- Student Planners will be available to pick up in the Student Activities Office starting the first of September.

Patrick Boerner –

- Patrick attended the one day training on CollegeFish in Seattle on 6/26/12 to learn about this new online program being developed by PTK to assist community college transfer students.

Kirc Roland –

- Upcoming athletic dates for 2012-13
 - Athletics Orientation Monday September 17th, 7 pm
 - Athletics Booster Club Spaghetti Feed Tuesday November 13th, 5:30 pm
 - Red/Basketball Scrimmage Tuesday November 13th, 7 pm
 - NWAACC Volleyball Championships Thursday November 15th

- Red Devil Classic Friday November 23rd - Sunday November 25th
- LCC Women's Holiday Classic Friday December 28th - Sunday December 30th
- LCC Athletics Auction Saturday January 19th, 6pm
- NWAACC Basketball Championships Saturday March 2nd – Tuesday March 5th
- Lower Columbia High School All-Star Games Tuesday March 12th, 6 pm
- NWAACC Baseball Championships Thursday May 23rd – Monday May 27th
- NWAACC Convention Bellevue Thursday May 30th – Friday May 31st
- LCC Athletics Award Extravaganza Thursday June 6th or TBA
- LCC Commencement Friday June 14th, 7 pm
- Red Devil Athletics Golf Classic TBA

The next Student Services Council meeting is scheduled for July 24 at 9:00 in the Heritage Room.

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