

Community Affairs Board Meeting #4
Fall Quarter
October 24, 2006

Ice Breaker: Camping Game (TP)

Announcements/Speakers:

Ryan from EAB

β EAB is a sister organization to CAB, located right next door!

β They participate in things like campaigns, potlucks, camping trips, hikes, adopt-a-blocks, restoration, environmental education, Earth Day planning

β Go to meetings every Tuesday at 7pm in the GSA

Courtney from Gamma Phi Beta

β Gamma Phi Beta is hosting their annual Pancake Breakfast, November 5th. \$5 gets you unlimited, homemade pancakes.

Active Meeting: Halloween Cards for IV Elementary

How did old one time activities go? Kappa Dash, GVB Tree Planting, Care-Fair?

β Kappa Dash – very well! More runners than ever before! Have raised over \$12,000 so far and money is still coming in!

β GVB – hard work but very fun and successful, got pizza

β Care-Fair – thanks for help for those who came and helped. We got lots of information from organizations – some are even on our agenda today!

Upcoming Events:

One Time Events:

Officer Meeting

Could all officers please stay after the CAB meeting? Meet in the CAB office!

Thank you! We will be talking about the FOOD DRIVE coming up! You are

welcome to come even if you are not a leader and help with the food drive!

Contact Britney Weinberg-Lynn at britwl@umail.ucsb.edu or Kelsey South at kels@umail.ucsb.edu if you want to help!

Goleta Valley Beautiful is hard at work, making this community a better place by expanding our urban forest with beautiful green trees. Volunteers needed!

Please come out this weekend and plant some trees for our planet!! Wear comfortable shoes. If you can't make it this weekend...GVB HOSTS TREE PLANTING EVERY SATURDAY! Email gvbvolunteer@gmail.com to schedule a date.

Where? San Marcos High School, 4750 Hollister Ave. (Corner of Hollister and Turnpike) HOW TO GET TO THERE: Highway 101 south, Exit Turnpike, Turn

right, San Marcos on Left, Look for BIG WHITE GVB truck
When? Saturday, October 28, 9AM to NOON

The Breast Cancer Resource Center Boutique

What? The BCRC is in great need of Baked Goods for the Holiday Boutique on November 4 from 9am – 4pm at 525 W. Junipero St. Any type of Baked Goods will be appreciated. Please call Denise Grant at the BCRC 569-6093 and let her know you will be able to bring the items.

When? Drop item on Friday, Nov 3 by 10 am

Where? 525 W. Junipero St., Santa Barbara

Boo at the Zoo:

What? The Zoo needs a number of volunteers to help with set up or to be a costumed character! Contact Heather or Christopher at 805 962-5339 or by email at chorrigan@sbzoo.org or hjohnson@sbzoo.org

Where? The Santa Barbara Zoo

When? October 27, 28, 29

Adopt-A-Block Halloween Festival

What? IV Recs and Parks is holding their 9th annual Halloween Festival! Held for families in the IV/Goleta area, the park is filled with everything from haunted houses to pumpkins! Volunteers needed to work at the event and one member of CAB is also being asked to sit on the committee and represent CAB during planning sessions. The first meeting is this Friday at 3pm. If interested contact Jessica Van Leuven at 805-968-2017 ext 24.

Where? AnisQ'Oyo' Park 950 Embarcadero Del Mar

When? October 29, 2-8pm

Hearts Adaptive Riding Program

What? Hearts Adaptive Riding, which provides therapeutic horsemanship activities to disabled children and adults, is preparing the Hearts facility for winter and needs some help. Bring work gloves and a great attitude. Refreshments will be provided. Tasks include: picking up rocks, cutting weeds, painting, setting up, etc. Contact Rouven at heartsadaptiveriding@yahoo.com or 805-964-1519.

Where? 4420 Calle Real

When? 10/29

Forest Foundation in SB Costume Ball for Senior Citizens at Maravilla Senior Living Community

What? Volunteers will set up, clean up, participating in art projects with seniors, serving snacks, hanging out, and driving. Contact Jessica Wiggins at Jessica@markswiggins.com or 415-846-1232

When? October 29 5:30 – 9:30

Where? Maravilla Senior Living Community

City of Santa Barbara Parks and Recreation

What? Numerous volunteer opportunities! Flag Football at one of 12 elementary schools, After school Carnivals, Halloween Dance, etc. Find Cassidy or Ellie after meeting

When? Various dates!

Teach for America Information Session What? Information Session about Teach for America and it's purpose. Check out the website: www.teachforamerica.org

When? October 26 at 6:30 pm.

Where? South Hall 1431

Opportunities to Volunteer a Regular Basis:

Bunnies Urgently Needing Shelter (BUNS) has launched a new "Rabbit Adoption Program" Volunteers are needed that can commit to visiting on a regular basis for 1.5 hours a week. Volunteers are responsible for providing: exercise, food & water, basic care & cleaning, and information to potential adopters. All training is provided! If you are interested in being a part of this exciting off-site adoption program, please send an email to rea_king@uic.edu and include your: NAME, PREFERRED DAYS, and PHONE NUMBER

Where? Petco in the 5 Points Shopping Center (3985 State St)

When? Flexibility of times but 1.5 hour time commitment a week

The Santa Barbara Public Library has several openings for AmeriCorps

What? AmeriCorps is a federally-sponsored service opportunity like the Peace Corps. Volunteers serve for a year carrying out public service in a U.S. community. Volunteers will: tutor adults in reading, writing, and basic skills; work on special events; and help with program administration.

They will work in the Santa Barbara Public Library System. The position offers a living allowance and an education award. All members must be able to attend full-time training in San Diego the week of January 8-12 (all expenses paid). For more information, a job description, and an application, call Beverly at 564-5619 or email bschwartzberg@santabarbaraca.gov

When? For the year January to December 2007. Applications are being taken through November 1 and interviews will be in November also.

Hospice of Santa Barbara, Inc.

What? Hospice of Santa Barbara, Inc. is a volunteer hospice organization that provides free counseling care management and volunteer support for those with life-threatening illnesses and the acutely bereaved. Volunteers will serve patients/clients and families with direct service – such as transportation, errands, respite for family, etc. Training will be provided. Contact Dena Vandermeij at

805-563-8821 or dvandermey@hospice

When? All days and any times between 8am – 9pm

Where? 520 West Junipero, Santa Barbara

Volunteer needed for Mr. Wilburt Wayd. He needs help with homecare because he got a toe amputated. Please call 805-563-3747 if interested.

Volunteer needed to help visually impaired UCSB student who needs a ride either every Wednesday evening or Thursday mornings. Contact the CAB office if interested.

DAWG

What? Volunteer needed to manage, coordinate, recruit, train, retain our volunteer base. Much of the work can be done from home! Should be organized and love dogs! Contact Andrea at 805-681-0561 or dawgnsb@yahoo.com

When? Regular basis, schedules would be worked out with them

Where? DAWG shelter downtown

Lynn Lavine

What? Mrs. Lavine is a community member who would like to have a volunteer help her with her groceries two times a month. Please contact her at 805-898-1032 if interested

When? Twice a month

How did ongoing projects go this week?

DAWG, Breakfast Club, Boys and Girls Club

Ongoing CAB Projects:

UCSB Campus Wide Food Drive

What? Canned food drive to feed SB still in the planning stages! Your input is requested!

Talk to Britney or Kelsey after the meeting!

Children: Kelsey South (kels@uail.ucsb.edu)

Boys and Girls Club

What? Volunteers will tutor and spend time with kids at the Boys and Girls Club downtown! Rides can be provided! Contact Madeline Kokosinski at mkokosinski@uail.ucsb.edu for more info.

Where? Meet at the Campbell Hall bus loop

When? Wednesday at 3:30

x Boys and Girls Club meets EVERY week!

Transition House

What? Volunteers will spend time with after-school program kids and help them with homework, etc. Contact Adrienne Lawrence at adrienne_lawrence@umail.ucsb.edu for more info.

Where? TBA

When? TBA

x Transition House weekly trips: stay tuned to find out when!

Senior Citizens: Allysen Mahaffey (allysen_mahaffey@umail.ucsb.edu)

Friendship Manor—

What? Volunteers will hang out with the residents of Friendship Manor.

When?

x Friendship Manor monthly trips to the symphony: the next one is November 12th.

Animals: Adrienne Lawrence (adrienne_Lawrence@umail.ucsb.edu)

Stephanie Thompson sthompson@umail.ucsb.edu

DAWG

What? Volunteers will spend time with dogs and help clean, play and walk them. You must attend a Saturday training session first. Contact Stephanie Thompson at Adrienne_Lawrence@umail.ucsb.edu for more info!

Where? Dog shelter off of Patterson,

When? TBA

Tutoring:

Family Literacy Program

What? Tutor program for elementary school children. Volunteers will read to the child, and have them read to you! Contact Nancy Thuavanuti at Thuavanuti@umail.ucsb.edu or Christina Fulcher at Fulch747@aol.com or Lizzy Lalanne at elalanne@umail.ucsb.edu for more info!

When? You work out the schedule with the family, you give 1 hour a week.

Advancing College Transitions

What? Volunteers will mentor first generation college students, you will attend events to get to know your student, go on trips to different college campuses, as well as SAT prep sessions. Contact Cassidy Zanko at czanko@umail.ucsb.edu for more info!

Hunger/Homeless: Stephanie Romero (sjromero@umail.ucsb.edu)

Breakfast Club

What? 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.

Contact Stephanie Romero at sjromero@umail.ucsb.edu for more info!

Where? Meet in front of St. Mark's Church Wednesday

When? 8-9 am

x Breakfast Club will begin meeting TOMORROW!

Environment: John O'Neill (theviper22@umail.ucsb.edu)

CAB FOUNDATION:

Delta Delta Delta is holding their 3rd annual surf, sand and St. Jude surf competition to benefit St. Jude Children's Medical Research Center. Greek members and community members will participate in either a longboard or shortboard heat and all proceeds will go to St. Jude. They are asking for money to help cover prizes. Tri Delt asked for \$200 - \$400. The Foundation Committee awarded them \$300.