

1:15 pm – 3:00 pm • Thursday, March 12, 2020 Bone Student Center - Spotlight

**Members Present:** Ron Gifford, Megan McCann, Amelia Noël-Elkins, Melanie Fata, Heidi Verticchio, Tal Parmenter, Nora Atkins, Derrek Drenckpohl, Elizabeth Chupp, Chelley Jackson, Emily Nafziger

Members Excused: Kris Harding, Kevin Goffard, Amy Secretan, Hope Miller, Julie Navickas, Rachel Kobus, Amanda Papinchock

- **Speakers:** Kelly Walker, Interim Director Benefit Services
  - Kelly gave a brief update on several topics including long term care, benefit choice, policy changes, and SURS. A couple things she mentioned were:
    - The premiums will be changing, which could include co-pays and/or deductibles. However, they are not losing any health plans. There is a benefit choice fair scheduled for May 5<sup>th</sup>.
    - There is a new parental leave policy that guarantees a minimum of 8 weeks. This runs concurrently with FMLA.
  - 1) Review of Agenda
  - 2) Approval of Minutes A motion to approve the minutes by Liz, seconded by Derrek. The minutes were unanimously approved.
  - 3) Chair Remarks Ron Gifford No Report
  - 4) Treasurer's Report Heidi Verticchio Our balance is \$778.13.
  - 5) Human Resources Report Melanie Fata AP evaluations are due May 1<sup>st</sup>. There are updates on the website regarding the coronavirus.
  - 6) Committee / Representative Reports:
    - Academic Senate Amelia Noël-Elkins Please see Amelia's report for all details.
    - Campus Communications Committee Liz Chupp No Report
    - Foundation Emily Nafziger No Report The Redbird Rising Campaign is over \$174 million. Please see Emily's notes for full details.
    - ISU Annuitants Association Tal Parmenter His last meeting was on March 4<sup>th</sup>. The current membership drive is ahead of last year. They have 37 new members which are current employees. Their March 18<sup>th</sup> luncheon was cancelled.
    - Awards Chelley Jackson No Report
    - Elections Amanda Papinchock Ron provided the following report: IT has put a hold on mass emails due to the coronavirus. We plan to push back elections until April. A new date will be announced.
    - **Programming** Megan McCann Please tentatively hold June 11<sup>th</sup> for our family social event at the Corn Crib. We decided to cancel our April 9<sup>th</sup> social.
      - **Socials:** All are at 4:30pm except June.
        - Thurs. April 9
          8 Bit Barcade CANCELLED
          - Fri. May 15 Pub II
            - June (TBD) CornBelters Game
          - Thurs. July 9 Firehouse Pizza Pub
      - Service:

- Communication Rachel Kobus No Report
- Scholarship Heidi Verticchio No Report
- Diversity and Inclusion Initiatives Amanda Papinchock No Report
- 7) New business
- 8) Adjournment

A motion to adjourn the meeting by Emily, seconded by Amelia. The motion was unanimously approved.

## Next Meeting: Thursday, March 26, 2020

**Respectfully Submitted:** Megan McCann 3/25/20