CAMPUS RECREATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE
2013-2014

Tuesday, September 17th, 2013

4PM, Large Conference Room, ARC

Attendees: Anish Patel, Jason Pomeroy, Meaghan Cautle, Donna Wargo, Bill Williamson, Kenny Hebeisen, Raunaq Jaisinghani, Andrew Hohn, Mitch Dickey

Guests: Terry Elmore, Janet Kroencke

I. Welcome & Introductions
   - Name, major, year in school/position and department
   - Do you use Campus Rec?
     - How?
     - What facilities?
       - Primarily the ARC, sometimes CRCE

II. Tours
    - Ice arena? CRCE?
      - Meet at Ice Arena for a future meeting (currently doing a feasibility study)
      - Meet at Illini Grove in Spring Semester when the weather warms up

III. Advisory Committee
     - Purpose
       - Reviewing policies, fees, programming costs
       - Forming sub-committees
       - This committee represents the students, faculty, staff and other individuals who use campus recreation facilities
     - Perks
       - Please see list in folder
       - Contact Courtney Johnson with selections
     - Elect Student Chair
       - Send application to Courtney Johnson
       - Deadline is Friday, September 27th at 5PM

IV. Discussion Items
    - New Programs in Group Fitness (Janet)
      - Passing group fitness off to Brian Baxter
      - Focus on providing student employees opportunities to make them marketable after graduation
- Just purchased a license with Les Mills to teach BodyCombat, BodyPump, and BodyJam (almost half of the group fitness staff is trained in at least one of these formats)
- Les Mills meets us half way and offers our staff half price certifications
- Total classes a week this year on schedule: 80 Last year: 65
- Checking passes- possibly get a way to scan the barcode on iCards
- How do participants know if their instructor is credentialed?
  - Group fitness offers free week
  - Maybe add pictures and bios to the website

**Greek Cup (Terry)**
- Alumni, Don Rubenstein donated $1000 to bring back the Greek Cup so Terry researched and restructured the program with Fraternity and Sorority Affairs
- Used the funds to buy two large trophies that will be used every year, the team takes home a plaque
- Currently applying for grants and additional prizes from alumni and sponsors
- End of the year banquet
- For the Future: currently working with housing to create/bring back similar programs for other groups of students on campus

**Student Fee Advisory Committee (Robyn)**
- Tessa will discuss more at the next meeting
- 75% of the budget is from student fees, 25% is self-generated (rentals, memberships)
- No fee increase in 5 years, but look at other fees every 5 years and recently raised internal fees for the first time in over 5 years

**Grants (Robyn)**
- Title 9 Women’s Participation in Intramurals and Club Sports
  - Just found out we received this grant, partnered with NIRSA
- Reflections Program/Health Issues/ Body Image Women of Color
  - Pays attention to over exercising, sororities, eating disorders
  - Instead of being reactive, begin to be proactive and try different techniques to work with African American women, LGBT Men, and Female Athletes
  - Counseling Center is involved as well
  - Programs: Dance Classes, Healthy Eating
  - Collaborate with Black House and Women’s Resource Center to form focus and control groups
Additional Questions:
  - Are we collaborating with the State Farm Committee?
    - They are looking for alternative concert space (possibly an ARC gym)
      - Could do a charity concert
    - They are looking for office space because some staff are displaced
    - Leadership Development Programs for their staff
    - Could the State Farm Center take in an Ice Arena?
      - Could have an NCAA hockey team
      - Our ice arena is 81 years old, usable for another 30 years
  - Are we still working on a Mission Statement?
    - Still working on developing one

Homework: Look at Campus Recreation’s comment page and come to the next meeting with suggestions or concerns you think or hear of on campus

Campus Rec Advisory Committee Meetings – Fall 2013
  - Tuesday, October 15th @ 4 PM in the ARC Large Conference Room
  - Tuesday, November 19th @ 4 PM in the ARC Large Conference Room
  - Tuesday, December 10th @ 4 PM in the ARC Large Conference Room (Tentative)