Community Affairs Board Meeting #1: MINUTES Fall Quarter October 2, 2007

Announcements/Speakers:

-Juan Pimentel, the Assistant Director of Isla Vista Youth Projects came to speak about his program and their need for volunteer tutors and mentors. He discussed the program's objectives which are to offer a variety of activities and enrichment workshops, supervised recreation, sports, arts and crafts, field trips, cooking projects and nutritional snacks in an after school program for Isla Vista Elementary students at a very low cost. Please contact him at 968-1624.

-Leonor Reyes, the Director of the Isla Vista Teen Center spoke about her need for volunteers in this local teen program that offers tutoring, college prep assistance, drug, alcohol and tobacco prevention, health education, a computer lab and sports and recreation. She is asking for a year long commitment to provide continuity and meaningful mentorship.

Please contact her via email at <u>leonor.reyes@ciymca.org</u> or call her at 685-9170.

Upcoming Volunteer Opportunities:

One Time Events

UCSB Turkey Trot—5k/10k run!

<u>What?</u> Volunteers are needed to work the event AND runners are encouraged to sign-up to participate. <u>When:</u> Saturday, November 17 at 9 A.M. <u>Where:</u> UCSB Lagoon **Contact** Mike at <u>mike.homes@essr.ucsb.edu</u> if you're interested in volunteering. If you

would like to participate in the run, sign up at http://orgs.sa.ucsb.edu/rowing/

Friendship Manor – Santa Barbara Symphony Trip

<u>What?</u> Volunteers will hang out with the residents of Friendship Manor and enjoy a Sunday afternoon symphony. Approximately 5 volunteers are needed, and at least 3 of those volunteers must have cars.

<u>When:</u> Sunday, October 14, 2007 at 1:30pm (should last until about 6pm) <u>Where:</u> meet in the back parking lot of Friendship Manor

Contact Pam Van Dyk at <u>pamv@as.ucsb.edu</u> to RSVP or for more information.

Car Show

<u>What?</u> Special Olympics needs 5-10 volunteers at any given time throughout the day to help with children's activities, help with car/parking lot/ pedestrian control, etc. A few people who would be willing to arrive by 8:00am to help with some early car control and set up. Volunteers will be fed and given t-shirts.

When: October 6th from 9am-3pm

Where: Santa Barbara City College

Contact the CAB office or Ali Sprott-Roen at aroen@sosc.org for more information.

Heart and Sole AIDS Walk

<u>What?</u> Put your walking shoes on and come out to The 17th Annual Heart & Sole AIDS Walk — a benefit for Pacific Pride Foundation's HIV/AIDS programs and service. Walk, pledge, or volunteer-whatever it is, we need you there!

When: THIS Saturday, October 6th. Registration begins at 9 A.M. and the walk begins at 10A.M.

<u>Where:</u> Soccer Field at Chase Palm Park, 236 E. Cabrillo Boulevard, Santa Barbara **Contact** Pacific Pride Foundation at (805) 963-3636 ex. 121 if interested or visit www.pacificpridefoundation.org

Cancer Prevention Fair

<u>What?</u> Cancer Center of Santa Barbara is looking for five volunteers to spend about 4 hours to help prepare for their annual Cancer Prevention Fair to put together Colon Cancer Screening Kits. Time and date flexible (probably between October 8th and 11th). **Contact** Lindsay Groark for more information at 805-898-2204 or <u>lindsayg@ccsb.org</u>.

Best Buddies

<u>What?</u> Come to an informational meeting to learn more about how to become a Best Buddy! You have the opportunity to make a friend and make a difference in the lives of people with intellectual disabilities!

When: Wednesday, October 10, 2007 at 5:00pm

Where: GSA (Graduate Student Association) on the 2nd floor above the Multicultural Center (805) 893-4296

Contact Megan Somerville for more information at megan somerville@umail.ucsb.edu

UCSB Triathlon Team and Girls, Inc. needs volunteers!!

<u>What?</u> UCSB Tri Team races are happening on October 20th and November 3rd, and they need volunteers to work the events.

When? Saturday, October 20th and Saturday, November 3rd

Where? Girsch Park (Oct. 20th) and Leadbetter Beach (Nov. 3rd)

Contact Beth Cleary at (805) 963-4757 ext. 14 or via email at bcleary@girlsincsb.org

Goleta Valley Beautiful IV Tree Planting

<u>What</u>? CAB is joining the wellness center and Goleta Valley Beautiful to improve Isla Vista! We're going to be planting trees in IV for a few hours and ending with a pizza party!

When: November 16th from 3-5pm.

<u>Where</u>: Meet in the courtyard at Manzanita Village

Contact Caty Solone to RSVP at csolone@umail.ucsb.edu

Opportunities to volunteer on a regular basis:

Exhibit Interpreter

What? Do you love the ocean and marine life? The Santa Barbara Museum of Natural History is looking for an exhibit interpreter at the Ty Warner Sea Center on Stearns Wharf. Sea Crew volunteers will introduce visitors to the marine invertebrates, fish, and marine mammals of the Santa Barbara Channel, teach them to use real oceanographic equipment, and have a great time! For more information or to sign up for volunteer training, **contact** Leeza Charleboix, Sea Center Volunteer Coordinator, at 805-962-2526 x 104 or **seacrew@sbnature2.com**.

Habitat Restoration Internship

What? The Coal Oil Point Reserve has one habitat restoration paid internship available for Fall Quarter 2007! This is a great opportunity to gain field experience, learn about restoration techniques, conservation principles, and native plant propagation. This intern will work Tuesday mornings (9am-12pm) with a habitat restoration ecologist, the Reserve steward, and other interns and volunteers assisting with planting, paint maintenance, invasive weed control, plant propagation, and seed collection. The internship requires a 30 hour commitment, 3 hours/week with occasional week-end time. Applicant must be available Tuesday mornings from 9am-12pm. \$250 stipend on successful completion. Please apply ASAP. To apply, send resume and class schedule/time availability for fall quarter to Darlen Chirman at <u>dchirman@starband.net</u> or Tara Longwell at <u>longwell@lifesci.ucsb.edu</u>.

America Reads

What? The work-study employment opportunity is currently hiring and has extended the application deadline till further notice, but get your applications ASAP. They can be picked up in the CAB office in a black paper rack under the "America Reads" sign on the wall. Call James To for further information at 893-4296.

Environmental Education

<u>What</u>? Teach environmental lessons to second graders at IV Elementary School. **Contact** Erin at <u>fireshotdibos@yahoo.com</u> or 805-450-2924 <u>When</u>? Friday afternoons. Meet at 1:45 to go over the lesson plans <u>Where</u>? IV Elementary School

*Check out the wellness website at <u>www.wellness.sa.ucsb.edu</u> for awesome opportunities like sailing, rock climbing, and tree planting!

Ongoing CAB Projects:

Boys and Girls Club:

<u>What</u>? Volunteers will tutor and spend time with kids at the Boys and Girls Club downtown! Rides can be provided! **Contact** Madeline Kokosinski at <u>mkokosinski@umail.ucsb.edu</u> for more info. <u>Where</u>? Meet at the Campbell Hall bus loop <u>When</u>? Thursdays at 3:00 P.M.

DAWG

What? Walk dogs and be sure to wear closed toe shoes.

<u>When</u>? Orientations are every first and third Saturday of every month at the shelter at 10am. After orientation you can head to the shelter Friday, Saturday and Sunday from noon until 5 or by appointment to play with/walk the dogs.

<u>Where</u>? The shelter is 5480 Overpass Road. (Exit Patterson, turn left at light on Overpass)

Contact DAWG at dawgnsb@yahoo.com if interested.

ASAP

<u>What?</u> Volunteers will help take care of cats- feeding, cleaning and playing. <u>Where:</u> Santa Barbara County Animal Shelter, 5473 Overpass Road, Santa Barbara, CA 93111

Contact Kim Snyder, ASAP Volunteer Coordinator, at 681-4397 or send an email to <u>ktdms@cox.net</u>

Family Literacy Program

<u>What</u>? Tutor program for elementary school children. Volunteers read to the child, and have them read to you! All it takes is one hour a week!

<u>When</u>? Orientation will be held on Thursday, October 18th, from 5-6pm

<u>Where</u>: Orientation will be in the GSA (graduate student association) upstairs above the Multicultural Center.

Contact Celeste Phillips at <u>ccphillips@umail.ucsb.edu</u> or Colette Harrington at <u>Colette Harrington@umail.ucsb.edu</u> for more information!

Breakfast Club:

<u>What</u>? Volunteers will help displaced members of the community. Hang out in the park and distribute bagels and juice to less fortunate members of our community. <u>Where</u>? Meet at Anisq'oyo Park in IV (across from IV Market and Keg and Bottle) <u>When</u>? Beginning Wednesday, Oct. 10th at 830-930 A.M. **Contact** Caty Solone at csolone@umail.ucsb.edu for more info!

Rescue Mission

<u>What?</u> Santa Barbara Rescue Mission is a drug and alcohol recovery program offering services to the homeless, needy and the chemically addicted. Join Cab members and help set up dinner and visit with the residents.

Where? Meet in the CAB office to carpool

When? TBA

Contact Caty Solone at csolone@umail.ucsb.edu with any questions.

CAB FOUNDATION MEETING MINILITES

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1. Violet Smith from UCSB's Tiny Stars came to request \$102.75 to fund the screening and discussion of "Fields of Mudan", a documentary on the life of a

young Asian girl forced into modern day sexual slavery. The goal of the event is to raise awareness about modern day child sex trafficking as well as acquire donations and interest in helping this cause. The funds requested are to go to the video projector (\$26.00), the microphone (\$2.75), Labor fees (\$29.00), refreshments (\$35.00), and publicity supplies (\$10.00). THE FOUNDATION AWARDED \$102.75 TO TINY STARS.

 Nicole Lokietz from Tri Delta Sorority came to request \$500.00 for food and raffle prizes (2 bikes, gift certificates, ect.) for an Ultimate Frisbee Fundraiser Tournament (all proceeds go to St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital.) Due to a shortage of information regarding this event (itemized budget, logistics, etc.) CAB Foundation has decided to TABLE this request until next week and is requesting an itemized budget before we can proceed further with our decision.