

Committee Report Form - -Yellowstone Presbytery

Committee Name: Higher Education

Committee Report for Council Meeting, scheduled for: April 27, 2012

Submitted By: Bob Culbertson

I. For Council's Information:

- a. The Committee's Three Stated Goals for 2012:
 - i. Priority 1: Review campus ministry programs.
 - ii. Priority 2: Develop Committee role in supporting campus ministries in Montana.
 - iii. Priority 3: Plan Higher Education seminar(s) for Convocation
- b. Date of Committee Meeting:04/22/12 Date of Next Meeting:05/10/12
- c. Members Present:

Chuck Broughton	Bob Culbertson	John Dyce	Kim Woeste
Curt Kochner	Dan Krebill	Nancy Giddings	

Also present: George Goodrich
- d. Main agenda Items:
 - i. Review campus ministries for MSU, MSUB & RMC
 - ii. Plan Convocation seminar
- e. Decisions we made: Who will follow Through:

We have been allowed one seminar; much discussion about potential seminar topic and speakers.

No concensus – will take break for prayerful contemplation and meet again in 3 weeks to reconsider our options.

Some questions we are grappling with:

 - What is the committee's wish for the seminar?
 - How do we minister to and for young people and how do we get our college-age young people in places of ministry by and for them?
 - How do we mobilize young people into leaders in our congregations? Opportunity to develop young leaders... What are their concerns?
 - How do we get in a role of supporting these young people and keeping them connected?

II. We Request Council's Input on the Following:

III. We request Council's Action on the Following:

IV. Council desires the Committee to consider the following: