

DIVERSITY CAUCUS MEETING

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 2019

Meeting call to order

Request a motion to accept last minutes notes for January 29, 2019

Agenda Items:

1. Proposal Requests:

Theresa Gonzalez submitted a proposal for speaker Kate Lowenstein on her research for Shutting Down the Trauma to Prison Pipeline Early, Appropriate Care for Child-Welfare Involved Youth, 2018. Galen Benway and Byron Thomas shared how a student presented their interest from a presentation they attended and wanted to bring it to QCC. The presentation will discuss how the violent behavior can be linked back to high levels of cumulative childhood stress and trauma.

The event was approved for \$300.00

2. Display Case – Brenda Safford informed the committee that she has contacted The Women’s History Project and the YWCA of Central MA for artifacts.

3. Upcoming Diversity Events:

Brave Space – March 6, 2019 from 12:00 to 1:00 p.m. in HLC 109 A.

Juracàn – Nation in Resistance – The creators of the film Juracàn will be here to present their film and participate in Q&A following the film presentation on 3/28/19 at 6:00pm in HLC109AB.

Sankofa Lectures – On March 29th - Dr. Jasmine Johnson

The second speaker is scheduled for April 19th – Dr. Sarah Ohmer

Stand Against Racism Day – April 26, 2019 – The We Grow into Courage is a dramatic reading of civil rights texts excerpted from Hands on the Freedom Plow: Personal Accounts by Women in Student Nonviolent Coordinating Committee (SNCC, often pronounced / SNIK) was one of the major American Civil Rights Movement organizations of the 1960s.

Next meeting – 3/26/19 ~ 2 to 3pm – HLC101

Meeting adjourned at 3:00 p.m.