



# CAMPUS LIFE TASKFORCE

*Team for the Advancement of a Learning College*

Minutes for Meeting, January 12, 2005  
2:00 PM Blue Room

In attendance: **Scott Scheer, co-chair, Lisa Bridges, Carol Lattimore, Donna Hood, Evelyn Parks, Cindy Martin**

The Campus Life sponsored party at Cindy Martin's cabin has been cancelled for now due to lack of interest. The group discussed the possibility of holding something later this year when the weather improves. Also discussed was the possibility of lunchtime gathering around the lake as a pot-luck party. Also discussed was the chance of holding rotating 'social gatherings' at buildings across campus, once a semester, hosted by individuals located in each. The group agreed to discuss this further in the future.

Scott Scheer reported that Debra Jones remains encouraged and enthusiastic about the on-going Potluck Club. While attendance has remained steady with 4-6 attending each gathering, those who attend heap high praise for the food items they sample and enjoy and the spirit of conversation and fellowship they have.

Yoga instruction/classes on-campus was discussed briefly and the group noted that with a couple of key yoga enthusiasts no longer on-campus, the possibility of getting a strong turnout may have diminished. While the item seems unlikely, taskforce members vowed to continue with the possibility in the future.

Scott Scheer reported he has a slight chance of obtaining metal bike racks from '*a friend of a friend, of a friend.*' He will keep the group up-to-date on what transpires. He added maintenance and/or welding personnel would still be needed to properly affix any racks to walls, cement pads, etc.

The issue of TALC Leadership 'Focus Groups' was mentioned and the group tabled the matter till more taskforce members were present and could voice opinions as to which one(s) to tackle first.

Co-chair Scott Scheer asked Evelyn Parks about the possibility of holding an 'Extreme Makeover/Pamper yourself for the Day' event through Cosmetology. Parks agreed to the scheduling of Facials, Manicures and Pedicures. She also agreed to look into the possibility of having a masseuse on-campus to give ten minute massages. Since this meeting, that too has happened and the first 'Pamper Yourself' Day will be held on Valentine's Day, February 14, with **FREE** treatments from Cosmetology students and massages by a graduate of Isothermal who owns her own business. Debra Jones and Scott Scheer are working closely with Evelyn Parks and a final schedule for both

morning (8 am – 12 noon) sessions and evening (5:30-9:30pm) will be finalized in the days ahead. Some 40+ Isothermal employees have already signed on for the Valentine's Day event. Parks indicated another such offering could be held on another Monday, the one day, Cosmetology students are not in classes.

The taskforce also discussed holding a Comedy film Series during late afternoons throughout the year, with the showing of FREE movies in the Library auditorium. The group loved the idea and agreed to pursue the possibility (since the meeting, Dr. Myra Johnson forwarded an e-mail request for approval to new TALC Leadership co-chair, Debbie Puett who contacted Scott Scheer with her approval. Debra Jones and Scott Scheer have since looked over the college Café and its new, clean, impressive dining area and have determined with vending machines and a good flat wall to show movies, that this might prove to be a better location, since food and drink historically have not been allowed in any part of the library. It has been further discussed to obtain the movies either through the library or simply rent them from a local video store. Popcorn would also be popped and sold at a very modest price, to compensate any rental or other costs that might result. Look for an announcement soon on the first movie and date sponsored by TALC's Campus Life Taskforce.

The issue of low attendance at taskforce meetings was discussed and the group acknowledged its understanding that taskforce membership is voluntary. They discussed events such as the cosmetology physical/beauty/health treatments, as well as the movie series, might get more involved in the near future.

The meeting adjourned at 3:00 PM.