UC Athletics and Recreation

MINUTES

AUGUST 8, 2012 1:00 – 2:00 PM

MEETING CALLED BY

MEETING OPENED AT: 1:05 pm

TYPE OF MEETING

Committee Meeting

FACILITATOR

Kent Marsden

NOTE TAKER

Mary Cooke

ATTENDEES

Caleb Clark, Mary Cooke, Dr. Roberta DePompei, Dr. Charles Fey, Anthony Fosselman, Nancy Homa, Michael Kimble, Kris Kraft, Kent Marsden, Dan Satter, Jim Walczyk, Tom Wistrcill

Excused: Brian Anderson, Jake Berkline, Becky Gibson-Lee, Vicki Rostedt

Agenda topics

APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM LAST MEETING

KENT MARSDEN

DISCUSSION

Approval of minutes of July 11, 2012

Motion to approve made by: Kris Kraft

Seconded by: Nancy Homa

Discussion: none

Vote: unanimous approval

CONCLUSIONS

ACTION ITEMS

PERSON RESPONSIBLE

DEADLINE
FALL MEETING AVAILABILITY

**DISCUSSION**
Fall meeting availability – members present at the meeting gave availability on a form passed around.

**CONCLUSIONS**

**ACTION ITEMS** | **PERSON RESPONSIBLE** | **DEADLINE**
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Mary will review and propose meeting times for Fall. | Mary Cooke | 9/10/12

UNIVERSITY COUNCIL UPDATE

**DISCUSSION**
Kent Marsden presented an update from the University Council.

There is a training PowerPoint presentation about SharePoint that is very good.

**CONCLUSIONS**

**ACTION ITEMS**

**GOALS FOR OUR COMMITTEE**

**DISCUSSION**
Jim W. and Tom W. each commented on the list of goals to help the committee prioritize them.

For Student Recreation and Wellness Services, the priorities would be (1) how the UC committee can support and help the campus community learn about the SRWS services that are already available to the campus community, and (2) securing open field space with lights for a recreational area.

For Athletics, our committee can (1) help get more people involved in athletics at UA by encouraging friends to come to events, go to events as groups, grow the scope of the impact on the Akron community through UA athletics. (2) If we know anyone who may want season tickets, let Tom know. (3) Our committee can help change any negative opinions by exposing people to an athletic event with a personal invitation.

**CONCLUSIONS**
DISCUSSION

Speaker: Mary Lu Gribschaw, Sr. Assoc. Ath. Director/ Sr. Women’s Administrator

Mary Lu has been at The University of Akron for 18 years. She was the coordinator of academic advising for Athletics, and has been in her current role since 1999. She oversees internal operations, student services, and the administration of six programs.

Mary Lu gave an overview of Title IX, which became a federal law 40 years ago. She also reviewed how UA complies with Title IX: we are providing the same opportunities for both our women and men.

CONCLUSIONS

ACTION ITEMS

None.

MEETING ADJOURNED AT: 1:55