

Minutes for the ATD Meeting

September 12, 2012

An Achieving the Dream Core Team meeting was held Wednesday, September 12, 2012, in Room 125 of the Logistics Center, beginning at 2:30 p.m. Those present were Shirley Armstrong, Regina Watts, Calvin Lee, Elizabeth Deming, Tomekia Cooper, Debra Jones, Joy Knighton, Angela Davis, Don Laye, and Scott Boyd, who provided technical support for the meeting.

The purpose of the meeting was to review the events for the Achieving the Dream Kickoff set for next week. The following schedule of events has been set and will take place in the Kirkland Building:

Monday, Sept. 17, 2:00 p.m.:

Giveaways of stress "CUBES," led by Angela Davis
Introduction of ATD by Shirley Armstrong
PowerPoint on ATD created by the Faculty Engagement Group
Introduction of video by Calvin Lee
Viewing of the video
Question/Answer follow-up led by Emmett Griswold

Tuesday, Sept. 18, 2:00 p.m.:

You Tube ATD Video
Introduction of the speaker by Don Laye
Kenneth Cutts, speaking on "Equity"
Presentation of speaker's gift, Laye and Regina Watts
Dr. Parker and a brief faculty meeting
Set-up of Finish Line Game after the meeting

Wednesday, Sept. 19, 2:00 p.m.:

Monroe High School Band
Pep Rally led by faculty/staff cheerleaders (Frederia Sampson, lead organizer)
Rehearsal of Finish Line Game after pep rally

Thursday, Sept. 20, 12:00 p.m.:

Tailgate Party as lunch
Introduction of Finish Line Game by Debra Jones

Finish Line Game with participants, announcer, and referee (Kristal Baranko)
Giveaways of stadium cups tossed out by cheerleaders
Game wrap-up/closing words by Armstrong or Parker
Data Coach and Leadership Coach present for the festivities
Clean-up

Other discussions at the meeting focused on the need for an email to faculty and staff about the event, placement of yard signs to advertise the kickoff, television airing of the ATD PowerPoint (Elizabeth Deming and Scott Boyd), attire of red or black shirts with casual pants for the Tailgate Party/Game, and the possibility of another meeting before the kickoff begins.

The meeting was adjourned.