Mississippi University for Women - Staff Council Meeting

Date: October 9, 2025

Time: 2:00-3:00 PM

Location: Conference Room B, Fant Memorial Library

I. Call to Order

President Chelle Shaw called the meeting to order at 2:00 PM.

II. Roll Call

Present: Jordan Taylor, Chelle Shaw, Ada Miller, Lasonnia Whitfield, Larry Stone, Matthew Strahan, Skyler Hargrove, Tamera Jones, Neila Llewell, Tina Horton

Absent: Jennie Johnson

- III. Welcome & Introductions
 - Hi and hellos
 - Recap of End of September Activities
 - Sock Donations were greatly appreciated by the Salvation Army Coordinator, and will be part of the Holiday Boxes for the Elderly.
- IV. Upcoming Events & Initiatives
 - Office of the Month for October:
 - o Financial Aid was awarded Office of the Month
 - KCTL Training w/ Resources Management
 - o Contract Safe Training on October 23rd
 - Policy Review from Admin Council:
 - Definition of a Credit Hour (2021)
 - No changes
 - unanimous yea votes after review
 - Student Scholastic Appeals Committee (2021)
 - No changes
 - unanimous yea votes after review
 - o Honors College Committee (2020)
 - unanimous yea votes after review
 - Academic Grievances

- unanimous yea votes after review
- o Academic Standards Board (2021)
 - No changes
 - unanimous yea votes after review
- Textbook Adoption (2021)
 - No changes
 - unanimous yea votes after review
- October Events:
 - Office Decorating Contest
 - Halloween Party:
 - October 31st 2:00pm-4:00pm in Cochran Hall
 - Food:
 - Fruit & cheese Tray, Buffalo Wings, Assorted cookies, Fried Ravioli, Ice Water & Sangria Punch
 - Craft for Halloween Party
 - Painting thing ideas discussed, need paint and brushes
 - Larry may have a lead on Pumpkins for the event
 - Costume Contest Top 3 @ Halloween Party (Individual)
 - The Events are Staff only things.
- November Event:
 - Thanksgiving Baskets
 - Possible storage/dropoff location Cochran Hall
 - Get with Student Life/Leadership
- December Events briefly mentioned:
 - o The Luncheon
 - The Salvation Army Toy Drive

V. Communications

• Staff Council will maintain regular communication via Microsoft Teams-members are encouraged to check Teams daily if at work.

VI. Miscellaneous

- Dr. Brooking Enrollment Transparency talk
 - Wednesday Mornings in The W Room @ 8:30am

Meeting Adjourned. → Time 2:38pm.

Minutes submitted to the best of my ability by:

Ada Miller, Acting Secretary