

Creating Awesome Moment Opportunities (CAMO)

Meeting Agenda

September 4, 2024

1. Prayer & Devotional Thought - Tom
2. Brief report/feedback on events since last meeting
 - a. Popsicles at SmartStart
 - b. Main Event
 - c. We-Haul
 - d. Letters to parents after dropping off freshmen
3. Possible Future Events 2024-25 and beyond
 - a. Slip n' Slide (Christmas in July?) – Justin and Sandy
 - b. Student shuttle – cool vehicles – Justin – non-Southern apartments
 - c. Outdoor movie (drive-in movie feel with popcorn truck) – Ingrid check with Alexis
 - d. Snow Machine – Justin and Sandy
 - e. Hay Ride – Fall – Make a pumpkin field with prizes
 - f. Classic Car Photo Op – Justin (at his discretion)
 - g. Putt Putt and pop with the Prez – Renita – Maybe Fall
 - h. Zipline – in the spring?
 - i. Ropes Course Tickets
 - j. Petting Zoo
 - k. Other?
4. Pop with Prez Schedule

2024-25 Pop with the Prez Schedule			
Date	Time	Food Served	Location
September 17	8:30-10:30	Banana Bread/Drinks	Promenade
October 14	1:30-3:30	Cookies/Drinks	Promenade
November 13	9:30-11:30	Popcorn/Drinks	Promenade
January 22	8:30-10:30	Pop Tarts/Hot Chocolate	Promenade
February 18	2:15-4:15	Banana Bread/Drinks	Promenade
April 7	12:45-3:00	Cookies/Drinks	Promenade
May 1	12:45-3:00	Bruster's Ice Cream Truck	Promenade

5. Reboot (continued) – Brainstorming – What additional should we be doing to create WOW moments?
 How can we create individual moments for students or employees if they have a particularly negative or positive event in their lives? How can we find out about these situations without announcing it to campus or becoming responsible to do something for all these situations? We agreed we should keep our eyes and ears open for opportunities to create special moments.
6. Operationalized: Prayer on the Promenade, Graduation Kits, Employee Picnic (year-end) – partner with HR dietary restrictions, We-Haul, Photo booth at Main Event, SmartStart popsicles
7. Next Meeting

Members: Tom Verrill, Christalee Crary, Cheri Durst, Brenda Flores-Lopez, Lisa Hess, Joseph Hyde, Sandy James, Kim Mendoza, Justin Moore, Renita Moore, Ingrid Skantz

CAMO Meeting Notes

June 13, 2024

In Attendance: Tom Verrill, Christalee Crary, Sandy James, Kim Mendoza, Justin Moore, Ingrid Skantz.

Past Events

- Prayer on the Promenade
 - Explore ways to get more volunteers
 - Possibly give students the opportunity to volunteer
 - might lower employee participation
 - More engagement with snacks
 - Students often avoid if only approached with prayer
 - Meet basic needs **before** trying to meet spiritual needs
 - Have food at each station
 - Pair employees with students at stations
- Graduation kits
 - Should be continued/operationalized
 - We were unable to do them for May graduation
- Employee Picnic
 - Very nice – seemed to have a really good turnout!
 - Missing the “wow” factor of meeting dietary needs/restrictions (GF)
 - Possibly combine forces with HR next year to share our ideas

Up-Coming Events:

- Letters to Parents/Guardians
 - Slate can generate a list of students with parents/guardians
 - **Ingrid** will check on communication
 - Make sure it has a personal touch
- Summer/Start of School 2024
 - We-Haul
 - Great opportunity to meet/pray with families during a crucial time
 - What can we contribute? Tom will talk to **Jason**
 - Welcome care package for each student:
 - Just for smart start/Jump start
 - With dietary restrictions
 - **Christalee** – data
 - **Kim** – Message/inserts
 - **Sandy** – Contents
 - Packing party?
 - Get room assignments from deans
 - **Unable to do because room assignments are not solidified until students arrive**
- Cabinet Popsicles – Smart Start
 - **Tom** will talk to Renita