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Student Affairs and Enrollment Management: Reaching Vision 2020

Focus Area: Athletics and Recreation

Leader(s): Anthony Bates (Director of Athletics) and Dean Jennings (Program Director of the Athletic and Recreation Center)

Implementation Year: 2018 - 2019

Goal 2: Athletics and Recreational activities will serve as a catalyst for building institutional pride, promoting campus traditions, engaging alumni and strengthening institutional visibility and connections to the Chicago and Chicago Southland community.

Objective 1:	Create an athletic Booster Program to not only generate increased revenue but to
	also revegetate alumni pride and attachment to Governors State University.
Action Items	Alumni marketing and outreach.
Indicators and Data	The formation of the GSU club. We are hoping to tap into alumni and student groups to start
Needed	the program. Rick Romeli has done a great job in putting everything in place for the goal
(Measures that will	including teaming up with Development. We will also be hiring a Soccer Coach that will have
appraise progress	athletic aid money duties
towards the strategic	
objective)	
Responsible Person	Athletic Director/ Assistant AD
and/or Unit (Data	
collection, analysis	
reporting)	
Milestones	Implementation of a Booster program by 2018/19 season.
(Identify Timelines)	
Desired Outcomes and	25 active booster members at the completion of the 2018/19 season. Increase our numbers for
Achievements	Booster and Corporate dollars .
(Identify results	
expected)	
Achieved Outcomes	
and Results	
Analysis of Results	
(Where outcomes met?	
Exceeded? Progress	
towards goal.	
Implications for AY1	
8Objectives.)	

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Objective 2:	Create community building events such as the yearly Jaguar Jamboree (Intra scrimmage), and Preseason scrimmages against local community colleges.
Action Items	In addition to the Jamboree, host a minimum of three preseason scrimmage games against local colleges.
Indicators and Data Needed (Measures that will appraise progress towards the strategic objective)	Student life did a good job with activities doing welcome week. There was a student vs employee basketball. We hope to add halftime activities to basketball next season. we also will add for homecoming a family night at our Basketball game
Responsible Person and/or Unit (Data collection, analysis reporting)	Head Coaches and assistants.
Milestones (Identify Timelines)	2018, 2019 and 2020
Desired Outcomes and Achievements (Identify results expected) Achieved Outcomes and Results	To make the local community aware of the GSU transformation. The GSU jamboree has continued to be a great hit with students and campus groups. The expansion of TV broadcast we will be able to hopefully generate more booster support.
Analysis of Results (Where outcomes met? Exceeded? Progress towards goal. Implications for AY18 Objectives.)	

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Objective 3:	Daniel Jankowski Sports Information Director will be giving our athletic website a face lift .
Action Items	Coaches provide Daniel with updates and stories regarding our student -athletes
Indicators and Data	We will be looking for new imagines and top notch stories that can separate us from to
Needed	opposing institutions
(Measures that will	
appraise progress	
towards the strategic	
objective)	
Responsible Person	Athletic Director and SID
and/or Unit (Data	
collection, analysis	
reporting)	
Milestones	2018 and 2019
(Identify Timelines)	
Desired Outcomes and	To have SID tooled with the information that will be benefital to the upgrade . we will be
Achievements	adding men's and woman's Soccer teams
(Identify results	
expected) Achieved Outcomes	
and Results	
anu results	
Analysis of Results	
(Where outcomes met?	
Exceeded? Progress	
towards goal.	
Implications for AY18	
Objectives.)	