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To: The Campus Community  
From: Barbara Hoffman, Commission on the Status of Women  
RE: Update April 27th Take Our Daughters and Sons to Work® Day

Campus announcements posted in March described a change in approach to celebrating what has become a University of Arizona tradition, and alerted campus that the CSW event Daughters on Campus Day would not be held. Instead, the UofA has adopted the format established by the Ms. Foundation program known as Take Our Daughters and Sons to Work®. This format promotes department-based activities designed for children of employees, which focus on the purpose of the unit and the importance of staff and faculty contributions.

To augment department-based events, CSW proposed to host common activities in the early afternoon for all participating children. However, the campus response to our program notices indicates a lack of interest in these common activities. Therefore no CSW sponsored activities will take place this year.

We urge departments to proceed with their plans and encourage departments to contact CSW to share the outcome of their efforts. Gathering this information will help shape future programs in conjunction with bringing children to our campus.

Worth noting here is that the CSW Special Events Workgroup is designing a new program to be held in spring 2007. This new event will provide an opportunity for children ages 12 to 16 to engage in a learning experience centered on a theme of "empowerment". Watch for more information about this event as well as news of other activities from the Commission on the Status of Women.

Please direct any comments or questions to Barbara Hoffman at hoffman@email.arizona.edu or 621-4986.