



SCHOOL OF MUSIC,
THEATRE, AND DANCE
COLORADO STATE UNIVERSITY

SMTD Student Advisory Council Meeting minutes

Location: Green Room

Date: October 10, 2023

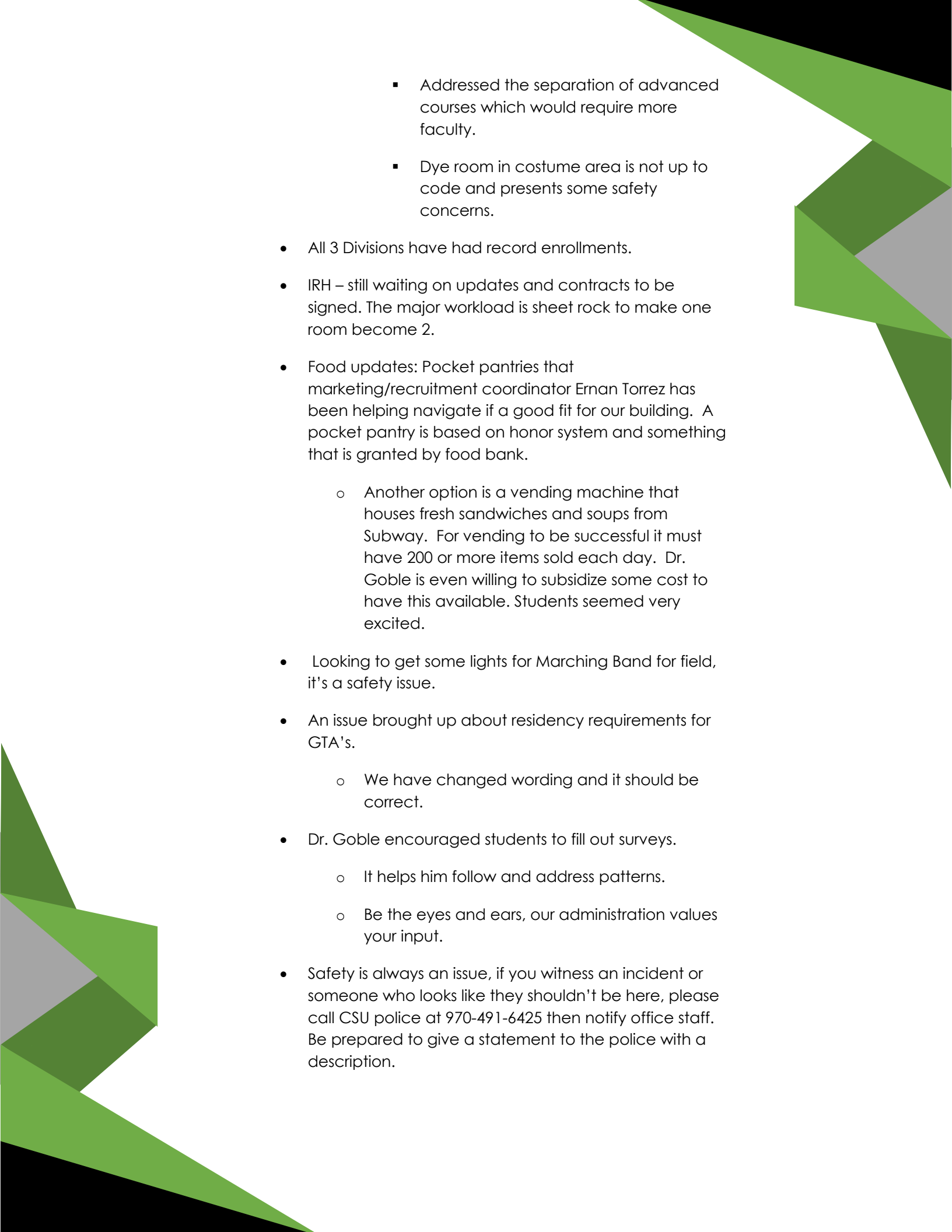
Attendees: Dr. Goble, Gretchin Wheeler (Admin Asst), Rachel Richardson, Eric Zertuche, Matthew Bishop, Dani Ranisate, Charvra Jamison

Not Attending: Arjen Wynja, Jalen Thompson

Time: 8 am- 9 am

Directors Report

- Dr. Goble
- Introductions and welcome
 - Stressed importance of bringing forth ideas, this forum is an opportunity to speak freely and present ideas to move upward. If you need private discussion, Dr. Goble is always available.
 - How are Mid-terms?
- KCACTF(Kennedy Center American College Theatre Festival) received 17 nominations, wrapped up Silent Sky. A beautiful production
 - Theatre Accreditation is coming up in November. We submitted documents last week.
 - Visitors from accreditation will talk to students and feel free to speak openly about programs.
- Dance has guest artist JoAnna Mendl Shaw and The Equus Projects. A physical dialogue between people and equines. They are present here and at our SPUR campus.
 - Dance accreditation was last Spring.

- 
- Addressed the separation of advanced courses which would require more faculty.
 - Dye room in costume area is not up to code and presents some safety concerns.
 - All 3 Divisions have had record enrollments.
 - IRH – still waiting on updates and contracts to be signed. The major workload is sheet rock to make one room become 2.
 - Food updates: Pocket pantries that marketing/recruitment coordinator Eman Torrez has been helping navigate if a good fit for our building. A pocket pantry is based on honor system and something that is granted by food bank.
 - Another option is a vending machine that houses fresh sandwiches and soups from Subway. For vending to be successful it must have 200 or more items sold each day. Dr. Goble is even willing to subsidize some cost to have this available. Students seemed very excited.
 - Looking to get some lights for Marching Band for field, it's a safety issue.
 - An issue brought up about residency requirements for GTA's.
 - We have changed wording and it should be correct.
 - Dr. Goble encouraged students to fill out surveys.
 - It helps him follow and address patterns.
 - Be the eyes and ears, our administration values your input.
 - Safety is always an issue, if you witness an incident or someone who looks like they shouldn't be here, please call CSU police at 970-491-6425 then notify office staff. Be prepared to give a statement to the police with a description.

| Action Items | Owner(s) | Deadline | Status |
|--------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|---------------|
| Refrigerator/tea kettles | Dr. Goble | 04/2023 | completed |
| Printing | Administration | 09/2023 | completed |
| IRH | Administration | 06/2024 | In progress |