

**Operational Assembly:** Kurian Tharakunnel provided these highlights from the May Operational Assembly. This year's Car Show was a success with over 600 show cars and 1,500 attendees. Adult Ed graduation will be held on June 8 at 6 pm. Financial Aid has begun automatically awarding Pell and Work Study for Fall 2023. The automatic award is made to eligible students within 48 hours after FAFSA has been received. Triton graduation regalia is available for pickup. Several Admissions events are being held for students and parents, including New Student Wednesdays every Wednesday in June and July. A new initiative focused on adult students, Summer Scholarship Grant, has been launched. Applications are open for the Connect2College Summer Bridge Programs.

Facilities reported that Window Replacement and Asphalt Paving projects will be accomplished this summer. Among many technology projects in the works includes building more cards for Ellucian Experience and moving to a new phone system in June. DEI events are taking place for Asian American Pacific Islander heritage month in both the Library and PDC. The annual Market Share Report and Graduate Success Report are now available on the portal.

**Academic Senate:** Michael Flaherty gave this update on Academic Senate and its subcommittees. Curriculum has approved a barber certificate. Academic & Scholastic Standards brought back a syllabus recommendation which passed Senate 13-8. Academic Support brought a proposal to return to the pre-pandemic late registration policy, which passed Senate unanimously. Recommendations for both items were sent to the vice president for review. LGBTQ students brought the topic of a welcoming campus to the Campus Quality committee, who will explore this in the fall. The classroom observation form is being revised and is expected to be brought to Senate in the fall. Academic Senate does not meet during the summer, so the next meeting is the second Tuesday in September. Senate meetings will continue to be held on Blackboard.

**Student Success:** Shelley Tiwari reported on Guided Pathways and the student focus groups looking at program maps. Any recommendations resulting from these groups will be implemented by this fall.

**Summer Refresh:** VP Jodi Koslow Martin provided this update on the Summer Refresh program where students who received a D, F, or W in a fall or spring course are eligible to retake up to 2 courses in the summer semester at no cost. The program started during COVID and was funded from the Cares Act grant. In 2021, 440 students enrolled in the summer with 238 continuing into the fall. In 2022, 490 enrolled in summer with 261 continuing into the fall. The success rate for courses taken in the Summer Term were 65.6% in 2021 and 69.6% in 2022. There are 2,472 students eligible for Summer Refresh in 2023, with 237 already registered for the summer.