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LSUA Chancellor Cabinet

8/29/2018 9:00 AM | *Meeting called to order by* Chancellor Huang

In Attendance

Dr. Guiyou Huang, Deron Thaxton, Eamon Halpin, John Rowan, Stephan Moore, Melinda Anderson, Laura Fowler
Special Guest: Ricky Brazzel, SGA President

Chancellor Huang called the meeting to order at 9:00 AM

Chancellor's Updates:

- Coach Larry Cordaro article in Town Talk very good publicity for LSUA
- Introduced special guest, Ricky Brazzel, SGA President

Special Guest, Ricky Brazzel, SGA President, gave his vision and direction for SGA this academic year:

- Working with Vice Chancellor Moore to obtain his vision and direction for SGA
- Two main goals:
 - Listening to students
 - Action from listening to students
- By the end of this week the Quad will have patio umbrellas
- Working on a sand volleyball area at The Oaks
- Survey will begin for students regarding the Student Services Center and the needs for within the building; will also include suggestions for the name of the new building
- Town Hall meeting will be held after the survey is completed
- Discussed options for shuttling students back and forth from LSUA to Alexandria

Melinda Anderson Scholarship Applications Update:

- Continue to meet and work on a new application and procedure for LSUA scholarships
- Information will be posted on LSUA Foundation website

Shelly Gill Dual Enrollment Update:

- Dual Enrollment numbers have decreased due to new requirements by Louisiana Board of Regents; changes in high school teachers and they are not SACSCOC certified by LSUA; new high school counselor; a class not listed on the Gen Ed Matrix

Eamon Halpin

- Will attend LSU Online Strategic Planning Working Session on Tuesday, September 18 at LSUE
- Meeting on Friday, August 31 regarding the Aviation Program which will include Mr. Lonnie Lucius, the owner and manager of Flightline Air Service in Pineville
- Search will begin for the new Director of Institutional Research and Effectiveness position

Melinda Anderson

- Meeting with Dr. Huang, Mayor Roy, Spencer Martin, Dr. Joiner, Dr. Freedman and others on Thursday, August 30 regarding:
 - co-branding of City of Alexandria and LSUA
 - LSUA Downtown / Allied Health expansion
- LSUA Gala-Friday, October 26
- Continue to meet with Spencer Martin regarding Capital Campaign
- Giving Day will be Wednesday, September 12-#onedayforA
- Citywide Civic Luncheon will be on Tuesday, September 18 in Brumfield Caffey Ballroom at 11:30 a.m.

Deron Thaxton

- Very busy working with students the first 2 weeks of the semester
- After the purge only 22 students have not completed payment or scheduled a payment plan

John Rowan

- Problems with classroom scheduling but working on a solution for future semesters
- Louisiana Department of Education has scheduled an accreditation (TPI-US = Teacher Prep Inspection-US) for Spring 2019, but will request for a future date
- Will attend Board of Regents 2018 Funding Formula Summit in Baton Rouge on Wednesday, September 19
- Announced each candidate for Mayor will be on campus for an Open Forum
- Recognized and thanked Dr. Eamon Halpin for all his hard work

Shelly Gill

- Students may begin applying for Summer 2019 and Fall 2019 on Saturday, September 1
- Working with high school counselors and Career Compass clarifying the correct enrollment requirements for LSUA
- Meeting with Stephan Moore, faculty members and others regarding the Communication Plan
- LSUA will be a sponsor of the Louisiana Lagniappe Broadcasting High School Pep Rallies beginning tonight and each Wednesday night until October 31 from 5:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.; these pep rallies identify one "Game of the Week" and invite those schools to a participating restaurant for a pep rally; a great recruiting tool for LSUA
- Rapides Parish College Fair will be held on Monday, September 24 and Tuesday, September 25

Stephan Moore

- Block Party will be held on Thursday, September 20 at Walk-Ons beginning at 5:00 p.m.
- Ribbon Cutting for the student Food Pantry called General's Galley will be on Wednesday, September 12 at 11:30 a.m. following the Cabinet meeting
- LSUA new Police Captain is Donald Collins
- Search will begin for a sergeant to replace Donald Collins
- James Bell has been hired as a Police Officer 3
- Continue to work with Shelly Gill regarding Communication Plan and College Fair Day
- Working with Melinda regarding LSUA Parents club to collect membership fees; Tellin Fontenot is the liaison

Respectfully submitted by Laura Fowler

The Next Meeting will be Wednesday, September 12, at 9:00 AM
