

## **KNMC Radio advisory board meeting**

January 24<sup>th</sup>, 2020

### **Meeting participants:**

Dave Martens, Garrett Depner, Jim Potter, Marianne Hoppe

### **Budget:**

- Year to date income and expenses were reviewed. The station is in good financial shape

### **Equipment:**

- Kevin recommended an Audio Technica turntable. Motion was made to purchase the turntable with built in preamp. Motion was seconded and carried unanimously.
- CD player 3 is sticking and a new one is required. Motion was made to purchase 3 new CD players. Motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

### **DJ course credit:**

- Dave met with Valerie Guyant and submitted paperwork to have our one credit participation class part of the fall course catalog. Have not heard whether or not it was accepted.

### **Radio station paid positions?**

- Wade has had multiple students talk to him about participating in a station. Their response is, "If I'm not getting paid for it, why am I doing it?" Motion was made to investigate the possibility of creating scholarships for student DJs. The amount(s) would vary from year to year based on budget and degree of student involvement. Motion was seconded and carried unanimously.
- Additional scholarship discussion ensued. Caveats for scholarships. What would criteria be for a scholarship award. Limit to 2 years. A new DJ scholarship and a returning DJ scholarship.
- Discussion about DJs possibly earning a letterman jacket. For the students who completed a year as a DJ.
- A motion was made to explore the possibility of hiring Rick Linie on a temporary 9 month contract as a part-time (19 hrs. per week max) music director for the station. To review and add new music to the stations broadcast playlist. Motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

### **New Student ambassador for KNMC**

#### **Radio Station Plaque**

- The Lisenby plaque to be completed summer 2020

#### **Office Space:**

- Dr. Wise informed us that a production studio and office space is no longer a part of the little river institute as was previously the plan.

#### **Events:**

- TRIBUTE: No date has been set. May 16th or April 25th

#### **Other business:**

- Station license is up for renewal next year.

#### **Next meeting:**

- Tentatively set for Friday, March 6th