STAFF ASSOCIATION AREA REPRESENTATIVES

NOTICE OF MEETING

Date: Thursday. June 8, 2017
Time: 12:00pm – 1:00pm
Location: NH 3318

AGENDA

1. Linda Brogden, Karen Parkinson and Nellie Gomes, our Disability Management Team, will present details on Disability Management for Managers.

2. Approval of the minutes of May 11, 2017.

3. Approval of the agenda

4. Business arising from the minutes

5. President’s report

6. Outreach team report

7. Open forum

Next Meeting: September 14, 2017
President’s Report for Area Reps

UW Daycare Committee
Next scheduled meeting is June 11th. I have heard from a faculty parent that the requested new walkways (covering an emergency route to CIF) is not aligned with the priorities of parents; they want a walkway to get them to main campus instead. If anyone else who uses the daycare has issues like this with the facility or grounds that they would like brought up to the committee that functions as the landlord, please send your concerns to me.

Staff International Experience Fund Award (SIEF)
SIEF awards are expected to be announced by June 30, 2017.

Fall Reading Week
I am now sitting on the Fall Reading Week committee. If any staff members has concerns about the model being used for the fall break (currently the two days following Thanksgiving), please bring your concerns to me.

ICE Cream Truck
The Ice Cream truck is coming on Wednesday June 28th. Stay tuned for final details of time and places where it will park.

Election Info Sessions
No one attended the first info session held May 31st. There are three more, and I hope to not be alone for all of them 😉 Anyone who would like more information or is thinking about maybe getting more involved should attend at least one. The next election cycle will be in the fall, but there are other ways to get involved as well and we will discuss them all.

UWSA INFORMATION SESSIONS

- Thursday, June 22nd at 3:30 in E5-3052
- Wednesday, July 19th at Noon in DC1302
- Thursday, August 10th at Noon in HH 232

Lunchtime sessions will have Pizza, and we welcome anyone who might want to get more involved.

Road Show
The Food Services group recently received a roadshow talk, with engaged discussions. Plant Ops is pending. If anyone else would like a custom talk for their group, please let me know.

W3
Yu-Ru Liu’s talk on the "Mysteries of the Prime Numbers" was interesting and engaging. Everyone involved was engaged and interested, and understand. Mathematicians think about these concepts in much more detail and a unique way. The next W3 will include a talk by Lori Campbell, director of the Waterloo Aboriginal Education Centre about territorial acknowledgement. This talk will be held in the FishBowl (DC1301), and rumour is that it will include some catering. All women or woman-identified staff are invited.
GoodLife Memberships

Many of you may have noticed the glitches we had with the new automated registration process for GoodLife membership. The glitches have been successfully resolved now, so if you are interested in joining contact Cathy to get your personal number and a link to the GoodLife site.