Division of Student Affairs  
Diversity & Inclusion Committee  
Wednesday, December 3, 2014 Minutes

1. Note/Minute Taker- Marci Reisman
   b. Excused: Jennifer Boylan, Starsheemar Byrum, Kemesha Wilmot

2. Approval of Minutes of October 22nd
   a. Motion made by Emma Blandford; Approved by Steve Taylor; All in favor

3. Cultural Celebration Calendar-
   a. Spring proposal deadline passed (November 21st)  
   b. The committee will begin reviewing proposals  
   c. If a particular topic isn’t being addressed, Casey may have proposal ideas from NACA  
   d. UROC may help with the cost of a proposed event

4. Intercultural Center Update- Kemesha Wilmot- No report (Excused)

5. Women’s Center- Starsheemar Byrum- No report (Excused)

6. Pride Room Update-Steve Taylor
   a. Working in collaboration with Athletics to create a You Can Play video  
   b. Seeking interest in Men’s Peer Support group  
      i. Male identified, may be questioning or know their sexual preference and are looking to relate to others  
      ii. The group will be meeting on a weekly basis, those interested should contact Steve for specific date and time details  
   c. Safe Zone logo was approved  
   d. Looking to facilitate a session on Safe Zone with the help of Theresa Bouley next semester  
   e. Seeking one or two undergraduate interns for Spring 2015

7. Office of Accessibility Services Update- Jen- No report (Excused)

8. Monthly Supplemental Calendar for Events-Status
   a. Casey will ask one of the CAB graphic designers to assist with creating a calendar and flier template to help promote the events  
   b. Committee must decide on a deadline

9. Goals and Objectives
   a. Reviewed and updated by committee— see Goals Sheet

10. CT Mirror Op-Ed Piece by Michael Hutson
   a. Emma expressed personal concerns leading to how can we prevent the negative language from occurring in the first place?
11. Review DLE Survey and St. Mary’s College for further discussion
   a. We aren’t looking to make many changes to our current Campus Climate Survey so that comparisons can be made from previous years; however suggestions for improvement are welcome

12. Report Template- Walter
   a. Compile and document all the work being done by the committee in order to pass this information along to future committee members

13. Next Meeting- Wednesday, January 28, 2015 at 11:00am in Gelsi-Young 232