



Recreation and Wellness Center

UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO
COLORADO SPRINGS

UCCS Campus Recreation Advisory Board Regular Meeting

Meeting Minutes

November 3, 2017

12:30 pm

Gallogly Recreation & Wellness Center, Multi-Purpose Room

I. CALL TO ORDER

President Blanchard called to order the regular monthly board meeting of the Recreation Advisory Board at 12:38 pm on November 3, 2017 at the Gallogly Recreation & Wellness Center Multipurpose Room.

A. Roll Call

Present: Shelby Blanchard, Chris Ellis, Shonda Johnson, Tamara Marshall, Joey Vijayam, Emily Garberding, Dr. Vicki Schober, Steve Jennings (came in at 12:40pm)

Campus Recreation Staff Present:

Ex-Officio Members Present: Trent Claypool, Skyler Rorabaugh

Absent: K.C. Craig, Taylor Lindsay, Danielle Morin, Cole Martin, Emily Hampson, Braden Hull, Merri Metcalfe

Others:

B. Conflict Of Interest

Before the meeting commenced, President Blanchard asked if there were any Board Members who had conflict of interests related to the agenda. No conflicts were disclosed.

II. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Moved by Tamara Marshall, seconded by Joey Vijayam to approve the agenda, as presented.

No further discussion. Ayes – 5. Motion carried unanimously.

III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Moved by Tamara Marshall, seconded by Chris Ellis, to approve the minutes of the September 22nd regular board meeting and October 27th, board retreat, as presented.

No discussion. Ayes – 5. Motion carried unanimously.

IV. APPROVAL OF COMMITTEE MINUTES

None

V. CAMPUS RECREATION STAFF REPORTS

Staff reports were reviewed by Board.

VI. UCCS COMMUNITY & BOARD COMMENTS

UCCS Community Comments:

None

Board Member Comments:

None

VII. Financial Reports

Financial reports were reviewed by the Board

VIII. PRESENTATIONS

Shelby introduced new staff board member Shonda Johnson, Shonda works for UCCS “behind the scenes” in admissions. Shelby also introduced Joey Vijayam as SGA president and a RAB SGA appointee board member. Shelby announced that Emily Hampson will join the RAB as an ex-officio member, but was not present for meeting.

Joey introduced Emily Garberding as a student SGA Board member and also a RAB SGA appointee board member.

Moved by Tamara Marshall, seconded by Chris Ellis to approve the new board members, as presented.

No discussion. Ayes – 6. Motion carried unanimously with Emily and Joey abstaining.

IX. OLD BUSINESS

A. Campus Recreation Facility Dress Code Policy Review

Skyler Rorabaugh discussed the update on the policy, and that it has been approved by Risk Management, Legal, and OIE. Trent Claypool asked if we can re-word “not suggestive” on pg. 27 under overview. Skyler explained that Campus Recreation internally provides additional policy guideline explanations related to appropriate types of wear, and that we will post photos of what is and is not appropriate for the public to view. Trent suggested that cultural guidelines could be in question in the manner that the policy is worded. Skyler listed the core values of Campus Recreation, and how those values and how we operate within those values provides a welcoming environment for all to reach their own specific goals. Dr. Schober brought up the second bullet under garments. Steve Jennings brought up the wearing of sunscreen and potential issues if it is not worn while participating on Alpine Field. Steve also brought up on under aquatics the importance of an “extra layer” also known as swim diaper. Skyler states we are trying to stay generic about the language within the policy based on new extra layers that may be part of future product lines. Trent Claypool suggested that wet suits be included in the aquatic section, as this may cause wetsuit users to overheat while utilizing the aquatic center.

Motion to approve as presented/modified. Ayes – 8. Motion carried unanimously

X. NEW BUSINESS

A. CSU Field Trip Takeaways

Board went around table and discussed what they liked and did not like about the retreat. Chris stated he liked the rec center and how they replace things. Joey enjoyed the trip overall and liked how we were able to see both centers. Joey liked how here at UCCS, we do not let it be exclusive to Campus Recreation employees to be on the RAB. Tamara liked seeing the different problems they face, like running out of locker space. Tamara stated the highlight of the trip was seeing the setup of equipment. Steve stated what stuck out to him was the benefit of having fields just for everyday use adjacent to the rec center, and at the health center he enjoyed the relaxation room space and pod, and how students are given the chance

to get away from all the demands. The openness of the Wellness Center provides our Board ideas on how to make our wellness center more opening and inviting. Skyler enjoyed that the student employee work areas are adjacent to the professional staff work areas.

B. RAB Long-range Goals and Short-Term Objectives

Shelby asked that the board needs to setup a framework of goals for the board. Board members went around and discussed their goals. Shelby asked for more greenspace. Chris wants a goal of making the wellness center more welcoming and destigmatizing seeking help. Joey wants to make a goal of something structurally destigmatizing Wellness Center. Joey would also like to reach out to Dining and Food Services for a protein shake station. Trent would like to have the thirteen miles of trail space get utilized more since we have it right in our backyard. Tamara would like a boxing club formalized that includes space and equipment for the program. Shonda would like to see the faculty and staff involvement increase offered by Campus Recreation. Steve would also like to see the trails be more connected throughout campus.

C. Acupuncture Services

Dr. Schober mentioned it has been something talked about offering through the Wellness Center, but they do not have a specific person in mind to provide these services. However, they would actively start looking if it is something desired by the student body. Emily asked what the cost would be. Dr. Schober responded that a cost would be established that would be affordable for students. There is moderate interest, but the cost is the biggest concern from both the internal side and student side.

D. Tava Trail SGA Vote

Joey discussed SGA's standpoint on adding two call boxes and lighting for the Tava Trail. This trail is mainly utilized during peak class hours, but student have shared that they would prefer lighting and emergency call boxes. Skyler explained that both of these items were recently removed from the trail, as it was deemed by administration that this trail is not for commuting purposes, but for recreation purposes and should be part of the recreational trails system on campus. Joey stated that SGA understood that, and that SGA would follow-up with facility services on their concerns.

E. Spring Semester Meeting Dates/Times

Shelby discussed the need to establish spring meeting dates/times for the Board and that she personally would not be able to attend meetings until 4:30 PM or thereafter due to her internship in the spring. The Board decided to vote on this at the December meeting.

F. Update Board Information/Application

Board members are encouraged to fill out new applications and submit them by next meeting.

XI. FURTHER BUSINESS

A. RAB Holiday Celebration

Food will be provided and white elephant gift exchange at the December meeting.

XII. MEETINGS TO SCHEDULE

December 1st, 2017 holiday celebration and meeting.

XIII. CALENDAR OF EVENTS/PROGRAMS

Board reviewed the attached calendar of events

XIV. ADJOURNMENT

Moved by Dr. Schober and seconded by Tamara Marshall to adjourn meeting at 1:41 PM.

No further discussion. Ayes – 8. Motion carried unanimously.

Shelby Blanchard, Board President

Danielle Morin, Secretary

Recorded by Kendra Moretti