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Faculty Senate Meeting Minutes

September 18, 2020

Start: 12:05 p.m.

End: 1:06 p.m.

1. Called Roll/Present: Dr. Laura Paul, Dr. Rodney Donahue, Kelly McDonough, Kim Jeffrey, Austin Adams, Corey Blais, Tye Chesser, Dr. Ken McIntosh, Cindie Miller, Dr. Jeremy Sain, Johnny Treichel, Larry Wiginton, Andy McLatchy
2. Vice Present of Academic Affairs, Brad Vanden Boogaard spoke about:
 - Virtual Office Hours- may be working, too short a time period to know, may not be needed, stressed the importance of working ten hours,
 - COVID reporting- said it is on the website, students MUST: get a negative test, be symptom free 72 hours, and have 10 days since the start of any symptoms.
3. Tye Chesser motioned to adopt the agenda for the current meeting
Second: Kim Jeffrey
4. Larry Wiginton motioned to approve the minutes from the August meeting
Second: Austin Adams
5. Dr. Paul gave the board meeting brief. Key points included:
 - Custodians receiving an award that was nominated by Tex.
 - President stating that he was “guardedly optimistic” about our financial status.
 - Beauty pageant denied use of auditorium because of COVID.
 - MOU for dual-credit and scholarships.
 - Buster retired in Pampa.
 - Enrollment is down 10%:
 - down 58 students in Clarendon,
 - up 4 in Childress,
 - up 54 in distance,
 - prison closed to classes right now (COVID),
 - down 37 students in Pampa

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- Looking into new CTE Programs in Pampa
- 6. Posters for admin. and staff were well-received and placed in East Wing and BAC
- 7. Purpose of Faculty Senate read by Dr. Rodney Donahue.
 - Discussed incorrect wording, which says “VP of Academic Affairs” approves items, he does/should not.
 - Consider removing wording about salary loss for nonattendance.
 - Dr. Paul recommended setting up a committee to revise our by-laws.
 - Corey Blais made a motion to approve this.
 - Second: Kim Jeffrey
 - Suggestion was made of possible “umbrellas” for different groups of faculty within the Faculty Senate.
 - Mention was made that CTE often does not attend “general faculty” meetings. Question of coaches, and LRC staff having some separation based on their needs/purposes.
 - Committee Volunteers: Dr. Rodney Donahue, Kim Jeffrey, and Larry Wiginton, (consider adding more who may not have been present to volunteer)
- 8. Urged to sign up for TCCTA benefits
- 9. Questioned how faculty feels about UIL events disrupting class time in Clarendon
 - Questioned if recruitment happens at these events and if it is worth it.
- 10. Adjourned.