



Department of Natural Sciences, Health, & Kinesiology

Health, and Kinesiology Department Meeting Agenda

Meeting with only Faculty and Staff of Health and Kinesiology

Thursday January 16th, 2020 at 9:30 AM

School of Science Rm. 109

- Welcome All & Introductions
- Items missing in Kinesiology equipment room
- Creating new degrees in the Health and Kinesiology fields
- Recruitment efforts to boost enrollment
- Improving relationship with Kinesiology and Athletics
- Adjournment



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January 16th, 2020 (*Thursday*)
 9:30 AM – School of Science, Room 109

MINUTES

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| Present members of NSH&K Faculty & Staff: | B. Alcocer, D. Barker, S. Collins-Heads, R. Estrada, T. Roberts, H. Tatum, R. Villanueva, P. Watkins |
| Guest attendees & speakers: | |
| Date | 1-16-20 |
| Time | 9:30-10:30 am |
| Location | School of Science, room 109 |
| Minutes | Ruben Villanueva |

| | ACTION | TIME |
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| 1. Call to Order: 9:40 am | | |
| 2. Welcome and Introductions: T. Roberts welcomed and thanked everyone for coming to the meeting. T. Roberts moderated the meeting via a conference call. This is a special meeting with only the faculty and staff of the Health and Kinesiology disciplines. | Sign in & Welcome | 2 minutes |
| 3. Meeting Items: a. There is a serious concern about the security of the Kinesiology equipment rooms as some of the CPR materials are missing. | | 34 minutes |

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- b. Missing items include adult size and infant sized mannequins. The department secretary will initiate a supply order to procure and restore the missing inventory.
 - c. PE Attendants do have their own keys to the equipment cages in the storage rooms and should be provided with a set. This concern was addressed with the campus administration numerous times.
 - d. As a way to boost awareness of the health and kinesiology disciplines the department should offer more certificates and degrees.
 - e. Ideas include coaching and refereeing.
 - f. Suggested that the health and kinesiology faculty visit the different science courses in our department to advertise and recruit students for our courses. Many students have yet to complete their kinesiology requirement or are looking for an elective course.
 - g. Health and Kinesiology faculty feel there is a disconnect between Athletics and Kinesiology and are looking for ways to bridge that gap and inspire a collaboration.
 - h. It is felt that the use of athletics has focused on just making money for the campus rather than promoting students and the options available to service their needs in an athletic program.
 - i. The Health and Kinesiology faculty would like to request for a meeting with the college president, Health & Kinesiology department dean, dean of Athletics, and the vice president of student services to discuss the divide between Kinesiology and Athletics.
 - j. In addition to discussing the remedies to closing the gap between Kinesiology and Athletics other pertinent issues include:
 - 1. Giving Health and Kinesiology classes some leeway in regards to the enrollment requirements needed to prevent course cancellation. Kinesiology classes especially have experienced a sustained downward trend in enrollment.
 - 2. Building-up the campus Athletics' program with the availability of more sports and female teams for each sport.
 - 3. Safety issues with renting out the sports facilities in that there is not enough supervision with the contracted party using the campus facilities.
 - 4. Possible for Health and Kinesiology department to get a piece of the proceeds from facility rentals to supplement the budgets for materials and supplies.
 - 5. Hear the college administration's point of view in developing possible strategies to bring Athletics and Kinesiology together to create a strong program centered on student engagement.
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4. Adjournment:

☞ *NEXT MEETING DATE: Thursday, February 20th, 2020 from 1-2:30 pm in SOS-109*

☞ **Future meetings: Thursday March 19th 2020 from 1-3pm in SOS-109**

Thursday April 16th 2020 from 1-3pm in SOS-109

Thursday May 21st 2020 from 1-3pm in SOS-109