

Association of Florida Colleges (AFC)

Region III Report

Central Florida Chapters
Apr. 4, 2018 – Jul. 11, 2018

Region Director James Miller
 Seminole State College of Florida

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 College of Central Florida



Region Activities:

Region III disbursed the first of two “From Region 3 to CCP” scholarships awarded this year to Cristen Causey of the EFSC Chapter to cover registration fees for her participation in the Certified College Professional program. (Apr 17)

Region III sponsored a social and service activity for members during the Student Development & Marketing Spring Super Conference. Members strode out onto the beach for an early-morning workout and participated in a light beach clean-up effort. (May 17)

The Region III Board convened via WebEx on July 3 to review region expenditures to date, to report on chapter activities, and plan events for the start of the new year. During this session the Board also conducted its annual Bylaws Review. No new amendments were recommended for 2018.



MAY 17 Gulf Cardio & Clean-up
Public · Hosted by AFC Region III

★ Interested ✓ Going ➦ Share ⋮

🕒 Thursday, May 17 at 7 AM - 7:30 AM CDT
Tomorrow · 73–84° Mostly Cloudy

📍 Holiday Inn Express & Suites
12907 Front Beach Rd., Panama City Beach, Florida 32407 [Show Map](#)

Details

Region III members, are you at the Spring Super Conference? Let's get together Thursday morning for a light work-out and unofficial beach clean-up. We are lucky to have a professional workout instructor among us and if you've walked the beach - there are beach-goer leftovers that we can do our part and pick up. Ms. Jaime Curtis will walk us through a work out and we'll pick up any beach trash along the way.


Not interested in working out? Come and WALK! Just come!

Meet up will be at 7 am at the hotel beach access. See you there!

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These are the items from the @AFC_SDC Super Spring Conference being donated to the @anchorage_ch home. Learn more: anchoragechildrenshome.org/about-us.htm pic.twitter.com/lbh5OxYbya

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Eastern Florida State College

Submitted by Kathy Bauernfeind – Chapter President



Political Engagement:

"Get the Scoop" on AFC Advocacy – Ice cream social/advocacy informational event held on Melbourne Campus. Tracy Glidden provided updates from legislative session and information on the legislative process. (May 30)

Community Service:

Firecracker 5k – Chapter promoted event and members participated in race sponsored by the Running Zone Foundation to provide scholarships to collegiate veterans. (Jul 4)

Professional Development:

AFC@EFSC Professional Development Series – Chapter hosted an information session about the EFSC Foundation and its scholarship programs (Apr 24), and also sponsored an educational presentation on Hurricane Awareness (May 22). 28 members attended these events.

Chapter is publishing online select workshop summaries shared by attendees at various AFC conferences and inviting members to disseminate this information to others at the college in order to get the most out of these professional development opportunities.

Chapter has spearheaded an initiative to hold a designated Professional Development Day at the college for all faculty and staff. Further input and approval is pending from Human Resources.

Conference & Commission Participation:

International Conference on College Teaching & Learning – One member attended this interdisciplinary forum in Orlando, FL. (Apr 3- 6)

Student Development & Marketing Spring Super Conference — Nine employees attended a joint conference of the Student Development and the Communications & Marketing Commissions in Panama, City, FL. (May 15-17)

Membership:

Chapter has gained seven new members so far this calendar year.

The Membership Chair and Chapter President are working on an *AFC 101* presentation tailored for each campus which will kick-off at the Welcome Back in August. AFC informational fliers have been updated for distribution and the chapter also plans to hold a chance drawing for a wine basket for all new members and for those current members who referred them.

Two employees are planning to attend the Membership Development Conference on July 11.

Chapter Administration & Meetings:

Board meeting held on Apr 24.

Bylaws reviewed and amendments approved on May 11.



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- What are the current legislative issues related to education?
- What can we do to improve ourselves professionally?

Bring your lunch or just show up for these monthly 30-minute sessions.

**Join us in April as Jennie Kriete,
Director of the EFSC Foundation, provides an information
session about the college's foundation and scholarship
programs.**

**Tuesday, April 24th, 2018
12:30 PM – 1:00 PM
Melbourne Campus, Building 2, Room 124**

→ Do you have any suggestions for upcoming sessions ?
Please contact George Strohm at ext. 5522



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**Join us in May as George Strohm,
Coordinator of the Melbourne Learning Lab and former
military weather forecaster, provides a presentation on
Hurricane Awareness**

**Tuesday, May 22nd, 2018
12:30 PM – 1:00 PM
Melbourne Campus, Building 2, Room 124**

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“GET THE SCOOP” ON AFC ADVOCACY!

SPONSORED BY AFC EFSC MELBOURNE CHAPTER

Come enjoy a refreshing bowl of ice-cream with your favorite toppings and learn about this year’s legislative session, the bills that passed and failed, and how they affect EFSC and you!

The mission of the Association of Florida Colleges is to promote, represent, and support its members and Florida institutions as they provide the students and citizens of Florida communities with an excellent college system.



RESOURCES AND LINKS

- See upcoming events statewide
<http://www.myafchome.org/events>
- Research the Commissions you would be interested in joining
<http://www.myafchome.org/commissions-list-and-webpages>

Join us on
Wednesday May 30th
from 1:30pm to
3:00pm for ice-
cream and toppings!

Details:

All faculty and staff are invited! Bring your favorite topping to share!

Location:

Bldg. 10 Atrium



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MAY 30, 2018



Lake-Sumter State College

Submitted by Kelly Hickmon – Chapter President



Social Events:

Painting with a Twist — Chapter hosted an artistic evening out for its members. (Apr 11)

May the 4th – Chapter held Star Wars -themed social gatherings for faculty and staff participating in LSSC's two graduation ceremonies. (May 4)

Community Service:

March of Dimes Lunch – Chapter co-sponsored lunch fundraisers benefiting March of Dimes. (May 17 & Jun 6)

Political Engagement:

Meet the Candidates – Chapter organized event featuring presentations by nine Florida House and Senate incumbents, as well as candidates for local districts. (Apr 11)

Conference & Commission Participation:

Region V & Faculty Commission Conference — Several chapter members attended in support of LSSC's Professor of the Year Semi-Finalist, Brenda Skoczelas (May 9-10). Brenda was selected and will participate as a finalist at November's Annual Conference.

Membership:

Via an agreement with HR, member chair now reviews monthly hiring reports to plan new member outreach.

Strategic Planning Session – Chapter sponsored refreshments for college-wide event (May 31).

Chapter Administration & Meetings:

Board meeting was held on Apr 20. New officers Kelly Hickmon, Katie Saco, and Jenni Kotowski began their terms (Jun 1) and all participated in the LSSC Chapter's 2nd Annual Board Summer Workshop. (Jun 22)

Chapter awarded scholarships for 2018 Kids College to chapter members. (May)

Seminole State College of Florida

Submitted by Chalah Harris – Past President



Social Events:

Member Luncheon – Chapter held annual appreciation luncheon for members. (Apr 20)

Community Service:

Collection for Homeless Youth — Chapter collected two bags of supplies for donation to the Anchorage Children’s Home as part of a service project for the Student Development and Marketing Spring Super Conference. (May 1-15)

Political Engagement:

Do You Know Who You’re Voting For? – Legislative representative presented results of the year’s legislative session to members on the Altamonte Springs campus (May 4). Guest speakers and candidates for local office gave presentations in follow-up event. (May 16)

Conference & Commission Participation:

Student Development & Marketing Spring Super Conference — Nine chapter members attended a joint conference of the Student Development and the Communications & Marketing Commissions in Panama, City, FL. (May 15-17)

Membership:

Membership Development Workshop – Two chapter members have registered to participate in this event hosted by Daytona State College. (Jul 11)

Chapter gained two new members during this period.

Chapter Administration & Meetings:

Board meeting held on Apr 17. General chapter meeting held on Apr 20.

New chapter Board elected for 2018-19 (Apr 18-30). Transitions meeting for new officers held on Jun 13.

**DO YOU KNOW WHO YOU ARE VOTING
FOR?**



Let's see who is running!!

**Come out and enjoy this informative event regarding candidates of the
upcoming election put on by Seminole State's own AFC Chapter**

**There will be guest speakers who are Candidates on the ballot and
Refreshments will be provided!!!!**

Altamonte Springs Campus Room 215 3:30 – 5:30 PM

May 16th, 2018