

# Founding Day Working Group notes from Monday 06 March 2017

Present:

VPEMSS Joey Oducado, Reinhardt Weilbacher Jr., Jeanda Redy, Michael Muller, Mason Wiley, Julia Martin, Pearl Habuchmai Olter-Pelep, Ami Thozes, Mahealani Ching, Edwin Sione, Hiromi Welly, Eugene Edmund, Riley Hasugulmal, Hiromi Taulung, Catherine T. Melander, Jayvee Tamagginey, Jayleen Alex, Redsea Hairens

VPEMSS Joey Oducado opened the meeting.

PSO advisor was present with members who were also proposed to be the officers to replace the graduating officers. PSO has to file a new officers form, re-register.

Discussion on the parade order. Lots will be drawn at the next meeting at 4:00 PM on Wednesday 15 March 2017. The conch shells will lead. The banner will be carried by four students, one from each state.

Faculty members will carry international flags. Where possible, a citizen from the flag's nation will carry the flag. FSM and college flag carried by locally attired students, state flags too. SBA will coordinate state flag bearers.

Two hundred dollars will be provided to registered participating groups for the floats. Work with Krystilyn to access the money. The \$200 is for the floats. Can be used towards rental, materials.

Every float should carry a case of water. Overheated walkers can be put on the float and given water.

An ambulance will be arranged for by the office of the VPEMSS. VPEMSS will also work with security and police to regulate traffic and parking issues.

## Sketch of the schedule

Floats to arrive at Spanish Wall ahead of yet-to-be-determined curfew on Wednesday night.

Judging of floats at 8:00 prior to parade.

Assembly of parade line at 8:30 AM

Parade at 9:00

10:00 opening remarks

Track events. Athletes must be ready, this portion of the day has to roll off fairly quickly to keep from pushing the performances back too late into the day. Bear in mind that one of the goals is to pilot test a sports plus culture day that the college hopes to run next year on the 25th silver anniversary of the college. Athletes should not also be dancers.

100 meters. Two heats female. Two heats male.

200 meters. Two heats female. Two heats male.

100 meter final.

200 meter final.

4x100 female-male-female-male no heat final.

Cultural performances begin as lunch is served simultaneously. Each group is permitted a single dance or a performance, but not both.

## Layout

Field layout discussions included the need to keep the track lanes open for the 4x100. The stage would be shifted east from the 2015 location. The result would be as seen in the image.



Details on the transport of Madolehnihmw and Kitti students have yet to be worked out. There is also a need to transport the residence hall students.

Seven tents needed on the field for the teams. A nurse's tent needed. A food tent is needed. A media tent up on the roof of the announcers booth.

Bolly Ludwig and Sebastian Tairuwihey as MCs.

Next meeting Wed 15 March 4:00 PM MITC.