Campus Chairs Update February 6, 2013

Bargaining

As the employer needs to have their package approved by their principles they are not yet ready to come to the table so bargaining has been delayed until at least April.

Lunch with SIAST Management Council (SMC)

The Negotiating Committee along with Kathy Mahussier (SGEU, LRO) was invited to lunch with SMC on February 4. SMC also appears to be committed to get to the table to get a new CBA as quickly as possible.

100th Anniversary of SGEU

Each campus is holding an event to celebrate the anniversary on February 21. Check with your campus committee about what is happening at your campus. Door prizes for PSBU members will be given away at each event.

PSBU Website

The site will be down for a few days during the week of February 11 while the physical location of the server is being changed. Barring any unforeseen circumstances, it should be up and running by February 18.

WCA Analysis

Work is still progressing on the benchmarks and principles to be used for the analysis. Finalization of these will be communicated to SIAST next week and then the analysis can begin.

Lean

Bonnie Bond, Terri Hamill and Kathy Mahussier (SGEU LRO) attended this event for Professional Services. A revised process intended to move grievances along to a faster resolution was developed. It now needs to be agreed to by both parties and inserted into the collective agreement.

Panel Observer Training

This training is designed for anyone who will be attending screenings and interviews as a shop steward. The date of the training will be communicated as soon as the training development is completed.

Meet with SFA

A formal request for a meeting with the SFA will be sent in the next week or two as there are issues that both parties need to jointly deal with. Some of these include:

- Seniority transfer
- LTD premiums when in other unit
- Health benefits
- Dental benefits
- Certification order with the LRB issue regarding two orders with one employer
- Staffing process

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