



OR Community Assembly Minutes
February 4, 2014
4-5:00 p.m.

In Attendance:

Melanie Myers	Arlene Frank	Stacey Dyer	Marcia Worthy
Rhonda Brown	Dennis Choiniere	Robert Spann	Chris Francis
Mike Kadrofske	Ken Faulk	Vicki McNiff	Debi Ksionzek
Dennis Haleks	Karen Johnson	Marikay Clancy	Nancy Nicholson
Nadja Springer-Ali	Rasheedah Wright	Jackie Shadko	Linda Emerson

1. Community Assembly minutes can be found on InfoMart at <http://infomart/minutes/communityassemblies/or>.
2. Dr. Shadko welcomed our new/newly-assigned people.
 - Marikay Clancy – Interim Manager of Campus Affairs
 - Karen Johnson – Interim Coordinator of Student Development
 - Lisa Skowronski – Interim Director of Student Services
 - Dennis Choiniere – Interim Academic Dean of College Readiness
3. Campus Announcements/Updates
 - Student Life
 - Karen Johnson reported Student Life is holding a gently-used coat drive for St. Alexander’s Church in Farmington Hills. She will be delivering the coats this Friday.
 - There will be a Red Cross blood drive on February 13th from 9:00 a.m.-7:45 p.m. in court 3 of the gym in H Building.
 - On February 18th, there will be a viewing and discussion of the film “Soul Food Junkies” in J-303 from 4-6:00 p.m. A soul food buffet will be served. Student Life is paying for the buffet, but if anyone is interested they should contact Karen.
 - The Student Ambassador program is now operating on all campuses. The home campuses will first ask their own ambassadors to man an event, and if none are available, they can reach out to the ambassadors on other campuses.
 - Diversity and Inclusion
 - Karen Johnson and Marikay Clancy joined this committee.
 - On Wednesday, February 5th from 11:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. the 25th National African-American Read-In will be held in King Library.
 - The traveling exhibition, We Don’t Want Them: Race and Housing in Metropolitan Detroit, which focuses on the subject of housing discrimination, will be in the King Library from February 10-14 with a Speaker Q & A on Wednesday, February 12th from 12-1 in J-191. SDU’s are available.

- Campus/College Events
 - On February 5th at 7:00 p.m. in the Smith Theatre, “Transforming Loss”, a documentary, will be shown. There will be dessert and discussion following the showing in J-306. This is being sponsored by Botsford Hospital, OCC Orchard Ridge, The Michigan School of Professional Psychology, City of Farmington Hills, and Farmington SAFE, a Suicide Prevention Task Force.
 - Service Awards Breakfast – April 3, 2014 at 8:00 a.m. in J-306
 - Excellence Day – April 11, 2014 at 2:00 at the AH Campus
 - Honors Convocation – May 15, 2014 in Smith Theatre
 - OCC Commencement – May 17, 2014 at 2:00 p.m. at the Palace of Auburn Hills.
 - Governor Snyder is on campus now for a campaign stop. He’ll be gone by 5:00 p.m. No OCC money was used for this visit.

4. Campus/College Policies, Processes, and Procedures

- Cold classrooms / leaks – the best way to report these is School Dude. If there is an emergency situation, call Dennis Haleks at ext. 3406.
- Mike Kadrofske said they have gone through 350 tons of salt so far this winter. Salt doesn’t work below 20°. They’ve had equipment problems and crew injuries which added to the snow-removal problems in the last few weeks. If you see a spot that is particularly icy or dangerous, let Mike know.
- Rumor control was discussed. Highland Lakes is not closing and land purchase at Auburn Hills is not true.
- The Board of Trustees meetings are being broadcast on local access. You can find a schedule on InfoMart under <http://InfoMart/Minutes/BoardofTrustees/>.

5. Community Comments/Discussion

- It was felt that the individual achievement piece is missing from the draft definition of Student Success. Perhaps “ultimately resulting in the achievement of their personal and academic goals” could be inserted into the definition. We want to keep it personal, but make sure we keep in “measurement and accountability”.
- Dr. Shadko reminded everyone that these assemblies are open to all departments that wish to make presentations.

The assembly adjourned at 5:00 p.m.

The next assembly will be on Tuesday, March 4, 2014 at 4:00 p.m. in J-303.

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