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**NORTH MOHAVE CAMPUS COMMUNICATIONS COUNCIL**

**Tuesday, April 13, 2021, 10:00 AM**

Online Zoom Conference

***MCC Mission Statement:** MCC Serves our communities, empowering students to succeed through innovative pathways and quality education.*

***MCC Vision Statement:** Improving lives, Improving communities. Bridging possibility to purpose and prosperity.*

***MCC Bighorn Intrepid Goal (B.I.G.):** All adults who have not yet completed a post-secondary degree will be inspired to attain the credential, certificate, or degree they seek from Mohave Community College by 2030.*

**Attendees:** John Cawley, Kristi Naylor, Scott Sweet, Adrian Hammon

- Absent: Karen Harris, Kim Naylor

**Opening Announcements:**

- Special announcements or changes to this agenda?  
None.

**Reviewed Proceedings from Last Meeting via Email.**

**Important Dates:**

4/09/2021	Grad App Due (needed for Grad Participation)
4/10/2021	Late Spring Grad App Window Opens (fee has been waived)
4/19/2021	Fall Enrollment Begins
4/26/2021	Last Day for Withdrawal
5/10/2021	Application Due for Spring Graduation
5/10/2021	Classes End
5/13/2021	Grades Due
5/14/2021	Commencement
5/17/2021	Four-Day Work Week Begins
5/31/2021	College Closed / Memorial Day

**Campus Update:** John Cawley

- Graduation is on May 14. Participating in commencement is optional for resident faculty. Any faculty who would like to attend please email Dean Cawley.
- Commencement will be separated into two sessions, the first session is from 11:00-1:00 and the second session from 5:00-7:00. Students will attend the session that is determined by their degree and certificate categories.
- Students can bring four guests, students and guests must all RSVP by filling out the commencement waiver.
- The Commencement Information page includes information for the venue and the different sessions: <https://www.mohave.edu/life-at-mcc/graduation-and-commencement-information/commencement-information/>
- NMC will create a strategic plan and will align it with the college's strategic plan. Staff and faculty will have input on NMC's goals and future plans over the next five years.
- There will be a business expo at Water Canyon High School on April 30<sup>th</sup>. NMC will sponsor the event and will host a booth.

**Facilities** Adrian Hammon

- Maintenance is working on vehicle repair, tire maintenance, and getting the vehicles back to 100%.
- The van's windshield has been replaced. We have free chip repair service, please let maintenance know right away if a windshield is chipped.
- Maintenance is working on the nursing SIM lab remodel – 2 contractors have looked at the project and will place bids soon.

**Clubs & Organizations:**

SAC: John Cawley

- SAC Elections are in process. The Declaration of Candidacy is due this Friday, April 16<sup>th</sup>.
  - Students applying for SAC need three references, the references should be emailed to Dean Cawley.
  - April 19-20 - Voting will be held in Schoology
  - April 23 - New SAC officers will be announced
- May 18-19 - SAC club officers and club advisors will go to a Leadership Workshop in Kingman.

PTK: Karen Harris and Scott Sweet

- Recruiting new officers and members

**Student Services:** Kristi Naylor

- The Nelnet Payment plan's scheduled payment dates will now be on the 10<sup>th</sup> of the month instead of the 5<sup>th</sup>.

- Student registration has changed to a new model. Students can now register directly from their advising plans.
- NMC held an application and FAFSA day at El Capitan High School on April 8<sup>th</sup>.
- Financial Aid is in process of awarding scholarships to High School seniors.
- The Early Start Scholarship has been extended for this year's High School graduates. They can use the scholarship during the Summer and Fall semesters.

**Instruction:** John Cawley

- Faculty need to let Dean Cawley know if they are going to graduation.
- For Student Recognition this year, we will mail out awards and a Student Recognition program to students.
- Faculty need to submit their Student Recognition departmental nominations by Friday, April 16<sup>th</sup>.
- Pinnacle Award nominations will be sent to faculty for input on choosing the recipients by Friday, April 16<sup>th</sup>.

**Advising:** Kim Naylor

- N/A

**Recruitment:** Karen Harris

- NMC will host a booth at the Washington County Fair from April 14<sup>th</sup> – through April 18<sup>th</sup>.

**Faculty:** Scott Sweet

CASA Notes:

- The 2021-2022 assessment placement guide has been tabled for the Math and English faculty to look over.
- Proposed Catalog updates:
  - Considering removing the CDA pathway from the catalog
  - The credit hours for MEA 103, MEA 257, and HES 129 have been adjusted, and several health degrees and certificates have been affected by these changes. These degrees and certificate programs will be adjusted accordingly. MEA 103 has changed from 1 to 2 credits; MEA 257 has changed from 5 to 6 credits; HES 129 has changed from 3 to 4 credits.
  - The Early Childhood Education degree will be streamlined to make it a better pathway for students
- Dashboard retention updates have been modified
- There is a new initiative in the planning stages that will be a return to learn/adult academics and career pathway for students over 25 years old. This new initiative is proposed to be rolled out in the community by July.
- There will be an LPN to RN program and a Nursing Assistant program this Fall

- EVP update and strategic vision for three academic units ---- CTE, general education, and health services will each have a designated dean. CTE currently has a dean and the other two positions need to be filled.
- Last week Scott attended the HLC Conference in Chicago virtually. Topics included professors struggling with Zoom fatigue and increased stress from new learning styles, and the hope to return to extracurricular activities after everyone receives Covid-19 vaccinations.

**Staff Council: Adrian Hammon and Karen Harris**

- N/A

**Round Table: Everyone**

- N/A