

## Staff Council Communications Committee

January 11, 2017

Attendees: Linda Anderson, Sharon Lee, Sarah Nucci, Scott Pennelly, Stephen Potter, Kelly Sandin, Tim Walling

**Welcome:** Sharon thanked everyone for joining in person and on Vidyo.

The Staff Council BBQ planning on 2/22/17 was the main topic of discussion for today's meeting.

Shifts need to be filled for the Staff BBQ – two shifts – 11-12:30 and 12:30-2/two people for each shift are needed. Linda will be sending out a link for people to sign up through Signup.com.

We need a game for the BBQ – Ideas were discussed; Activities and Events committee is doing Plinko, Sustainability Committee is doing Stryker, Chicken in a Pot is available. The M&M game and Jenga were discussed for our committee. Sharon will coordinate.

Other ways we can contribute:

- We can create talking points for the announcements at the SC BBQ.
- We can get the word out about how people can get involved, like signing up for Staff Helping Staff through payroll deduction.
- We can continue the spare change campaign.
- We can have people sign up at the BBQ when they visit our table.

There was more discussion about ways we can get the word out about Staff Council.

-We could have a FB Likes contest with a drawing for a prize. We could have candy bars with the SC website on the wrappers. We could do a table topper for the BBQ with "Did you know?" bullet points.

-Sparky's Scoop currently has 413 members on the DL. People can be added by signing up on the website with an email that will require an additional step to opt in.

Action items:

- 1) Table tents for the BBQ – Linda will investigate
- 2) Game – Sharon will coordinate
- 3) FB Likes Contest – we need to coordinate and decide on a prize
- 4) Talking points for BBQ – Sharon will create
- 5) Manning booths at BBQ - all

Other campus Staff Council members are encouraged to volunteer at the Tempe BBQ as much help is needed.

Steve talked about the possibility of starting a Professional Development Committee which would offer professional development opportunities such as hosting the Lunch and Learn series. HR (Kevin Salcido) would serve as the ASU partner for this committee.

Tara O'Brien put in a request for SkySong members to have their own staff BBQ.

Meeting adjourned at 1:00 p.m.