**Advisors & Counselors Network**

**April 13th, 2021**

**8:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.**

Collaborate link: see below

Members Present: 85

Welcome:

1. Campus Ambassador Program

*Ryan Mason, Daily Tours Coordinator, rgmason@uwm.edu*

1. Who we are: welcoming force for the university, seen around campus as tour guides and at the welcome center to greet guests, help run social engagement for new and prospective students
2. Area Leads
   1. Ryan Mason (UWM Alum), Supervisor of Student Campus Ambassadors, Manager of Daily Tour program (employees, messaging, logistics, software and web, virtual visits)
   2. Anna Wilks-Metrou, Visit Programs Coordinator (recruitment and yield events, internal swag requests, group tours/high school visits)
3. Campus Ambassadors
   1. Give campus tours
   2. Greet families and handle on-person logistics for guest arrival (parking)
   3. Represent UWM as Panthers at events
   4. Direct calls and inquiries that come to the Welcome Center to the proper areas
   5. First point of contact for information session guests arriving on campus
   6. Other duties related to admissions and events
4. How to help:
   1. Get involved! Say hi to tour groups, give a wave, smile to help create a welcoming campus culture
   2. Let us know information you hear!
      1. Was there information shared from a CA that might be incorrect or outdated? Email Ryan at [rgmason@uwm.edu](mailto:rgmason@uwm.edu) with the correct info so we can ensure our CAs have the most accurate details
   3. Recommend students to apply to be a Campus Ambassador!
      1. A diverse CA population is important because representation is a top priority for us
5. Questions:
   1. Students still talk about study abroad
   2. They highlight multicultural student services and guides are trained to deliver a personal account of inclusive and multicultural campus experiences.
   3. More to come on decision day
6. PantherCycle Program and Move-out – Neighborhood Housing

*Alyssa Conrardy, Neighborhood Housing & Relations Manager, ambc@uwm.edu*

1. PantherCycle – Facebook page developed to provide a UWM student only space for students to give and claim items for free, the hope is to help students in need and remove the furniture we see on the curb, this could be a giving space for uwm students to help with projects as well
   1. students ID # is how students can be admitted to the page
   2. does anyone have giveaways to help encourage students to engage?
   3. Faculty, staff, neighbors can donate to the page by emailing to the [panthercycle-group@uwm.edu](mailto:panthercycle-group@uwm.edu) (keeping the group students only)
   4. Launches next week
2. Curb Dumping/Door hangers
   1. Images in presentation
   2. Reminders about what to do with move-out items
   3. Want to keep the neighborhood clean for tours and in-person visits
   4. Reminders about lease related things and fines related trash being left on the curb
3. Project clean and green
   1. May 17-21
   2. City will pick up 6 cubic yards of furniture or bagged trash for free
   3. This is the only time of year when this will happen
   4. Milwaukee.gov/cleanandgreen for details
4. Dumpster Day
   1. Saturday, May 22nd
   2. Sciences buildings parking lot off Kenwood
   3. Free option to throw trash away that was missed during the clean and green program
5. Move out Resources (on website)
   1. Move-out Rental Step
   2. FAQs: trash/disposal, donation options, lease issues
6. Questions:
   1. Email coming with links
   2. Looking for electronic disposal option – more info coming
   3. The panther cycle program extends to any student that is within the BOSS boundaries – encouraging students to use circle drive, union, and Sandberg, encouraging students to be safe
7. Campus Community Announcements
   1. Athletics – certification forms should be coming Friday or early next week, Reach out to Claire directly if you have any questions
   2. Undergraduate Admissions – Decision Day sign-up, <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/9040e4fada72ea6f58-decision>

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Due to the number of attendees, please use the chat feature if you have any questions.

**Next ACN Meeting:**

**May 11th, 2021 8:30-10:00 am, Collaborate Ultra**

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