



OR Community Assembly Minutes
March 4, 2014
4-5:00 p.m.

In Attendance:

Rhonda Brown	Dennis Choiniere	Marikay Clancy	Chris Francis
Karen Johnson	Arlene Frank	Nadja Springer-Ali	Brenda Lowery
Debi Ksionzek	Jay Seewald	Mike Kadrofske	Mark Seder
Staci Cohen	Chuck Flagg		

1. Robert Spann is leading this assembly in Dr. Shadko's absence. Dr. Shadko has started a two-month interim position as Auburn Hills Campus President and will be splitting her time between the two campuses. She will be at OR for April's Community Assembly.

Community Assembly minutes can be found on InfoMart at <http://infomart/minutes/communityassemblies/or>.

2. Campus Announcements/Updates

- Student Life activities – Karen Johnson:
 - One new member orientation session for PTK was today from 2-3:00 p.m. and the second will be March 6th from 5-6:00 p.m.
 - On March 20th, along with the Womencenter, Student Life will be showing the film, "Killing Us Softly", in J-294 from 3-4:30 p.m. After the film, Arlene Frank will be facilitating a discussion.
- Diversity & Inclusion – Nadja Springer-Ali
 - The "We Don't Want Them" exhibit was in the Library from February 10-14. The Michigan Round Table Diversity and Inclusion representatives held a well-attended discussion related to the exhibit on February 12th.
 - At their annual breakfast on March 18th at the Costick Center, The Multiracial Multicultural Community Council Committee of Farmington/Farmington Hills is honoring Nancy Nicholson, OR International Student Advisor, and Jill Rosenthal-Vinter, OEC Spanish teacher,
 - OR Library is participating in the Great Michigan Read, sponsored by the Michigan Humanities Council. This year's selection is "Annie's Ghosts" by Steve Luxenberg. Copies of the book are available in the library. On Wednesday, March 19th from 12-1:00 p.m. in the library there will be an "Annie's Ghost" book discussion.
 - On March 18th from 11-12:30 in J-294, Fred Cummins, President of the Alliance for the Mentally Ill of Oakland County will present "The Impact Mental Illness has on Families and the Role of the Public Health Care System".

- Campus/College Events
 - OCC Founders Day will be celebrated March 19th with a cake for George Mosher's 94th birthday at each campus. More information can be found on the Founders Day page of OCC's website.
 - Excellence Day will be held on April 11th at AH.
 - Commencement will be on Saturday, May 17th at 2:00 p.m. at the Palace.
- Campus/College Policies, Processes, and Procedures
 - Robert talked about the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA). If someone gets a FOIA request, they should contact Janet Roberts at DO, who is the FOIA officer for OCC.
 - Robert gave a presentation about BART, the Behavior Assessment Review Team comprised of the Dean of Campus Affairs, Counseling, Public Safety, Womencenter Coordinator, and ACCESS Coordinator. BART creates a venue for students, employees, campus visitors, and others to raise concerns about communications or behaviors that they perceive as inappropriate and that would impact OCC.
 - Chuck Flagg came to the assembly to talk about the new policy for faculty/staff accessing their OCC email through their personal cell phones. There have been lots of rumors about administration having the ability to go through private phones, look at and/or delete personal photos, emails, and other items. Chuck reassured everyone that the mail server requires a password, not OCC, and no one was going to be going through personal phones.

The assembly adjourned at 4:45 p.m.

The next assembly will be on Tuesday, April 1, 2014 at 4:00 p.m. in J-303.

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