

UNIVERSITY OF NEW MEXICO
Athletic Council Meeting Minutes
Thursday December 3, 2022
3:30 – 4:30 PM

Minutes

Voting Council Members: Ryan Swanson, Gig Brummell, Hongyoung Kim, Belinda Wallace, Ann Gibson, John Benavidez, Amy Beggin, Janet Poole, Todd Seidler, Lindsay Smart, Karl Hinterbichler, Shelly McLaughlin, Adriana Gabaldon

Absent Voting Council Members: Richard File-Muriel, Monica Cyrino, Michael Rocca

Ex-Officio, Guests & Minutes: Eddie Nunez, Karen Gaudreault, Chris Baca, Paris Dalton, SAC Rep.

Opening and Call to Order

Ryan Swanson

Meeting started at 3:33 pm. Quorum was met.

Approval of Agenda

Council

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Approval of November minutes

Introductions

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Introductions as there are new members since the previous meeting in May 2022.

Athletic Council Chair's Welcome and Report

Ryan Swanson

Ryan had a meeting with Senate Ops committee meeting to discuss the D170 policy. We have the UNM Symposium on Sports, that give students athletes, faculty, and staff to present research on sports. If anyone is interested let Ryan know. This will happen mid-March.

Ryan will send a poll in January for best meeting times for all for our remaining AC meetings.

Athletic Department Report

Eddie Nunez

Eddie and President Stokes are going to try to facilitate additional support with campus safety from the legislature. It was a great season for volleyball, they made it to conference for second year in a row. Conference champs in soccer, cross country finished 2nd. in NCAA.

Faculty Athletic Representative Report

Karen Gaudreault

Met with A&S for improvement to lower division math courses. Chris and Karen will meet with A&S, Dean Mafi. The D170 Attendance Policy is tabled.

Lobo Center for Student -Athlete Success Report

Chris Baca

Men's basketball was not able to finish the last two games so they are looking at picking up two games. One will be in Las Vegas, NV. Decemeber 11-13. Student athletes will not be impacted by the away game during finals week. Swim and Dive will be competing away during finals week also. All students with that team will have completed their finals. Stoll ceremony to honor and celebrate those students who have exhausted eligibility. Frankie says Relax...different theme every day to help students to stay calm before finals. Movies, games, therapy dogs, yoga and mindfulness and mental health. Hidden Opponent will be doing exercises to help students decompress.

Student-Athlete Advisory Committee Report

Paris Dalton

In their last meeting they discussed Lobo Athletics Food Drive. Safety on campus-students raised concerns about living at Lobo Village—they do not feel comfortable and safe living there.

Other Business?

Adjourn

4:12PM