

Faculty Senate Agenda

1st Meeting, Spring 2018:

Wed. Jan. 24th, 2-3 pm, Bradford 306

Minutes

Call to Order-Susan

Approval of Minutes – Susan Moved and Dawn Wick Seconded-

Senate President, Welcome – Susan Cain, freshly baked cookies provided for the group

News & Upcoming Events: Briefly discussed the following

- Library asks that we schedule a workshop rather than impromptu "tours" for our students. The form can be found in My SCC under the Library page.
- Tony Belcher will offer CPR classes to any groups of faculty on campus...
- NC Live is problematic when trying to Google it. Instead, tell students to use My SCC/Library page for access
- NC Live has taken of the work PROQUEST to most of its databases, fyi. But, databases are still there. NCLive updating a lot of features lately.
- If you have a work study student now and want to give them more work (for actual work related to you), there are some extra funds available.
- Annette Kesgen taking up \$\$\$ collection for high school (future SCC) student with brain tumor... she supports herself...
- SCC Food Pantry accepting donations via your Dean.
- New Health Sciences building moving right along... groundbreaking due summer 2018
- JCEC area parking lot soon to add 65 spaces

Old Business

Kristyn willing to continue working on finding way to cut costs of textbooks for Faculty Kids attending SCC—will check with Foundation Advisory Board

New Business --

1. Voted not to record meetings. Will use photos on current webpage to Update Fac. Senate page on website per Tyler Goode. Will take candid shots next meeting to show activity by Fac Senate—maybe a group shot at graduation.
2. Discussed possibility of Fac Senate sponsoring a Faculty Facebook Page for discussion... agreed to bring new ideas for facebook page
3. Do we want to Attaboy/Attagirl each other informally? If so, how? Via Facebook?

Best Practice Sharing –

Watched short video: Are You Lost by Moby, Shared Michael Despeaux's wife's editorial (at WCU) with permission topic: phones in classrooms. This led to long discussion about social media... which led us to discussion on sponsoring a Facebook Page for faculty topics...

Announcements:

Next Meeting: Doodle Poll will be sent. Many like the new time, but others can't attend...

Adjourn

Senators in Attendance:

Susan Cain

Kristyn Stevens

Hunter Braswell

Brian Kane

Linda Aiken

Jennifer Barfield

Dawn Wick

Tony Belcher