Meeting began at 1:35pm by Chair Hannah Janiec

Attendance:
- Hannah Janiec
- April Peters
- Jamie DeVlieger
- Ainan Bauvas
- Dee Wegwert
- Taylor Bailey
- Laura Rodriguez
- Emilly Borthwick-Wong
- Joseph Wegwert
- Lori Rubino-Hare
- Angela Negiro
- Devon Bacso
- Ashley Morrison
- Lisa Shows
- Amanda Meeks
- Olivia Burros
- Ryan Davis
- Sara Downs
- Joseph Liey

Commission Goals:

1. Create an inclusive admissions application with gender identity & sexual orientation
2. Create an inclusive classroom environment by including student pronouns and preferred names in the attendance roster.
   a. Professors will include this resource in their syllabi
      i. Member commentary: should this language be standard across all syllabi, like the University policies?
      ii. Member commentary: should the Commission offer a “best practice” information packet to professors on how to create an inclusive classroom environment?
3. Continue to pursue the creation & maintenance of gender neutral bathrooms across campus
   a. Create an advertisement of gender neutral bathroom locations to raise awareness & knowledge
4. Ensure students, staff, and faculty are aware of the resources available to them concerning health promotion and inclusive bathrooms.
5. Continue building scholarship fund to endowment goal of $25,000
6. Create a safe and inclusive environment at Rainbow Convocation where attendees can receive their rainbow stole with their graduation regalia.
   a. Member commentary: a letter can be drafted to President Cheng on why it is important specifically to LGBTQ+ students to be able to wear their regalia to Rainbow Convocation.

I. Updates from the community:
   a) Inclusion and Multicultural Services: Chris’ position should be open by next week. It will be a month long posting. There will be open forums for the candidates. If you want to be involved in the process, please contact Emilly.
      i) NAU Pride will be the weekend of March 7-9th. It will be hosted during the same weekend of the Drag Show from PRISM, and the Trans Pool Party.

II. Scholarship Fund: $10,798.67

III. LGBTQ+ & Ally Mixer: 3/24 @ Blendz @ 6pm.

IV. Diversity Award Nominations:
   a) An email went out with a link to the nominations. Nominations are open until the second week of March, and voting will be during our March meeting.
   b) https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/JQFByJM

V. Diversity Strategic Plan: Dr. Phelps has been given permission to post a draft version of the Diversity Strategic Plan on her webpage (Center for University Access and Inclusion). It should be up on the page and open to feedback via a form soon.

Meeting ended by Chair Hannah Janiec at 2:30pm.