

## Minutes for NAWD Planning Meeting 1/30/15

1. Welcome and Introductions
  - a. About 12 people showed up including representatives from Palomar College and Southwestern.
  
2. NAWD events
  - a. **Tabling** is scheduled at City, Mesa, and Grossmont from 2/23-2/25 from 10:00-2:00. This will work roughly the same way as it did during CEW 2014. We need volunteers to staff these tables. If people would like to volunteer to organize tabling at other sites, please let me know and we can work to arrange it.
    - i. For the tabling, we will primarily be focused on our lobbying campaign to get money in the CA budget earmarked for specific adjunct needs (money for office hours, equity pay, and more full-time positions). We will produce sample letters for students, adjuncts and others (full-timers, classified, etc.) that they can send to the Governor and then CC other important figures in Sacramento. These letters will be available at the tables along with envelopes, mailing labels and stamps. In addition, the letters and addresses will also be distributed over email.
  
  - b. **Rallies** on Wednesday 2/25
    - i. Mesa @noon in TBD. Jim Mahler is keynote; Ian Duckles is adjunct MC. We would also like to have a student speaker.
    - ii. City @noon in Gorton Quad. Jim Miller is keynote; Arnie Schoenberg is MC. Joe Berry will also speak at this rally. In addition, we need to identify a student speaker and a CE adjunct willing to speak.
    - iii. Grossmont @2:00 in front of the LRC. Greg Robinson is keynote; Ian Duckles is adjunct MC. Joe Berry will also speak at this rally.
    - iv. In addition, all rallies will conclude with an adjunct open mic to share stories and experiences. We would like to arrange the open mic speakers in advance, so if you would like to speak at one of these rallies please contact me and I will make those arrangements.
    - v. It would be fantastic if people could bring their classes to the rallies. This would increase attendance, and it would be an excellent learning opportunity for students.
    - vi. We discussed the possibility of a rally at the Mid-City CE site, but it wasn't clear how effective such an event would be. If someone thinks otherwise, please let me know.
    - vii. There will also be rallies at Palomar and Southwestern and UCSD. Contact your union reps there if you have any questions.

- viii. It is unclear what SDSU is up to. If anyone has any contacts there or information about what they are planning, please let me know.
- c. **Publicity.** We have a flyer and social media presences. A first flyer will be distributed next week (the first week of February). We will put a flyer in every campus mailbox, and we will make flyers available to anyone who wants to post them around campus. A copy of this flyer should be attached to this email.
- d. **Reaching out to other groups.** We would like to reach out to other campus constituencies such as students. A meeting with the Mesa ASG is scheduled, but we need to make contact with the student groups on other campuses. In addition, we would like to try and get some support from the various academic senates on campus. If you are a senator and would be willing to try and get a resolution in support of the event, please do so and let me know what is going on.
- e. **Swag:** We will be producing a sticker with a stylized 'A' for adjuncts to wear on 2/25. It will be a circular sticker with a red 'A' on a white background. In addition, we will also produce a sticker for adjunct allies to wear to show their support, and possibly a sticker to distribute to students, something like "I was taught by an adjunct" or "An adjunct taught me today"
- f. **Other events.** We discussed other events that people would want to do. There were a number of good suggestions, but no one seemed willing to commit to anything specific. If you have ideas or want to do something, please contact me.
- g. **Publicity.** I am working on this with Jim Miller and Fred Glass (CFT Communications Director), but we need try to coordinate our publicity with other schools. We have contacts at UCSD, Palomar, Southwestern and SDSU. It does not appear that anything will be happening at MiraCosta. We will be producing a master list of San Diego county events so that adjuncts can plan accordingly.
- h. **Naming.** From a PR perspective, we can't really call it the National Adjunct Walkout Day because we aren't walking out. So, in our communications with the press, we need to call it something else. We settled on National Adjunct Action Day. Feel free to refer to this event by whatever name you prefer, but this will be the name that we use for official public communications.

If you have any questions, or can help with anything listed here, please contact me, Ian Duckles at [imduckles@gmail.com](mailto:imduckles@gmail.com). Thank you!