AGENDA FOR SIS USER MEETING
January 19, AT 1:00PM
Host: CCSN Chair: Elda J. Chavez
Note taker: Nora Fernandez

1. Calling the SCS help desk

2. Follow up item from the 11/17/05 meeting - Results of institutions discussing change 23845. Requested by TMCC on 9/15/05 - Each institution was to discuss this request to determine if it can be cancelled and bring the results to the 1/19/06 meeting.

3. Can the following change requests be cancelled due to the SIS data clean up project and the iNtegrate project?
   23850 - Add a parm to SSRMPREB to control the term to read for TKEQ - requested by UNLV on 9/15/05. No user priority set.
   24233 - Add the ability to purge by class campus code or class prefix - requested by CCSN on 11/17/05. User priority set at medium.
   20566 - Add an option to include immunization information from ODIM on the student web. Requested by UNLV on 9/20/02. User priority set at medium.
   23130 - Add an option to transcripts on CTBL to allow printing several cumulative GPAs. Requested by WNCC on 7/21/05. User priority set at medium.
   23554 - Modify the ROS2 and ROS4 screens to include the withdraw status on the screen. Requested by WNCC on 7/21/05. User priority set at medium.
   22554 - Create a program to change the student program code in all places. Requested by UNLV on 11/18/04. User priority set at low.

4. Here is one from Sean Patterson of Systems & Applications at UNLV:

Starting around the time of the initial ERP demos, we encountered an error in the data warehouse loads we perform on a daily basis with the DEMO table. The error occurred with only 2 or 3 records initially and has never strayed much further than that. What seems to happen is that when a record in DEMO has been updated, a new line character gets added around the address field, I think by the second or third line. This new line character gets inserted into the SIS, but has no impact on the DEMO screen itself. If I remember correctly, you can't even see that there is a new line character there.

However, when the data is downloaded into text format, this new line character manifests itself and causes an error with our data warehouse loads. The new line creates an incomplete record, which gets skipped and the rest of records continue to load, but we are still informed of the error.

To date, Cem has solved this issue by simply deleting the user's record and creating it new, but this doesn't stop whatever is adding this new line character in the first place. Some of the records have an LMOD user of OFFL, others are different, but rare. I would need to dig into our next error to see.

This error started to manifest itself in a similar fashion in the ADDR tables too a few months after the DEMO ones started. The effects are similar and the solution seems similar too. I'm fairly certain that the downloads themselves are not corrupting these records because there are only 3 or 4 records that are typically corrupted and it is the same record each day that generates the error if the issue isn't fixed.

- GBC is scheduled to chair the February meeting