Northwest Missouri State University

Kansas City Alumni Chapter Business Meeting

June 25, 2013

1.) Welcome – Amy Washam
2.) Review and Approval of Minutes – Minutes Approved
3.) Roll Call – Bob Stalder, Damian Bridges, Terry Day, Tony Dorrell, Daniel Posch, Reed Jorgensen, Troy Apostol, Terry Barmann, Amy Washam, Jessica Peak, Leslie Hankins, Brian Stewart
4.) Report from Alumni House
   a. April Board Meeting – Voted to do away with Alumni Memberships on July 1, 2013. There were not enough incentives for Alumni to pay the $100 to join and there were less than 100 members.
   b. Board is working harder to get new and former alumni excited about Northwest again. Is reaching out to the Alumni Chapters for assistance without sending out too many e-mails.
   c. Early discussion concerning the last game at Arrowhead to be played between Northwest and Pitt State. Alumni House would like to go out with a bang and are soliciting ideas on whether to once again rent the Founders Club or the Pavilion as a hosting location or possible setup a tent in the middle of the tailgate action. This was discussed at length and many ideas were thrown around, but the House needs to make a decision by the first week of August.
5.) Past Event Wrap Up
   a. Graduation – KC Chapter members handed out cups and assisted in helping the graduates through the ceremony
   b. Recent Graduates Event – Event was held at McFadden’s with around 5 recent graduates showing up for the event. The staff at McFadden’s was constantly moving the group around the bar and some promises that were made for our event were no kept. A suggestion was made to return to the Quaff for future events.
   c. Social Media Event – Only a few made the event and there was little discussion on having a future event
6.) Upcoming Events
   a. Golf Tournament and Coaches Meet and Greet at Shiloh Springs Golf Course and Platte Valley Bank in Platte City. Scott Nielson (Associate AD) was contacted about the event and it was decided that the Football Coaches would be moved to the end of the Meet and Greet to have more people stay for the entire event. The scholarship winner will also be recognized at this event.
   b. Fall Classic (October 19th) – It was decided to let the Alumni House handle anything to do with the upcoming game, as they plan to put on a big event.
   c. Winter/Spring Coaches Meet and Greet – Planned for October
   d. Holiday Party – Planning for December with new location. Bob Stalder is heading the event
   e. Other event ideas – Night at the Missouri Mavericks in Jan or Feb
7.) New Business
   a. No new business was discussed

Next Meeting: September 18th at 5:30 p.m. at NWMSU KC Center