Joe Crowley Student Union
Student Union Advisory Board (SUAB)
Meeting Minutes
September 28th, 2011

Meeting Agenda Coordinated by- Ellen Houston

- Committee charge was given by Associate Vice President and Director of the Student Union
- Things that need to be changed/implemented so that we can create traffic in the Student Union
- Campus Safety Issues- Should the Union is open till 2a.m in the morning?
- Before changes are made, we must know it’s a global issue (campus).
- Make any recommendation to Chuck Price about the building hours.
  - Mapworks- a tool to see how often students utilize the Joe.

1. Ideas
   - Vendors-should consider staying open later.
   - Pack Pit Stop- should consider being open later
     - Students are always hungry, gives them an excuse to make their way here.
   - Creates hours for those students who would like to work more.
   - 2 open spaces in the Joe (What would you like to see in those spaces?) Businesses that will be SUCCESSFUL (We are a self-sustaining building)

2. Concerns
   - Is the Joe meeting the needs of students? In the morning/evening? Academically? And socially?
   - Think of on campus and commuter students who live at home.
   - Student clubs and organization -Decrease in students planning their events.

3. Changes
   - What will make the Joe efficient?
   - What should we assess?
4. **Building Hours**
- Standard but fluctuates due to the weather or holidays.
- **FALL**
  - M-W: 7am-12am
  - Thurs-Sat: 7am-2 am
  - Sun: 10am-12am
- **SUMMER**
  - Mon-Fri: 7am-6pm
  - Weekends CLOSED

5. **Student Speaking**
- Student Union should develop a culture of having students come here to do homework instead of having students go to the KC then move here. So that it can benefit students who stay on campus late.
- JCSU should have LATE NIGHT events that students can go to and still have the opportunity to go out if they have plans. (9pm-11pm)

6. **Student Organizations**
- Clubs and Orgs should be encouraged to do late night events at the Joe for half the price. (Many are unaware of this so it should be advertised more via Facebook, Twitter, and Orgsnc Etc.)
  - If the Joe pays for half the staffing, the event must be something huge and important.
  - Should have signage that displays Student Union prices. (Scheduling).
  - Club leaders are concerned about scheduling changing their policy for dance rehearsals. They say-
    - It is not safe for them to be outside rehearsing in the garage.
This does not create traffic, it pushes students away.

7. Proposal

For events like the step show, Scheduling should allow students to rehearse on certain days so they can have an idea of what their stage looks like. They can do that by,

- Having Blog reservations and there should be a huge signage that says STEP/DANCE REHEARSALS might get a little loud

- 2012 step show will be in the Ballrooms.

NEXT MEETING>>>>>>

October 26, 2011 @1:30 pm JCSU Room 317

If you would like to put anything in the Agenda Email

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Attendance:
AVP Student Life Services- Dr. Jerry Marczynski
Joe Crowley Student Union, Director - Chuck Price
Corey Williamson - Associate Director
Pan-Hellenic Council- Christina Musgrove
Flipside Program Board- Huili Weinstock
Graduate Student Association- Kristi Peck
ASUN- Jenelle Yee
Center for Student Cultural Diversity - Ellen Houston
Traditions program Board - Julia Lapham
Flipside Program Board - Huili Weinstock
Multicultural Greek Council - RJ Lopez
Multicultural Center - Nadeen Black
Joe Crowley Student Union - Chris Marshal