



OR Community Assembly Minutes
September 17, 2015
3:00-4:00 p.m.

In Attendance:

Robert Spann	Arlene Frank	Mark Seder	Brenda Lowery
Nadja Springer-Ali	Debi Ksionzek	Rasheedah Wright	
Jay Seewald	Vicki McNiff	Linda Emerson	

1. Welcome

- Community Assembly minutes can be found on InfoMart at <http://infomart/minutes/communityassemblies/or>.

2. Campus Announcements/Updates

- Enrollment decline was discussed. This is a trend at other community colleges, but there is a somewhat larger decline at OCC.
- The security camera upgrades should be completed in 3-4 weeks. Of the 88 cameras at OR, 65 will be replaced and we'll be getting 36 additional cameras. A-301 and A-304 are the only classrooms that will have cameras.
- Faculty are asked to pay close attention to attendance for proper distribution of N Grades.
- The Raiders Store now has dynamic pricing for the fall semester on select titles which may meet or beat the prices elsewhere. They will connect to Red Shelf and will be able to compare prices to Amazon, etc. They will be constantly evaluating their prices. Also in the Raiders Store, StayMobile is available for electronics repairs. National Student Day will be Thursday, October 8th. There will be games, the prize machine and cake.
- The 50th Anniversary Gala was cancelled due to low participation.
- With negotiations taking place, everyone is asked to be civil to one another.
- Jay said they are working on ridding the campus of the bees. The quantity of bees this year is up and we are not the only place experiencing problems.
- Debi Ksionzek said all the switches in the IT closets on campus were replaced. The Board did not approve the computer replacement request or the Tech Station replacements. They will try again at the next Board meeting. Applied Imaging will be on campus in October to replace existing copy machines with a new print management system.

3. Campus/College Events

- The Diversity and Inclusion Committee, specifically Pam Micallef, is creating a J Building flag display representing the heritage of students, staff, and faculty at OR. To participate, email Pam at pamicall@oaklandcc.edu with the name of a country that is part of your heritage, and a flag will be generated to hang as part of the display. Contact Pam if there are questions.
- On Thursday, October 15, 2015 from 1-2:30pm in J-292, the committee, in partnership with Student Life, will be hosting a viewing and paneled discussion of "Dark Girls". The film explores the prejudices dark-skinned women face throughout the world. Panelists will include, Dean Bev Stanbrough, Michelle May, Rosalind Reaves, and Ishita Nandi.
- Student Life has the following upcoming events:
 - Monday, September 21st – Jewish Student Organization Lunch & Learn, 1-2:00 in the Student Center Cafeteria Area
 - Tuesday, October 06th – Lunch with the President, 12-1:00 in the Student Center Cafeteria
 - Tuesday, October 13th – Jewish Student Organization Holocaust Speaker, 12:30-3:00 in J-292
 - Wednesday, October 21st – Student Life Speaker, Shea Howell on Reimagining Cities – Race & Region, 12-1:00 in A-214
 - Tuesday, November 4th – Student Life Film "The Mask You Live In" (documentary on masculinity), 1-3:00 in J-294

The next Community Assembly will be October 15, 2015 at 3:00 pm.

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