

**Mid-Year Committee Report
(2020-21)**

Committee Name: Athletics Committee

Chairperson: Julie Myers-Kuhn

List of members: Jason Jenkins, Rob Blakley, Brittanie Talley, Tori Smith, Rachel Toy, Lyle Bonner, Anne Patterson, Mindi Flynn and Criquett Lehman

Date of meeting: May 24, 2021

Accomplishments: New Student Success program implemented called Acadeum.

Recommendations: Coaches can start making their student/athletes Fall 2021 schedules.

Membership suggestions: N/A

Attachment of agendas and minutes, including attendance (if not posted on website)

Submitted by: Rachel Toy

Date submitted: May 26, 2021

MEMORANDUM

To: Athletics Committee

From: Rachel Toy

Date: 5/24/2021

Subject: Athletics Committee Meeting Minutes

The meeting was called to order at 2:00 pm. Monday, May 24, 2021. Those in attendance were Julie Myers-Kuhn, Jason Jenkins, Rob Blakley, Brittanie Talley, Tori Smith, Rachel Toy, Lyle Bonner, Anne Patterson, Mindi Flynn, and Criquett Chapman

Julie asked if there was anyone that would like to add any input to Athletics or if there was anything that needed to transpire and needed to be discussed could feel free to do so.

Criquett Lehman stated that Student Success Specialist Sjhonton Fanner would be advising both the baseball and volleyball teams and Student Success Specialist Lindsey David would be advising the rodeo and softball teams.

All advising can now be done online, including setting up the TSI testing.

- A student/athletes status can be processed by using an unofficial transcript to get them enrolled. The transcript must have their name and institution attended on it to get them enrolled and must be followed by an official transcript.
- Student/Athletes who take courses in between semesters at other institutions need to understand that the course work taken is a transfer credit and that the course doesn't go towards their GPA.
- Student Services will be trying a new program called Acaduem. This program allows student/athletes to take courses at other institutions through Vernon College and the course work taken does count towards their GPA.
- Michael Schoppa will be helping advise the student/athletes taking the Agricultural courses.
- Coaches can go ahead and start making schedules for their incoming athletes for the fall semester.

Lyle Bonner also added that the resurfacing of the gym floor is in progress.

- The metal has been taken off the rodeo stalls and now they will need to be plumbed.

Julie Myers-Kuhn mentioned to Lyle that the electrical situation needs to be fixed in the volleyball locker room.

Mindi Flynn stated that in the past non-payment from athletes has been an issue and Julie stated that athletes are no longer allowed to play their sport until the balance has been paid.

- Coaches may pay their credit card bills as they go along so that they don't exceed their credit card limit.

Coach Talley asked if there was a way to be able to view her monthly credit card statement online. Mindi responded that she could with the designated pin number.

- She also inquired about the "T" drive and wanted to know how often it was updated.