The Recreation Advisory Committee (RAC) serves as a liaison between Campus Recreation and the university community, focusing primarily on how to achieve the mission and vision of Campus Recreation, improve facilities/programs/services, and advocate for the recreation, health and wellness needs of the campus community, according to the RAC By-Laws. In its advisory capacity, RAC has responsibility for reviewing long-range strategic and programmatic plans, budgets, and facility developments/renovations as well as initiating recommendations to department administration.

Meeting Minutes

1. Welcome Back – HNE!
   - Hope everyone had a great break!
2. Update on how everyone is doing
3. By-Laws discussions – proposed changes
   - Vote required to approve changes to by-laws
   - Changes are minor and mainly update terminology
   - Vote results: 5-0 to approve the by-law changes
4. Campus Recreation (CREC) Updates:
   a. Updates on CREC operations during Covid-19
      a. Approx. 30 student rec employees have contracted COVID-19, none of which have caused any spread of other cases through campus rec
      b. Both rec centers are open, and usage has gone up from the fall semester; however, keeping at a limit at 13% of normal max capacity currently allowed
      c. There have been a few cases of enforcing mask wearing
      d. Overall safety measures have been positively implemented and people have followed safety protocols
      e. Outside weight room still operational
   b. Budget updates – FY 21 Revised
      a. Projecting based on fiscal year, 2.2 mil deficit
      b. Enough fund balance/savings to zero out for FY 21
      c. FY 22 still up in the air
   c. Spring 2021
      - Program changes coming – additions, and some fees
         o Starting on or around Feb 22- intramurals, personal trainings, F45
         o Virtual online classes will continue and will remain free
         o Intramurals all season pass will be $20
         o F45 passes $45- as many classes as you want
         o Outdoor rec rentals still available
5. Facility updates – NorthRec, Main Rec, Bartlett/Bear Down Gym/SSD
- North rec numbers have elevated but have not exceed max yet
  - Students have been asking to open earlier to lower wait time
  - Looking to expand hours- updates to come
- University is putting in touchless water fountains
- Bear down gym expected to open in Dec 2021 or Jan 2022
- Bartlett building opening mid-late Feb 2021
- Searching for faculty to fill empty positions
  - Facility Coordinator – Search ongoing now
  - Aquatics Coordinator – Search will start in February
  - Accounting position – will start in February
  - Research / Assessment – later this spring

6. Next Meeting – February 22 @ 4pm via Zoom
7. Adjournment