

## Advocacy Committee Report:

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1. Staff Tours : if you get a chance to attend a staff tour, please come!
  - a. The Reindeer Research Program and Research Greenhouse staff tours had over 10 staff members attend. It is great to get information on what is happening on campus and how our students are a part of the research that is taking place.
  - b. Upcoming tours:
    - i. Nov 17 – Research portion of the Museum from 12:00-1:00pm, and due to the restriction entrance staff need to arrive a few minutes before 12:00pm.
    - ii. Continuing to plan additional tours at LARS, The Core Lab, School of Fisheries, SRC, and more!
2. Brown Bag Lunches: Topics are being brainstormed such as soft closure forum for staff to talk/discuss with HR and others about the soft closure.
3. There was a response from a staff member that works at Eielson AFB UAF center and said they would like to see some evening tours for staff that are off campus, plan to discuss with Advocacy Committee meeting at the next meeting (TBA).
4. Continue discussion/planning for the Family Fun Day in the Spring when committee meets again.
5. Next meeting – to be announced.