



LGBTQ+ Advocates Committee

June 1st, 2021
1 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

Via CCC Confer Zoom:

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AGENDA

- 1:00 p.m. 1. Roll Call/Sign-In**
(Use chat feature in Zoom to type your name for the record)
Could I get a motion to approve the Agenda?
Could I get a second?
All in favor?
****review the Agenda, share screen**
- 1:05 p.m. 2. Action Items**
Approval of Minutes
Could I get a motion to approve the Minutes?
Could I get a second?
Bring up the Minutes; take a moment to scroll through
All in favor?
- 1:10pm 3. Agenda Items**
- **3.1 Information Item: committee networking and information opportunities**
(resource guide committee, LA regional Meeting group, etc)
 - **LGBTQ+ statewide Safe-zone Resource guide (Sal @ El Camino).**
Would be great if we could get on this as well; aim is for there to be a guide for all LGBTQ+ related resources for CC's; possible to use this as a springboard as well?
 - **Planning committee (for the next upcoming CCC LGBTQ+ Summit; Emilie Mitchell)**
 - **So Cal Regional group event to be hosted in October (hosted by Pasadena City); there seems to be meetings to be scheduled leading up to the event.**
 - **It would be fantastic to have people sign on to help gain knowledge and awareness of how the networking of this can be helpful to our cause)**
 - **3.2 Discussion Item: "booster shot" of Train the Trainer**

- **Senate discussion ensued regarding a training for those already trained and may want to conduct workshops but are a bit outdated on the how.**
 - **ALLY was always a grassroots kind of thing before; we have taken it under the purview of the committee. How do we offer something like this? Should we? Keep it the same?**
- **3.3 Discussion Item: Unity Zone update**
 - **Very overly packed Senate meeting on 5/17; slated for 3:05 to inform for approximately 5 minutes. Didn't get to my portion until close to 3:30-3:40.**
 - **Delivered an address to the Senate regarding the Unity Zone**
 - **Brought forth the history of the Unity Zone, what happened during COVID, where we have gone to now and the incredible frustration of having to "start over", and asking for them to consider implementing some form of accountability to promises made**
 - **The response that was brought forth was to draft a resolution in favor which I can follow up on, but I was unable to stay behind to discuss further (class had already begun).**
 - **I was contacted afterward from someone disheartened to hear what was shared and provided some information that Michael Collins had sent out which I sent to Dr. Lee with a bit of a brief recap.**
 - **I was somewhat told that they are on it/Daniela is the person to pursue.**
 - **We really need data collection both for the use/utility of the Unity Zone, but also data to show not simply a justification for its presence but justification for further growth: ultimate aim is Pride Center**
 - **How best to follow up from here?**
- **3.4 Information Item: Speaker Series wrap-up**
- **3.5 Voting Item: student representative from PRISM as a member of the LGBTQ+ Advocates**
 - **Would still have to be brought forward to the Senate I think**
- **3.6 Discussion Item: meeting format, time, day**
 - **Decide on our following semester's meetings or wait until before Fall begins?**
 - **Same Day, Same time?**
 - **To meet online or in-person**

- **Call for Agenda Items the week before (Monday)**
- **Close the call for Agenda Items by Wednesday**
- **Send out Agenda by Thursday**
 - **Any alterations to this?**
- **3.7 Discussion Item: meeting our SPGM obligation (vision)**
 - **ALLY training workshop converted into online fashion (equitable especially for fellow part-time faculty...how to increase this access further)**
 - **3 ALLY sessions held over Fall and Spring**
 - **2 Train the Trainer sessions completed (a total of 8 trainers)**
 - **Speaker Series (on/off campus partnership dialogue being created)**
 - **Secured funding for a permanent part-time staff member in the Unity Zone**
 - **Drafted resolution and change on the college application asking on gender (no longer “unknown”)**
 - **Student representation and/or further collaboration between PRISM and LGBTQ+ Advocates**
 - **Christopher Lugo has agreed to examine and build on the Canvas PRISM shell over Summer**
 - **Possibly an ALLY workshop training in the Fall FLEX events**
 - **A special ALLY Workshop dedicated to our Writing Tutors/Peer Mentors**
 - **Still to come:**
 - **Campus Pride Index**
 - **LGBTQ+ Studies?**
 - **Furthering high school partnerships to increase LGBTQ+ student enrollment?**
- **What is your overall vision for this committee? What are your own goals that you see this committee accomplishing or setting their sights on?**

4. Open Hearing/Good of the Order

2:30 p.m. 5. Adjournment

Next meeting:

September 14, 2021 (TBD)