

**Faculty Activities Committee
2006-2007 Annual Report
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Committee Members:

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Meetings:

The initial meetings of the 2006-2007 season were presided over by Patrick J. Brennan. After Dr. Brennan's untimely death, Jewell Anderson was elected chair. There were approximately four meetings total. Committee communiqué was additionally accomplished via phone and e-mail.

The committee elected to perform a survey of their constituents to determine interest in assorted group projects. Survey result indicated faculty was amenable to the idea of a river boat expedition, as well as continuation of the established Bocce and Garden Tour events. Further committee investigation into the common river boat tour gleaned mixed-to-negative reviews; current effort is being expended toward the possibility of a gambling charter boat trip to be undertaken at the kick off to the 2007-2008 academic year.

Accomplishments 2006-2007:

- Created, administered, and analyzed results of a faculty survey to determine the extent of interest in proposed group activities.
- Sponsored committee-member Wendy Marshall's initiative to create and sustain a faculty supper club.
- Organized annual Garden Tour of the AASU grounds for faculty and staff.
- Maintained Bocce club activities, including appointment of new commissioner Jack Simmons.

Proposed Goals for 2007-2008:

- Maintain established activities as interest sustains.
- Continue to sponsor activities that foster a congenial and personalized campus / work environment for the faculty.

