Lakeland Campus Faculty Senate Vice-President's Report March 11, 2013

(This report is for information purposes only. These items are not intended for Faculty Senate action.)

Faculty Forum – Lakeland Campus, Tuesday, March 19, 3:30-5:00, LAC 1133

<u>Upcoming Faculty and Staff Professional Development</u> –

Serving Students with Disabilities: PTSD and ADA

Kim Pearsall and Michelle Sams Thursday, March 14, 1:30-2:45 p.m. – LAC 1243

PAL Roundtable

Faculty using PAL Thursday, April 4, 4:00-5:15 p.m. – LAC 1243

Additional Sessions for Faculty, Staff, Students: Organized and offered by the InterFaith Council, the Philosophy Club, and International Circle

<u>Registrar@polk.edu</u>: If you are having an event, please drop an email to this email address. The Information Assistants who answer the College's main number get their information from this email address. So, if somebody calls in asking about whether or not a Phi Theta Kappa event (for example) is going on that evening, they will have the information.

<u>Students who attended high school in another country</u>: Polk State College registrar's office now has the ability to evaluate high school transcripts from another country. Previously, students from other countries who wanted to enroll here would have to pay \$100 or more to have their high school transcripts evaluated. Now, the students will not have to pay the fee and they will have quicker acceptance to our college.

<u>Quality Matters</u>: Carolyn Horseman has received Quality Matters certification for MAC 1114 (her third approved course) and Beverly Woolery has received Quality Matters certification for an EPI course.

<u>Netiquette Statement</u>: A group from the Distance Learning Committee has formed to work on a college-wide netiquette statement. Naomi Boyer is leading the group.

Respectfully submitted,

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