Board END: Personal Enrichment

Recipients pursuing individual interests will be personally enriched.

- Individuals/students will experience various cultural activities.
- Individuals/students will participate in College activities.
- Intercollegiate athletics and other extra-curricular programs and activities will improve the lives of the participant(s).

Monitoring Report Tools: L. E. "Gus" and Eva Shafer Memorial Art Gallery information - Silver Cougar Club reports - Barton County Campus student activities - Graduation Survey – CCSSE - Community Relationships – Music/Theatre Events – Cohen Kansas History Center

Definitions

CCSSE - Barton has CCSSE data from the following dates: Spring 2003, Spring 2006, Spring 2008, and Spring 2010. CCSSE's survey instrument, The Community College Student Report, provides information on student engagement, a key indicator of learning and, therefore, of the quality of community colleges. The survey, administered to community college students, asks questions that assess institutional practices and student behaviors that are correlated highly with student learning and student retention. The Community College Student Report is a versatile, research-based tool appropriate for multiple uses. It is a:

- benchmarking instrument — establishing national norms on educational practice and performance by community and technical colleges.
- diagnostic tool — identifying areas in which a college can enhance students' educational experiences.
- monitoring device — documenting and improving institutional effectiveness over time.

Barton will be administering the CCSSE survey spring of 2011.

Community Relationships - Barton recognizes the long-term and mutually beneficial arrangement between the College and its Stakeholders. That's why our focus is on value enhancement with the goal of providing a more satisfying exchange between the College and our Communities we serve. Details can be found on the web site by clicking here.

Graduation Survey – taken by all graduates as part of their graduation application. Survey is multiple pages with detail questions about various departments at the college. The survey is located here.

L. E. "Gus" and Eva Shafer Memorial Art Gallery - The L.E. "Gus" and Eva Shafer Memorial Gallery has been called the "Gem of the Campus". Located in the Fine Arts building, the Shafer Gallery displays the work of Gus Shafer, other objects from Barton's growing permanent collection, and a rotating series of exhibitions from regional and national artists. Detailed information can be found on the web site by clicking here.

Music/Theatre events – the Dean of Academics will select various highlights to report on.

Cohen Kansas History Center – will be reported on by the foundation.

Silver Cougar Club - The Silver Cougar Club is an organization for individuals 55 years of age or older, or a spouse of a Silver Cougar Club member who is 55 years of age or older. Detailed information can be found on the web site by clicking here.