MWCC Alumni Network Monthly Meeting – June 5, 2017

PRESENT:
- President - Mark Geoffroy
- Vice President - Lawrence Nfor
- Secretary - Briana Nobrega
- Board Member - Marianne Geoffroy
- Board Member – Karen Greenwood
- Board Member - Amanda Landry
- Board Member – Kathy Matson

ABSENT:
- Treasurer – Vacant
- Board Member - John Day
- Board Member – Philip DeCharles
- Board Member - Adesholla Gionet
- Board Member - Stacey LaPlante
- Board Member - Phillip Stan
- Alumni Liaison - Joanne Davidson
- Alumni Liaison - Carrie DeCosta
- Alumni Liaison - Renee Eldredge
- Alumni Liaison - Karl Hakkarainen
- Alumni Liaison - Elizabeth Reiser

Discussion

1. Minutes from Previous Meeting
   - Approved (reached quorum)

2. Commencement Review
   - Reception went really well, next year we should do the same things (give out freebies, take photos, and promote Dine for a Cause)

3. Dine for a Cause (Briana)
   - Combination of raffles, dine proceeds, and extra donations, we made $785 which is only $15 short of what we made last year
   - We will try to keep the same Tuesday next year
   - Briana to put request in early with Ale House because last year we were a little late

4. Priorities for September Meeting Discussion
   - Alumni Cafe
     1. Brainstorm logistics and create plan/schedule, determine what’s needed for scheduling and budget
   - Alumni-owned Businesses
     1. Brainstorm what we want our relationship to be with these businesses and how we want to partner with them
     2. How do we want to approach them? What should our message be?

3. ACTION ITEM: All members: Bring names/contact info of any Alumni that you know who own businesses.

4. ACTION ITEM: Notice to all members: At this time we will break for summer. Our next meeting will be TUESDAY September 5, 2017.
• **Quiz Night**
  1. Start planning for next one, we definitely want to do one this coming year

• **THINKFAST**
  1. This is a gameshow that Kathy does for students out of the Student Life office
  2. If we do it the same day as she does it for Student Life (just later that evening), we might be able to get a better rate
  3. It’s run by a third party and has a game show feel with trivia, challenges, teams, etc. You can also choose an overall theme.
  4. **ACTION ITEM:** Kathy to bring more information on this to September meeting.

5. **Officer Election/Discussion of Board Members**
  - Voted in all same officers for another year, reached quorum
  - Treasurer is still vacant
  - Karen asked if we were open to accepting new board members, the consensus was yes
  - We reviewed our list of board members and noted those who have been inactive for quite some time
  - **ACTION ITEM:** Mark to contact Phil Stan and Stacey LaPlante about whether or not they’d like to change their status to liaison. Karen to get Mark Stacey’s email address.
  - **ACTION ITEM:** All board members: Please let us know if you are interested in filling the vacant Treasurer position.

6. **Adjournment**
  - Meeting adjourned at 6:45pm