June 3 E-Update

Dear Student Affairs Staff,

Staff Updates: Please join me in welcoming 2 new staff members: Aaron Feller, Student Affairs Assessment Data Analyst, and Jennifer Unguren, Secretary for Davis Student Services. Unfortunately, we are losing Melanie Butters, Academic Support Centers & Programs, who has taken a position with the State Human Resources department. Her last day will be June 7 when a farewell reception is scheduled from 2:00-3:30 in SC 167.

Congratulations to the following staff for their recent appointments and achievements: Jessica Oyler, Chair of the Utah NASPA Conference, Teri Bladen, State President for National Intramural-Recreational Sports Association (NIRSA), Winn Stanger, in-coming President of Mountain Pacific Association of Colleges and Employers (MPACE). In addition, Claire Hughes received a Master’s Degree in English, and Debra Schiffman a Bachelor’s Degree in Health Administration. Jayrod Garrett, Peer Advisor in the Nontraditional Center, published an online article about the challenges facing nontraditional students in The EvoLLLution online newspaper. Check out his article at http://www.evolllution.com/opinions/solutions-significant-challenges-faced-non-traditional-students/

Shaney McCoy, CPSC, is releasing a new CD at a performance in the Browning Center Eccles Theater on June 15. Visit the following link for information: http://www.shaneymccoy.com/fr_home.cfm. Everyone is invited!

Opening of School Luncheon. Be sure to mark your calendars for our Student Affairs Back-to-School Meeting on August 20 when President Chuck Wight will join us.

And speaking of the president, the annual summer picnic hosted by the president for staff and faculty will be on July 16 from noon – 2:00 on the lower quad on the west side of campus near the Miller Administration Building.

The College Town initiative is still underway with joint meetings of key individuals from both Ogden City and WSU. Marketing/PR staff from both areas have joined the discussions so that programs and activities of interest to both entities can be jointly publicized. Co-chairs of the Steering Committee, Bill Cook (Executive Director with the Ogden City Council) and Brad Mortensen (University Advancement) are currently attending the International Town and Gown Conference in Buffalo, NY to get more ideas.

Name Change: CIC to CCEL. As a reminder, the name of the Community Involvement Center is changing to the Center for Community Engaged Learning to better reflect its mission. Another CCEL development is establishment of additional office space in the United Way building on 30th & Harrison where CCEL will conduct community research linked to both curricular and co-curricular learning.

Tech Trivia: Remember to remove previous employee admin rights to online media for your department after an employee leaves. Here is a guideline and checklist to help you remember: http://sat.weber.edu/instructions/standards/online-media-permissions-policy.pdf “Like” Student Affairs Technology for more TechTrivia and win prizes! http://www.facebook.com/WSUSAT
If you have an announcement, event or an activity related to the division, you can send it to the Student Affairs Listserv at sainfo@lists.weber.edu.

Happy June! As always, please send Marlen or me your suggestions or ideas for future Division E-Updates.

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