

**College of Agriculture and Natural Resources (CANR)
STAFF ADVISORY COMMITTEE (SAC) MEETING MINUTES**

Wednesday, November 11, 2015

Present: Kris Hynes, Christian Kapp, Sharon Reasoner, Heather Miller, Colin Phillippo and Ellen Schueller

Absent: Terri Badgley, Dave Main, Julie Moore, Sandi Litchfield and Rene Wilson

Meeting was called to order 3:15 pm. Via ZOOM.by Christian Kapp.

Toys for Tots

Heather gave an update on toys for tots. She does have extra signs and will be ordering a few extra boxes. She also discovered that the boxes can be ordered online and the Marines will deliver them. Donations can also be done online (use the search). Heather also asked about having the Toys for Tots at the Autumnfest. Kris suggested she speak with Katherine Reed.

Basketball Tickets Update

The tickets have been secured for the Michigan game. The tickets for the Iowa game will go through Gail Herbert in the 4H office. Heather had questions about distributing the tickets, it was suggested she speak to Terri Badgley. The email for all zones is ready.

CANR SAC Awards

So far one packet has been received and another one is on the way. One is for individual and the other is for a team.

Deans Search/CANR Update

Terri left notes with Kris and said that the interviews at the airport in Detroit went well and 5 to 6 candidates will be invited to visit campus hopefully in December and may go into January. An announcement for an interim dean for 6 months will be announced very soon.

Update from Kris

There is concern about the new road bill that passed and money will be coming out of the state's base fund and how that will affect the college. Preparations have been started just in case we are affected. The grants in the college have increased. December 3 is the reception for Dr. Poston's retirement. It will be held at the Kellogg Center, Big Ten Room BC from 4:00pm to 6:00pm. The program will start at 4:30pm. There are many special guests will be there in person or video.

Next meeting is Wednesday, Dec 3, 2015, 3-5 p.m.

Adjournment - Meeting adjourned at 3:45 p.m.

Minutes transcribed by: Ellen Schueller