



SOUTHWESTERN
AN OREGON COMMUNITY COLLEGE
Safety Committee Meeting

Chairperson: Mike Herbert

Notetaker: Carol Richards

Attendees: Joe Belter, Emerald Brunett, Mike Herbert, Carol Richards, Allison Seeley, ~~Joe Thomas~~, Shawn Warren, ~~Mike Wolf, Megan Corriea, Jason Cash~~, Chelsea Clemens, ~~Mary Koski~~, Tasha Livingstone, Sam Barry

Date: April 21, 2021-Approval of March 17, 2021 minutes

Curry County: 541-469-5017

Note: Items that have strike out mean that they have been completed. They will be removed from the minutes at the next meeting. Information may include current month's activities up to the date of the subsequent meeting.

OLD BUSINESS

Joe Belter motioned to approved minutes, Shawn Warren seconded this, and the motion passed unanimously.

NEW BUSINESS/AGENDA

AGENDA

- Approval of March 17, 2021 minutes.
- COVID-19 Update/Check in:
 - Athletics
 - OCCI – No cases; 1 student quarantined
 - Facilities
 - Curry
- Water balloon fight for Housing. See below for Emerald's safety concerns:
 - The inner rings in the parking lots are really not a safe place to recreate. They are very uneven and have a lot of exposed roots that have caused slips, trips, and falls in the past. Classes are in session until 10pm at night so the lots would potentially still have cars in them. The activity would be better suited for the basketball courts in housing.
 - There is risk and liability involved in someone getting injured during this activity including falling, eye damage, or even a latex allergy from the balloons. Carol Richards, in Jeff's office can help walk through the liability concerns. I have added her to this chain.
- Accidents and near misses – An incident report was received that did not result in a workers' comp claim. The staff member indicated they had been performing a repetitive task that resulted in shoulder pain. Carol Richards spoke with the staff member and asked them to break repetitive tasks up during the day if at all possible to help mitigate potential issues such as this in the future.

HAZARD INSPECTIONS

No new inspections as no hazard inspections are required during COVID-19 per OR-OSHA.

Next safety meeting is scheduled for May 19, 2021 at 3:00 pm in Tioga 505/Zoom

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