

MARCH 2024 NEWSLETTER

Spring is in full bloom, and so are our exciting updates! Together, we're creating a season of growth, collaboration, and blooming possibilities!

The KSU community rallied together this month, raising \$166 during our Shamrock fundraiser. This will benefit the Staff Senate Scholarship fund, ensuring brighter futures for our deserving colleagues.

Jo Lamb from PDC and EHS dazzled us with her insights at our February meeting. She shared updates on ongoing and upcoming projects, inspiring and informing us. Jo, your time is appreciated!

The clock is ticking; don't forget to nominate your shining stars! The deadline for Star Staff of the Semester nominations is March 31. Let's celebrate those colleagues who consistently go above and beyond. Shine a spotlight on their dedication and excellence!

Our next Staff Senate meeting is scheduled for Monday, April 8, at 10 a.m. in the Sturgis Library. Join us as we continue to build connections, share ideas, and make a positive impact.

UPCOMING MEETINGS

APRIL

Monday, April 8 10:00 AM Sturgis Library

MAY

Monday, May 13 10:00 AM Johnson Library

JUNE

Monday, June 10 10:00 AM *Johnson Library*

AGENDAS & MINUTES

STAFF SENATE REPS

MARCH 2024 COMMITTEE UPDATES





Jessica Redding, Chair

The Bylaws committee is preparing for their change to the House Committee, where they will work on Bylaws, budget, and policy.





Mark Kirkley, Chair

The balance of the Staff Senate Foundation account has changed to \$3, 012.08. Kirkley will present balance updates with fundraiser proceeds at the upcoming meeting.





Rob Bridges, Chair

Plans are in the works for the merging of this committee, the budget committee, and the bylaws committee. Updates have been made to the language of several policies to be in compliance with USG policy updates.





Jenna Scanling, Chair

The Staff Development and Recognition committee reminds the community that Star Staff nominations close on March 31.





Jacqueline Winters-Allen & Hadley Cottingham, Co-Chairs

The Communications Committee is working on a way for staff members to submit photos for social media via a convenient form. They will continue to share updates via newsletter and social media.

NEW & NOTEWORTHY



USG Staff Council Conference Volunteers needed!

KSU Staff Senate will host the annual Staff Council Conference on October 16-17, and we need volunteers to help everything run smoothly. Learn more about this volunteer opportunity.

How Can Staff Senate Help?

If there is a way that the KSU Staff Senate can help address an issue or concern, or you want to celebrate a KSU Staff Member on the KSU Staff Senate Instagram, <u>submit</u> your information to us.



STAFF OF THE SEMESTER

Star Staff of the Semester nominations are open!

Do you know someone who goes above and beyond at KSU? Nominations for the Spring Star Staff of the Semester award are open. Learn more and submit your nomination.



You helped raise over \$150 for Staff Scholarships! Thank you for helping the KSU community flourish!



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