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CIVIL SERVICE COUNCIL ELECTIONS RESULTS

The SIUC Civil Service Council elections were held in May this year. Carolyn Harvey of the Registrar's Office and Matthew Borowicz of Library Affairs were elected under the Provost and Vice Chancellor sector. Mickel Cordes and Elizabeth Cheek, both of the Physical Plant, were selected under General. Patrick Brumleve of University Housing won under Auxiliary Services. All of the selected candidates are returning members except for Matthew Borowicz who is new to the Council. Retiring from the Council were Julie Virgo and Jesus Rosado. The Council

would like to thank them for their service.

At the Civil Service Council meeting in June elections were held for the office of president and treasurer. Carolyn Harvey was re-elected as president and Anita Eckhardt was re-elected treasurer. The other officers are Jason Phillips as vice-president and Patrick Brumleve as secretary,

Appointments to Civil Service Council committees and other related committees will be announced at the July Civil Service Council meeting.

OPEN FORUM WITH CHANCELLOR HELD ON APRIL 29

The Civil Service Council sponsored an Open Forum with Chancellor Rita Cheng on Monday, April 29 in the Delta Room (fourth floor) of the Student Center. The forum began at noon, with the Chancellor giving status reports on several topics. She then addressed some questions that were submitted in advance by civil service employees. A question and answer session was opened to those in attendance, and a variety of issues concerning the University were discussed. The forum lasted approximately two hours and was considered to be a success.

The open forum was organized by the Public Information Committee of the Civil Service Council and is usually held once a year in the spring. The Council would like to thank those who submitted questions and attended. The Council would also like to thank the Chancellor for her involvement.



Chancellor Rita Cheng addressed approximately 25 people at the open forum held April 29



Chancellor Rita Cheng and Civil Service Council President Carolyn Harvey



Next meeting: 1PM on July 10
Balcony Conference Room,
Anthony Hall

EDUCATION ASSISTANCE COMMITTEE SPRING FUND RAISERS NET ALMOST \$2500 FOR FALL 2013 AWARDS

The Civil Service Council Education Assistance Committee conducted two fund raisers during the Spring 2013 semester. The first event was the **Old Main Luncheon Buffet** held on April 17. Over 100 tickets were sold!

The second fund raiser was the **Spring Flea Market**. Because of the inclement weather on Saturday, the event was held on the Sunday, April 28 rain date. The Flea Market is the



There were 82 vendors signed up for the Flea Market this year



Local Carbondale band, "Dogwood Flats," gave an impromptu concert to the attendees of the Flea Market

committee's major fund raiser and is normally held on the last Saturday of April each year.

Proceeds from all fund raising activities go to the Education Assistance Program, which is administered by the SIU Carbondale Civil Service Council. The Education Assistance Program provides monetary awards to any SIU Carbondale student whose sponsor is an SIU Carbondale Civil Service Employee (students must meet the eligibility criteria). For more information on the Education Assistance Program, go to the committee's website at http://cscouncil.siu.edu/Educ_Assst/about_EAP.html.

Thank you to all who have helped support the Education Assistance Program!

CIVIL SERVICE COUNCIL BIDS FOND FAREWELL TO BECKY ARMSTRONG

Becky Molina Armstrong is retiring on June 30 after 31 years of service to the on-campus constituency organizations. She began her career at SIU in 1979 and was hired by the Faculty Senate in 1982. In 1991, she began providing clerical/administrative assistance to the Civil Service Council and A/P Staff Council under the name of the Professional Constituencies Office.

Becky says working with such great people has been the best part of her job. She is looking forward to retirement so she can volunteer at her grandchild's school and do some work around the house. Becky is a wealth of knowledge and will truly be missed.



Carolyn Harvey and Becky Armstrong



Becky Armstrong and members of the 2013-14 Civil Service Council. Also included in the picture are former Council member Jay Brooks (far left) and Human Resources Director Jennifer Watson (far right)



Have a safe and Happy 4th of July!

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