

## President's Report to the

OCTOBER 2016 | DR. KEVIN BOYS, PRESIDENT

Trustee Bob McEwen has tendered his resignation with the Governor's office as a Southern State Community College Trustee effective October 1, 2016. This leaves three vacancies on the Board. We have enlisted the assistance of the Governor's area representative to advocate for the appointments for these positions.

Rob Johnstone from the National Center for Inquiry and Improvement will be at the College on October 12 and will provide the Board of Trustees with an overview of the Guided Pathway movement throughout community colleges. As you will recall, we included a strategic goal to implement guided pathways beginning with our technical programs. Rob will be meeting with faculty and staff later in the day at Central Campus. His visit is made possible by our participation in the OA CC's Student Success Leadership Initiative.

You will recall that the Board approved the College's response to the Efficiency and Affordability Task Force Recommendations last summer. One of those recommendations had to do with the College's use of assets for possible income streams. We identified user fees for our facilities as one of the appropriate areas for review. This is certainly not a huge revenue stream for the College, especially since we endeavor to provide space for non-profit groups in our communities. Enclosed in the packet is a proposed set of revised guidelines, along with a proposed adjusted fee schedule for the Board's consideration.

Board members are invited and encouraged to attend any of the following upcoming events:

Nov. 2-4

Community Room, Brown County Campus, Mt. Orab

Nov. 4-6

Edward K. Daniels Auditorium, Central Campus, Hillsboro

Nov. 14

Columbus State Community College

Dec. 14

Room 203, Central Campus, Hillsboro

Since my last report, I have been involved in the following meetings and events:

Ohio Dean's Compact Meeting



*Upcoming Study Abroad Opportunity* | This spring, May 10-18, students, faculty, and guests will have the opportunity to travel to Germany, Switzerland, and the Alps for a multi-disciplinary look at art, culture, business, farming, and science. Led by professors



*TDA Holds Open House at Marion Tech* | An Open House was held at the Marion Technical College CDL training classroom on September 22. John Joy and John Smith attended and spoke with potential students, Ohio Means Jobs case workers, as well as industry employers such as Rumpke and Schneider. The first class of drivers under this partnership began on September 12.

*Leveraging Ohio's Revolving Loan Fund* | The last student under the Ohio Revolving













Spring classes begin January 9. Registration will be opening for Spring Semester on the 4( o)11(h)6 Tf1 6





### *Officer Positions*

All officer positions are filled at this time, and a new officer training program is in place. The first service project of the year will be to paint the courtyard wall of the Fayette Campus. This will be the first project in the "leaving a legacy" plan.

## **SGA**

### *Events During October and November*

We are looking forward to assisting as welcomers for the

In addition, Christy Johnson, President, has submitted her application with hopes to attend \_\_\_\_\_ at the University of Dayton, held October 14, 2016.

Other goals for the next couple of months include a fundraiser pizza lunch for the students located on Brown County Campus, and a Drug Awareness event to bring awareness to the needs of our students and their families, also located on Brown County Campus. Last year our focus on the drug awareness was at both Central and North campuses. The response at Central was well accepted, and led us to focus on another campus this year. With recruitment advances we would like to see this event at all four campuses.

We are scheduling a meeting with Mr. Bland to discuss the option of bringing back the discount cards and the consideration of a food truck for students who are unable to leave the campus at lunch time.

Lastly, in support of Constitution Day, both Adams and Brown County Boards of Election were invited to Brown County Campus. The Boards accepted the invitation and brought information regarding the importance of voting. Adams County furnished a

