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### Minutes of the April 6th 2012 Meeting

The meeting was called to order at 2:30 p.m.

Roll Call was taken

Minutes from April 2nd were approved as written motion by Horticulture and seconded by Saga.

#### Unfinished Business/Follow Ups

- There were no new updates from Campus Security.

#### New business

- Almost Fre-Cycle is here April 17<sup>th</sup> through April 19<sup>th</sup>. It is a way to recycle gently used clothing items and then everything will be priced at 25 cents. All the proceeds will go to the Student Emergency Fund as well as an annual Fre-Cycle Scholarship presented to a student. Dates and times are as follows: April 17 at 11a-1p, April 18 at 11a-1p, April 19 at 4p- 6p, and April 19 at 11a – 2p. The event will be held in the commons, the first three days are open to students only!
- Craig Bower updated the senate on updates and improvements made to the NWTC TV commercial.
- Kathy Koehne introduced herself to the students. She is a new member of the Student Life Support team and will be working with our student organizations. Please ask her any questions you may have about student orgs.
- Nominations were made for all five executive board positions. Elections were held and the new executive board members are as follows: Jamie Campbell as President, Rick Kramer as Vice President, Penny Miller as Governor, Kristina Gardner as Lt. Governor, and Brooke Shefchek as Secretary. Congratulations! ☺
- Jessica Schmechel went over the budget proposal for the coming up Fiscal year. All budget proposals were approved.

##### New Initiatives approved in the operating budget:

- Student Health Services up to \$100,000 annually. This will pay for a nurse practitioner for 20 hours / week onsite and a RN for 20 hours / week onsite.
- Student Success Development Series support of \$5,000 annually – There are 60 workshops per year. We would like to provide a \$5 food voucher to any student who attends the workshops.
- Mental Health Resources support of \$5,000 annually – With the addition of Licensed Professional Counselors this year and expanded programming funding would help to expand these resources even further.

##### New Initiatives approved in the capital budget:

- Commons phase 2, \$100,000 – additional booths and lighting in the main commons area and hallway near movie lounge
- Gameroom remodel \$143,000 – Update paint, lighting, furniture and multiple TV screens with different channels on them
- Interior seating upgrade of people pockets, \$42,000 – furniture upgrade in 3 people pockets
- Outdoor seating, \$40,000 – furniture similar to the patio adjacent to the Commons will be added on other areas of campus
- Sturgeon Bay upgrade, \$35,000 – Sturgeon Bay is making some improvements to their commons space. They are providing \$50,000 and asked for \$35,000 from Green Bay.
- Marinette upgrade, \$25,000 – Marinette is making some improvements to their space. They are providing \$25,000 and asked for \$25,000 from Green Bay.

#### Announcements from Executive Board

- Scholarship Deadline is May 1<sup>st</sup>. You can find the scholarship application on our NWTC webpage by searching “Scholarship” in the search engine.
- Cap and Gowns are available in the Bookstore (SC146) until May 4<sup>th</sup>. The cost is \$9.
- Awards Banquet will be on April 23 at 5pm at the Radisson Hotel (2040 Airport Dr). Tickets must be picked up in Student Life by April 18.
- Fall Class Registration starts April 18! Make sure you register early to ensure you can take your classes.

### **Organization announcements**

- Ballroom Dancing announced that their fundraising event “Dancing with the Scholars” will be on Wednesday, April 25<sup>th</sup> at 11:30a in the commons. It is the 3<sup>rd</sup> annual event so show your support by coming out. Half the proceeds go back into the club and the other half is being donated to ASPIRO.
- African American Student Network announced a youth tour that they are looking for volunteers for. The volunteers would be giving tours and giving demonstrations of their program. Contact African American Student Network for more information. Service hours and credit is available.
- NWTWC Welding announced that they took 5 of the 6 places in a competition they partook in last week. Nice work!
- Horticulture is having their plant sale Friday, May 4<sup>th</sup>. See flyers posted around school for more information.

### **Student Life Events**

- Tuesday, April 17-19, 9:30am, Continuous Play, Movie Lounge, “Man on a Ledge”
- Wednesday, April 18, 11:30 am, Commons, 20 days left of school... FREE food!
- Thursday, April 19, 8 am- 4pm, Student Life, Celebrate Earth Day: Free beverages in the cafeteria when you bring your own cup
- Thursday, April 19, 11:30 am, commons, Earth Bingo Day
- Monday, April 23, 5 pm, Radisson Hotel and Conference Center, Awards Banquet
- Tuesday, April 24, All Day, Student Life, \$200 Day
- Thursday, April 26, 12:30 pm, Commons, Root Beer Pong Tournament
- Tuesday, May 1, Stop in Student Life Today if your Birthday is in May for a treat
- Thursday, May 3, 11:30 am, Patio, Spring Picnic- Mechanical Bull, Music, and Free Food
- Monday, May 7, 8am- 630pm, Student Life, Free Game Room Day
- Monday, May 7, 2:30pm, SC132, Student Senate Meeting
- Tuesday, May 8, Facebook Day: Check out Student Life on Facebook to Win

### **Student Concerns:**

- New Service Opportunities are available and in desperate need of volunteers. Stop in to student life to pick up flyers or a packet of opportunities.

### **Final Roll Call**

### **Motion to adjourn**

**Meeting Adjourned at 3:50 p.m.** By 1<sup>st</sup> Year Respiratory Care and second by Criminal Justice.