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Dr. Kim Stoddard welcomes all education faculty, and thanks the Dean’s office and the USC center for sponsoring breakfast and lunch at 9:00am.

Welcome by the Dean
Dean Heller reported:
1. Undergraduate Advisor, Dr. Deanna Bullard is leaving the academic advising office and will be housed with us in Coquina hall.
2. There are three former education programs that need to be terminated, as all students have graduated or transferred out of each of the programs. Dean Heller called for a faculty voice vote, to terminate education programs, BS Elementary Education, BS English Education, and BS Special Education. The education faculty voted unanimously and approved to terminate all three of these programs.

USC Welcome Dwayne Issacs:
Dwayne Issacs, Assistant Director of the University Student Center (USC) reported:
1. Resource packets are placed on each of your tables, these packets are to help faculty and staff understand services and resources that the USC provides.
2. The Virtual EMS system is now available for paperless reservations.

KDP and EEC Presentation
President of KDP and EEC, Angela Wilson reported on all the events KDP and EEC have been involved with. KDP ad EEC both are consistently growing their membership and faculty can find updates on their facebook or petesync sites.
1. Plans are in process for a field trip for Fairmount Park Elementary 4th grade class.
2. KDP sponsored Fall 2013 Graduate Gallery Walk.
3. EEC sponsored Fall 2013 TWS Final Internship.
4. MLK parade; KDP and EEC with Fairmount leadership kid’s biggest group there.
5. Fairmount Park Elementary garden installation collaboration with Edible Peace Patch in process.
6. Science Café: Middle Grades and High School students in is process. Student in Middle Grades and High school come to our campus and present their projects in a mock presentation to help them with their presenting skills.
7. Bridge to Success summer camp: We are preparing for our second summer, and beginning to prepare for our kick off BBQ with the families.

Update of Fairmount Park
Fred Bennett, Community Liaison introduces new Principal of Fairmount Park Elementary School, Ms. Nina Pollauf. In addition, he updated faculty on the activities in process in regards to the collaboration.
1. 40 volunteer’s mentoring in Fairmount Park Elementary from, Dr. Gayle Evans Intro to Diversity Class.
2. PASS program.
3. Edible Peace Patch working collaboration with Fairmount Park, in school curriculum for elementary students, experimental learning.
4. MATH/SCI collaborations for Bridge to Success summer program.

Faculty Senate Update
Dr. William Lang, Faculty/Senate President reported:
1. Faculty/Senates main goal is to strengthen faculty involvement and faculty governance, he stressed to faculty to please look to your faculty governance, so decisions are not made arbitrarily.

ESOL Enrollment in Dual Track and MAT In ESE
Dr. Alex Brice reported:
1. There has been a drop in ESOL Enrollment and the only graduate program who seeks an endorsement is Dual Track; he would like to discuss with Curriculum and Programs to offer the ESOL Endorsement in other graduate programs within the college.

Communication Science Disorders
Dr. Alex Brice announced:
1. He would like the Communication Science Disorders Certificate program to be offered as a minor so all programs on campus and students are eligible to enroll. He is in process of requesting this.

Folio Data Progress and Reporting
Dr Zafer Unal reported:
1. Requested faculty to make certain all their students are submitting their Critical Assignments.
2. If any faculty members need candidate data, on FEAPS and ESOL please look to the folio. However, previous reports please see Becky.
3. Dr. Unal continues by demonstrating folio access and how to look up reports such as, Candidate’s samples, Course assessment, Internship assessment, and Internship evaluation, and Cooperating Teachers and Supervisors information.
4. All Data is there in the folio for faculty too pull from, as each member has access.

Sustainability Program of Study
Dr Anna Lewis reported:
1. November 2012 the Sustainability group convened to develop a Sustainability program at USFSP. The group collected data by surveying the perceptions of what sustainability is and how it will affect their program and students success in education and professional development. The group has also been comparing other institutions and their sustainability programs. The collected data has proven that sustainability programs are important to bring to campus because the program will
bring partnerships and collaboration between colleges, grant opportunities, and increase enrollment for our campus.

2. Dr. Lewis and the Sustainability group invites education faculty to participate and sign the proclamation for Sustainability.

Unstoppable Campaign
Dr. Olivia Hodges reported:
1. Teacher as Leaders Institute is on June 5th and 6th, she is in process of writing a grant to Macy's requesting money to support the institute. The event will be held in the marine science building.
2. In addition, Dr. Hodges discussed the importance of the Unstoppable Campaign, requesting faculty to make a donation.

COE Involvement for events on campus
Dr. Deanna Michael reported:
1. There is little representation of the COE at campus events. She continued by requesting faculty to contact the Faculty Chair, Dean or Faculty Senate if any member is uncomfortable with their workload.

USFSP Strategic Planning Update
Dr. Ann Marie Gunn, Dr. William Lang, and Dr. Zafer Unal reported:
1. The USFSP Strategic Plan will turn into a five year action plan. Dr. Gunn informed faculty that distance learning has been a big discussion.
2. The size of the campus has been an ongoing issue too, as the question keeps arising to how big USFSP should be.
3. The consultants hired by the Chancellor, have been really great with listening and making this entire process open for discussion, views and suggestions.

Academic Affairs Update Strategic Plan update
Vice Chancellor Fuego reported:
1. Chancellor would like to make certain that all faculty members have an opportunity to place their input in for the strategic plan.
2. Board of Governors performance, Vision 20/20 faculty input, and performance matrix handouts were placed on all the tables, Vice Chancellor requested for faculty to meet in program groups and make suggestions and input on the handouts. Their input will help perform our strategic discussion. Please send the feedback to Ms. Amy Harcar through campus mail.
3. We want to make certain your voices help us decide where we go the next 5 years.

NCATE/CAEP Update
Ms. Becky Ogletree, NCATE Accreditation Coordinator reported:
1. We have made significant progress with the NCATE Report. She welcomes each of the five standard committees to present the progress of their standard, and hold open suggestions and discussions.
2. In addition, Becky reported that Vice Chancellor Fueyo has requested to view the IR Report before it goes to NCATE. A suggestion was made to place the report on Canvas for all faculty and Vice Chancellor to view.
3. Feb 14th is the deadline for the assessment committee to review the Conceptual Framework and all Narratives and Exhibits to be placed on canvas for all standards.
4. We are not allowed to use links in the report.
5. When including examples of Syllabi, please make certain all syllabi are updated with the new FEAPs and Current Competencies. Include in Syllabi your updated office hours.
6. Update your regency data with the schools, and program areas.
7. Update and read through descriptions in your program catalogs

Adjourn:
The COE Faculty meeting was adjourned at 4:00pm.