

MINUTES: Community Affairs Board Meeting #1
Fall Quarter
October 3, 2006

Introductions: CAB Officers
The new sign up system!

Ice Breaker: Human Taco!

Announcements/Speakers: Cross-Cultural Solutions Presenter: Cassi Hayes
Britney Weinberg-Lynn Special Olympics

Active Meeting: Will begin next week! Receive an hour of community service just for

Upcoming Events:
CAB Care Fair:
What? Come by and check out local non-profits and how you can get involved in the community
Where? The Arbor
When? October 18th 11am-2pm

CAB Retreat:
What? Come rough it with fellow Cabbies! Fall quarter planning, bonding, smore making and so much more!!
Where? Camping!! In the woods!!
When? Nov 3-4 or 4-5

Officer Meeting:
Could all officers and volunteer coordinators please stay after the meeting today to catch up with Cassidy and Ellie? It will only take a minute!
Where? CAB office

Volunteer Needed for Friendship Manor resident:
What? Judi Lynn, a resident at Friendship Manor is looking for someone to help her out a few hours a week with organizing, filing, computer help, etc. She would like 1 volunteer and will work around your schedule. Contact Judi at 805-562-8875 or rvjudi@yahoo.com

IV Recs. and Parks Adopt-A-Block Program:
What? After signing up with Adopt-A-Block and choosing a block to clean in IV, you would work once a week for about an hour or more anytime between Monday and Friday 8:30am to 5pm cleaning your block.

When you're done, you would collect coupons for free items! All necessary tools are provided by IV Recs. and Parks. Contact Jessica Van Leuven at 805-968-2017 ext. 24 or cleaniv@ivparks.org

Where? Whatever block you choose in IV

When? Volunteers work as long as they want! (Most do it for a quarter at a time.)

Kappa Dash:

What? Sign up to run or walk a 5K to benefit breast and ovarian cancer. Hang out afterwards in the park for live music and prizes! Contact Ellie Stone at 903-521-3274 or elissastone@umail.ucsb.edu if interested!

Where? The race begins in front of Kappa Kappa Gamma on Picasso Rd. and ends in Greek Park

When? October 21 at 10 am

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

Volunteer Needed to help with special needs child.

What? Volunteers will help with physical therapy type sessions for her daughter, Jody. No special training is necessary, she will show you exactly what you need to do (rotating arms and legs in a cross pattern). Call Sandy Kuo for more information at home 805-685-0278 or her cell 805-259-6770 or e-mail her at sandyhkuo@yahoo.com

Where? At her home near Dos Pueblos high school.

When? A few hours a week (regular commitment but can work out your own schedule with her)

The Arts Fund

What? They are in urgent need for 6 or 7 volunteers who will see to it that the place looks tidy, pick up used glasses, plates, help serve food, possibly sell raffle tickets, and help with registration of guests. There will be pizza and beverages for volunteers. For more information please see

http://artsfunds.org/events_fundraisers_postcards_06_1008.htm.

Volunteers should contact moozer1234@aol.com as soon as possible.

Where? The corner of Santa Barbara and Yanonali Streets.

When? This Sunday, Oct. 8. The event is from 3-6 pm but volunteers should be there by 2:30

Hunger/Homeless Convention:

What? Join 400 students and activists from across the country to help end hunger, homelessness and poverty worldwide. For more information and to register call 1-800-664-8647 or visit

www.studentsagainsthunger.org

Where? USC

When? October 28-29

Ongoing Projects:

Children: Kelsey South (kels@uemail.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@uemail.ucsb.edu for more info.

Where? TBA

When? TBA

x Boys and Girls Club weekly trips: stay tuned to find out when!

Transition House

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

Friendship Manor—Symphony trip

What? Volunteers will hang out with the residents of Friendship Manor and enjoy a Saturday afternoon symphony. About 5 volunteers are needed.

Where? Meet at Friendship Manor

When? Sunday, October 15 at 1:30

x Friendship Manor weekly trips: stay tuned to find out when!

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

ASAP

What? Volunteers will help take care of cats – feeding, cleaning and playing. You must attend a training Saturday session first. Contact Adrienne Lawrence at Adrienne_Lawrence@umail.ucsb.edu for more info!

Where? Downtown cat shelter

When? TBA

BUNS

What? Volunteers will help take care of bunny rabbits – similar to work at BUNS. Contact Adrienne Lawrence at Adrienne_Lawrence@umail.ucsb.edu for more info!

Where? Downtown bunny shelter

When? TBA

DAWG

What? Volunteers will spend time with dogs and help clean, play and walk them. You must attend a Saturday training session first. Contact Adrienne Lawrence 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

When? TBA

x Breakfast Club will begin meeting weekly soon! Stay tuned for a date!

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

Events are coming!

CAB FOUNDATION MEETING: 6:30 pm

Megan Somerville, representing Best Buddies, asked for \$1,200 for the year to be used for projects such as recruitment, meetings, events, the end-of-the-year banquet, and a leadership conference.