

November 3, 2012 Minutes

The quarterly meeting for the NCCCAA Board met in Room 213 of the Student Union on Saturday, November 3, 2012. Due to a lack of quorum this meeting technically wasn't official. Nevertheless it proceeded anyway. It started off with College President, Dr. Brian Inbody giving the board his presentation regarding the ten-year growth plan along with other pertinent facts. Some of the highlights of his presentation were:

- NCCC is expanding in enrollment. It has recently added more freshmen than any other community college in the state. Part of this is due to the enrollment at the Ottawa Campus and online. The Chanute campus has also had excellent growth.
- The nursing program has been an increasingly big draw for the college. It has continued to grow over the years and is one of the best in the state.
- As of last summer the college has begun the ten-year plan. Some of the work that was recently done has been the installation of a new gymnasium floor. It has met some stringent specifications making it the only one certified of the state's community colleges.
- A new runoff detention pond has been built along with a new road on one side of campus.
- New concession stands, bathrooms, and showers have been built for the athletes.
- Phase 1 of the Stoltz Hall renovation has begun. The photo lab has been converted into a conference lab.
- Dr. Inbody remarked about the financial challenges that College faces. These pertained to changes in state aid, local mills, student fees, and federal aid.
- During his presentation Dr. Inbody showed some pictures that helped visualize the ten-year plan. They showed what the campus should look like once this is completed. The campus will have a distinctively different look while retaining much of its current features.

After Dr. Inbody's presentation the board proceeded to *old business*. The only item discussed was the class of 62's reunion. It went well with no problems. Next was *new business*. The first item was the give a ways. These are small useful items that can given away at any event where we have a booth. Some ideas were discussed and this will be discussed again closer to graduation. The second item was the *Panther Tracks*. The next issue will come out in January and it will be web only. For those wishing to receive this they need to make sure that the college receives their email address. So far *Panther Tracks* has been going well. The third item pertained to the *Heritage Family*. Heritage Family is a multigenerational acknowledgement of families who have attended the college. The final item was the *Distinguished Alumni*. Some of the last year's nomination will be reconsidered along with any new ones. Any new ones need to be forwarded to board as soon as possible.

Upon conclusion of the old business it was motioned that the meeting be adjourned. The next meeting will be February 2, 2013 in Room 213 of the Student Union on the Chanute Campus.

Respectively submitted,

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