Association of Florida Colleges (AFC)

# **Region III Report**

Central Florida Chapters February 1, 2019-April 30, 2019

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College of Central Florida

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Daytona State College



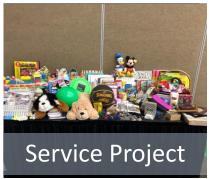
### **Region Activities:**

Region III held its annual conference on April 12, 2019 at the College of Central Florida. Approximately 47 conference attendees made connections through networking and through a wide variety of professional development opportunities. During the business meeting which was held after lunch, the membership voted to elect Charlene Latimer from Daytona State College as Region III Director-Elect. As always, Region III was extremely generous for our service project. This year the region chose to collect items for Kimberly's Center for Child Protection. This not for profit entity is located in Ocala and provides much needed services to children who have, sadly, experienced abuse.



**Making Connections** 





## College of Central Florida

Submitted by Sharon Altany – Chapter President



#### CONFERENCE -

- AFC Region III Conference was held at CF on April 12, 2019 with a total of 50 in attendance. CF had a total of 21 staff attend. We had presentations by CF staff: Rory Wells, Sonya, Warden, Doug Prevatt, Ron Kielty and Danielle Doty.
- Student Development Conference to be held at CF May 14-16<sup>th</sup>.
- Jean Scheppers (Communications/Faculty) has been appointed chair-elect of AFC Faculty Commission

### E-board meetings

• February, March & April.

#### Chapter meetings

- February- Jessica Kummerle, Governmental Specialist from CF gave us a legislative update
- March- Danielle Doty spoke about CF and building community relations
- April- Marjorie McGee spoke about campus safety.

#### Social Event:

 Picasso's Palette – Cost was \$25. AFC members paid \$10 and the Chapter paid the balance for a fun-filled event painting a picture. Approximately 20 people attended and enjoyed wine, cheese, veggies.

#### **Fundraisers**

• Graduation Flowers May 3<sup>rd</sup> and Mother's Day May 9<sup>th</sup>.

#### By-Law Change

• AFC membership voted to change the Presidency back to a one-year potion.

## Daytona State College

Submitted by Max Swanton – Past President



## February, 2019

• Hosted Ice cream social & AFC presentation during 11th Annual Academic Excellence Symposium

### March, 2019

Board meeting

### April, 2019

- Teaching and Learning Conference (2 attendees)
- Region III Spring Conference (4 attendees)
- Participated in Kimberly's Center for Child Protection service project
- Membership Drive (April 11th, 15th, 24th & 30th)
- New members for April: 20

## Eastern Florida State College

Submitted by Donna Hamilton- Chapter President



### Conference & Commission Participation:

- Six employees attended the Region III Conference April 12, 2019
- One attended Teaching and Learning Conference on April 3 5, 2019
- Three attended went to Leadership January 31 and February 1, 2019
- One attended Legislative Day February 6 7, 2019
- One attended Region 1 April 19, 2019

#### Breakfast or Lunch and Learns Professional Workshops:

- AFC 101 how to get engaged on January 18, 2019 and April 11, 2019
- Assistant Professor and Librarian Provides a session on Library Services available to staff and faculty -
- April 24, 2019
- Joe Ambrose Chief of College-wide Security on Emergency Procedures at EFSC March 27, 2019
- Community Service Project for Endeavor Elementary School Supplies March 4 to June 27, 2019

#### Fundraisers:

- The Melbourne Campus is had the 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Chili Cook Off February 12, 2019
- All four EFSC campuses sold Valentines Candy Grams Feb 14, 2019
- All four EFSC campuses sold Pies for Pie Day March 14, 2019

## Lake-Sumter State College

Submitted by Kelly Hickmon - Chapter President



#### **Social Events:**

- TEDx @ LSSC The chapter supported this program in several ways: the executive board unanimously voted to provide a financial sponsorship, members volunteered to host audience engagement activities or other program functions, and the board made and donated items for the attendee swag bags (February 15).
- Employee Appreciation Day, Dessert Walk In collaboration with LSSC's Human Relations, the chapter supported the spring 2019 employee appreciation day by hosting a dessert walk activity, where members donated baked goods (March 8).

#### **Fundraisers:**

 Colleague Appreciation Candy Bar Fundraiser – The chapter offered mini chocolate bars and granola bars for order and made delivery throughout the three LSSC locations. We had a record number of orders, 895, and raised a total of \$703.51 (February 14).

#### Chapter Administration & Meetings:

• Constituent Report for LSSC BOT – Chapter President, Kelly Hickmon, presented a membership report to the Board of Trustees (February 19).

## Seminole State College of Florida

Submitted by Catherine Chimera – Chapter President



#### Membership

- Created AFC SSC business cards to be handed out to current and prospective members
- Sent hand-written 'Thank You' cards to all current members, thanking them for their commitment to AFC and giving them two of our new business cards, one to keep and one to share

#### Social Activities

- We participated in Trivia Night at 4<sup>th</sup> street grill in Lake Mary- we had 9 attendees.
- We hosted our annual luncheon, attended by 31 members. -photo attached

### Community

We participated in the Riverside Dash 5K in Sanford and had 5 attendees. -photo attached

### **Professional Development**

• We provided a session on Chair Yoga and Mindfulness attended by approximately 10 members.

### **Fundraising**

• We had staff from 3 of our campuses participate in Denim Day. -photo attached







# Valencia College



## Conference & Commission Participation:

 Annual Conference – Chapter sent two members to the AFC Annual Conference in Orlando. Chapter members won two exemplary practice awards from the Learning Resources Commission for *The Human Library* and *Creating a Culture of CARE*.