

Classified Senate Meeting Minutes
Thursday, May 7, 2009
Administration 109

Attendance: L. Bloom, N. Buchwald, M. Chang, M. Cheney, L. Ching, T. Ehle, M.K. Englen, A. Guevara, L. Jenkins, K. Kirkpatrick, G. Vandiver, L. Yumori-Kaku

Classified Retreat

A. Guevara reviewed the Classified Retreat Agenda. He asked people to bring a camera and send photos to A1. Set up is at 7:30 a.m. There will be nametags with a fruit or vegetable that will determine which group you will be in. Carpooling is recommended. There is an expected 270 people from Central Services, De Anza and Foothill. L. Yumori-Kaku said that she had collected 70 drawing prizes but is still accepting them on the day of the retreat.

IBPT

Budget Reduction Info: There are 3 classified professionals on the IBPT – D. Bradshaw, M.K. Englen, M. Doan from the Chemistry Lab along with 5 faculty and 5 managers. They will forward a recommendation. The Program Review is the foundation for budget consideration. There is an analysis whether programs are meeting the college goals. What can be suspended? What can be eliminated? There will be a need to reduce job positions district-wide due to the budget beginning in July 2010. Positions would be notified before the positions are submitted to the Board of Trustees meeting on May 18. The special elections outcome will have an effect on the budget situation.

Classified Senate Elections for 2009- 2010

A. Guevara passed out a handout for the elections, which will be an Ice Cream Social at the end of the month. There are vacant senator sections: 3,7, 9, and 18. There was discussion of combining sections since programs have moved from original locations when the senate sections were created. The officer positions open are the President Elect, Treasurer and Secretary. L. Bloom and G. Vandiver volunteered for the Elections Committee.

Respectfully submitted

La Donna Yumori-Kaku