

Food Services Advisory Committee
Meeting Minutes May 6, 2011

Attendees: Sharon Bode, Rebecca Szwarc, Linda Keng, Michael Harding, Xiaojing Yuan, Bryan Haver, Marianela Acuna Arreaza, Tanea Tahir, Esmeralda Valdez, Emily Messa, Geoff Herbert, Misty Pierce, Jonas Chin, Craig Premjee, Ryan Callard

I. Approval Items

- A. Confirmation of Student At-Large Position starting August 31, 2011
 1. Review of both candidates applications was sent out prior
 2. Ryan Callard
 - a. Hotel Restaurant Management major
 - b. Can bring a lot of good ideas to the Food Services Advisory Committee
 - c. Involved on campus with Greek Life and Orientation Team
 - d. Wants to continue to improve communications about what is going on with UH Dining
 3. Omar Tahir- could not attend the meeting, application pulled up to second viewing for committee
 4. Called to a vote- Ryan Callard approved in a vote Yes-6, No-1
 5. Ryan Callard will be the Student At-Large spot for August 31, 2011-August 31, 2012
 6. Point out that both candidates mentioned communication s in their applications as things that need to be focused on
- B. Meal Plan Scholarship
 1. Additions to the requirements include specifying that the requirements of the meal plan scholarship
 2. Want to continue to keep the program running for a long time
 3. Proposal similar to what was done with the Bookstore Scholarship, previously the scholarship just said it was for students with GPA above 3.0
 4. Want to include transfer students, incoming freshmen and current students
 5. Additions to requirements as proposed:
 - a. Eight recipients/semester (totaling 16 disbursements) for Academic Year 2011 – 2012 targeting these populations (*see definitions on page 2*):
 1. 4 Academic Excellence (A/E) Scholars for new/incoming students:
SAT score range 1100 – 1190
ACT score range 24 – 26
 - b. 2 students on a Dean’s List for returning/continuing students:
 1. 3.5 GPA or better
 - c. 2 Transfer Excellence (T/E) Scholars for transfer students:
 1. 3.0 GPA or better
 6. Called to a vote- Meal Plan Scholarship approved unanimously by committee
- C. Fall 2011 Operation Hours
 1. Chili’s shutting down on May 13th
 2. Kim Son in the UC Satellite wants to extend hours, open till 5pm
 3. Pizza Hut extending hours to 4pm
 4. Chick-Fil-A extending hours to 4pm
 5. Cougar Express- 9am-1am
 6. These hours are all still being worked on, will report back in June regarding the hours

II. Update Reports

A. Residential Dining Hall West

1. Early phases of concept design for the dining hall
2. Chosen Spaw Glass to be the contractor
3. Will be LEED – Silver certified building set to open in the Fall 2012
4. Oberholtzer Dining Hall will be converted back to student room space for Residential Life and Housing

B. Fresh Food Company- Training Site

1. Last week- chefs from various universities throughout the United States came to UH to train
2. Training in the Fresh Food Company environment, still a unique concept for many chefs
3. Lots of work, but managed to put it together
4. Teaching staff and other chefs, look forward to this to continue as UH is a model

III. Adjourn and next meeting

- A. June 10th in the Fresh Food Company