Present: Chuck Booth, Hope Cook, Maggie Martin, Delar Singh, Carol Williams, Nancy Slater (ex-officio)

1. Minutes
   Minutes of the 31 January 2005 were tabled.

2. Working Groups
   Dr. Bob Horrocks sent a formal response from the Health and Physical Education working group describing the purposes, learning objectives and curriculum structure proposed. The document was distributed at the meeting and will be posted on the GEPC web site.

3. Curriculum Models
   Two proposed models for a core curriculum were discussed. Richard Jones-Bamman presented a model employing four tiers and an integrative first tier component addressing the “flow of information”. He discussed his proposal via telephone. Dean Salter also presented a model of a learning community which focused Tier I courses on foundational methods and active learning.

4. Communication
   Hope Cook presented a draft of The GEPC Scoop – a monthly newsletter for the Eastern community regarding the general education revision. Members were enthusiastic about the format and approach. Suggestions were made for editing. A revised version will be presented at the next meeting.

5. First Year Program
   Tabled.

New Business

Next Meeting: The next GEPC meeting will be Monday, February 14 at 2:00 p.m. in Webb 258.

Respectfully submitted,

Maggie Martin, Chair