

Kilgore College
Faculty Association
Minutes of 20 September 2013
1:30 p.m. Randolph C. Watson Library
Educational Room
William Wells, Faculty Senate President, 2013-2014

In attendance were the following senators:

Cathy Beckman	Paul Buchanan	Paula Carter	Ginger Dennis
Ann Gerrity	Jackie Hobbs	Gus LaFosse	Lara Pauley
John Raulston	Brandon Walker	William Wells	Susan Black

Guest Speaker: Donnie Seals, History Department Chair

Presentation: Proctor U

-Defined Proctor U and the service it provides; addressed advantages and disadvantages

Old Business:

1. Dr. Wells brought faculty concerns before Dr. Holda:
 - a. Testing Center Capacity and Environment Concerns were discussed with Dr. Hold on 9/5
 1. Scheduling problems
 - Proctor U as a possible solution
 2. Unnecessary rules: cell phones ringing result in expulsion
 3. Capacity
 - a. Possibility of expansion
 - b. Possibility of an academic testing center
 - c. Possible use of Woodfin Center or Renovated Library.
 - b. Technical and Online Concerns were discussed with Dr. Holda on 9/5.
 1. Unreliable Wi-Fi
 - a. will soon be upgraded from 42 hotspots to 480
 - b. in weakest areas first: Old Main
 2. Technical Support for online students
 3. Mysterious Links to the Bookstore
 - c. Administrative Evaluation of Faculty
 1. Must be anonymous
 2. Should be realistic consequences for problems raised
 3. Need faculty input into the questions
 - d. Adjunct Pay not at a Comparable Level with other colleges
 1. Adjunct pay is being raised
 2. \$550,000 was used for faculty salary raises

New Business:

1. Jensabar will likely replace Existing Poise
 - a. would integrate registration into one process
 - b. some issues.