

CAB Minutes  
Active Meeting  
November 6, 2007, 5:00 P.M.  
State Street Room

Attendance: 48 CAB members and Leg council rep-Molly Lenahan

Guest Speakers

Kristen McGee Program Coordinator for the Muscular Dystrophy Association (MDA) is here to talk to us about how UCSB students can volunteer and work with the local chapter of the organization. Visit [mdausa.org](http://mdausa.org) or call (805) 560-7651 for more information.

Big Brother Big Sister Program is the leader in one-to-one youth service for more than a century, developing positive relationships that have a direct and lasting impact on the lives of young people. They are here to talk to us about volunteering in the Santa Barbara area. Visit [bbbs.org](http://bbbs.org) or call (805) 965-1001 for more information.

Kristin Brown, the volunteer and Intern Coordinator, from Direct Relief is visiting to inform us on how we can help locally. Direct Relief provides medical assistance to improve the quality of life for people victimized by poverty, disaster, and civil unrest at home and throughout the world. Contact Kristin at (805) 964-4767 with any questions.

Sue Dumm the Beneficiary Coordinator of Angels Bearing Gifts needs our help decorating gift bags for intellectually challenged adults in our community. This is CAB's first active meeting in which you will receive one hour of community service for attending today's meeting and preparing these gift bags.

One-time Volunteer Events:

UCSB English Language Program urgently needs volunteers  
What: UCSB Extension's English Language Program needs volunteers to engage in informal conversation with 15 students who are testing their skills with the English language.

When: Wednesday, November 11, 2007 at 11:30 AM

Where: CAB office (2523 Ucen) 2nd floor of MCC

Please sign up if interested.

#### Parent's Night Out

What: Join other UCSB students who want to spend time with children in Isla Vista while their parents go out on the town!

Two volunteers are needed to help with food (free pizza), two with games, and two more for clean up.

When: Friday, November 16, 2007 (6-8 pm)

Where: IV Elementary School Auditorium (across the street from FT)

Contact Erin Schuyler via email [eschuyler@umail.ucsb.edu](mailto:eschuyler@umail.ucsb.edu) at (916) 316-4159 if you are interested.

#### School On Wheels

What: The mission of School on Wheels is the enhancement of educational opportunities for homeless children from kindergarten through twelfth grade. We reach out and provide services to all homeless children. School on Wheels has not, does not, and will not discriminate with respect to gender, race, color, religion, age, national origin, disability, sexual orientation or any or all classifications protected by applicable state or federal discrimination laws, whether in regard to employment or to those to whom we provide services.

When: Orientation on Saturday, November 10 from 9:30-12:30. The orientation is a mandatory part of the application process. Please join us. Coffee and bagels provided.

Where: 425 E. Cota Street Santa Barbara, CA 93101

Contact: Call Sienna Cheek @ (213) 905-2775 or visit [www.schoolonwheels.org](http://www.schoolonwheels.org)

#### Thanksgiving Dinner with the Homeless Community in Isla Vista

What: Take time out of your Saturday evening to serve dinner and eat with the men and women you see around IV every day. Give them a meal to be thankful for and make some new friends.

When: Saturday, November 17, 2007, specific time TBA

Where: St. Mark's Catholic Church in Isla Vista!

Contact Madeline Kokosinski via email at

[mkokosinski@umail.ucsb.edu](mailto:mkokosinski@umail.ucsb.edu) or at (661) 607-5444.

#### Academic Affairs Board Finals Survival Kits

What: AAB needs your help to compile 2500 Finals Packets for UCSB students.

When: starting Tuesday, November 13th, from 9 – 5 pm.

Where: CAB OFFICE (Ucen 2523, above the MCC)

Contact the CAB Office for more info at (805) 893-4296.

#### Goleta Valley Beautiful IV Tree Planting

What? 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.

Where? Meet in the courtyard at Manzanita Village

Contact Caty Solone to RSVP at [csolone@umail.ucsb.edu](mailto:csolone@umail.ucsb.edu)

#### UCSB Turkey Trot—5k/10k run!

What? Volunteers are needed to work the event AND runners are encouraged to sign-up to participate.

When? Saturday, November 17 at 9 A.M.

Where? UCSB Lagoon

Contact Mike at [mike.homes@essr.ucsb.edu](mailto:mike.homes@essr.ucsb.edu) if you're interested in volunteering. If you would like to participate in the run, sign up at <http://orgs.sa.ucsb.edu/rowing/>

#### SB's Cancer Center needs your help!

What? Cancer Center of Santa Barbara is gearing up for two community-wide cancer prevention events, and you can help! If you're interested in health promotion, and learning more about cancer this is the perfect opportunity for you!

When? Projects start whenever you're ready!!

Where? 300 W Pueblo Street, Santa Barbara, CA 93105

Contact Lindsay Groark ASAP at: 898-2204 or [lindsayg@ccsb.org](mailto:lindsayg@ccsb.org).

#### Holiday in the Park

What: Join us for a party in the park with the homeless community of Santa Barbara. Meet in the CAB Office at 5pm to compile the goods and join us as we carpool down to the park to give out food and

clothing essentials to the homeless of downtown SB.

When: November 27th from 5-7:30 P.M.

Where: Cabrillo Ball Park 800 E Cabrillo Blvd, Santa Barbara, CA

Contact the CAB office for more info at (805) 893-4296

#### Friendship Manor Holiday Event

What: Share an afternoon with residents at Friendship Manor in Isla Vista to build gingerbread houses and sing your favorite holiday songs. Project not to exceed \$265.00.

When: Sunday December 8, 2007 12:30 - 3 pm.

Where: Friendship Manor on El Colegio Rd.

CAB will be purchasing 15 gingerbread house making kits, frosting and sugar cookies to decorate and candy.

Contact Clara Ngo at [clarango@sbcglobal.net](mailto:clarango@sbcglobal.net) if you are interested in participating.

#### Ongoing Volunteer Projects:

##### Muscular Dystrophy Association

What: The MDA, a volunteer health organization, needs volunteers for in office support to assist with mailings, organizing, filing, and faxing

When: anytime M-F between 9 A.M. and 5P.M., ASAP

Where: 402 E. Carrillo Street, #C Santa Barbara, CA 93101

Contact Lisa Thomas at (805) 560-7651 or via email at [lmthomas@mdausa.org](mailto:lmthomas@mdausa.org)

##### Work With Special Needs Children...

Who: Gary Paine, a teacher at Goleta Valley Junior High

What: Consistent volunteers to work with his students in his special needs class

When: A few hours needed from volunteers each week to create a set schedule for both students and helpers

Where: Goleta Valley Junior High, 6100 Stow Canyon Road

Contact Gary via email at [garypaine41@yahoo.com](mailto:garypaine41@yahoo.com)

##### Boys and Girls Club:

What: Volunteers will tutor and spend time with kids at the Boys and

Girls Club downtown! Rides can be provided!

Where: Meet at the Campbell Hall bus loop

When: Thursdays at 3:15 P.M.

Contact Madeline Kokosinski at [mkokosinski@umail.ucsb.edu](mailto:mkokosinski@umail.ucsb.edu) for more info.

### Best Buddies

What: You have the opportunity to make a friend and make a difference in the lives of people with intellectual disabilities! We have 5 more people who need college buddies, BUT they need males, in particular.

When: All quarter

Where: Come into the CAB office for more info

Contact Megan Somerville for more information at [megan\\_somerville@umail.ucsb.edu](mailto:megan_somerville@umail.ucsb.edu)

### DAWG

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

When: 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.

Where: The shelter is 5480 Overpass Road. (Exit Patterson, turn left at light on Overpass)

Contact DAWG at [dawgnsb@yahoo.com](mailto:dawgnsb@yahoo.com) if interested or our animal care coordinators. Casey can be reached via email at [caseysimon@umail.ucsb.edu](mailto:caseysimon@umail.ucsb.edu) or Suneena at [suneena@gmail.com](mailto:suneena@gmail.com).

### ASAP

What: Volunteers will help take care of cats- feeding, cleaning and playing.

Where: Santa Barbara County Animal Shelter, 5473 Overpass Road, Santa Barbara, CA 93111

Contact Kim Snyder, ASAP's Volunteer Coordinator, at 681-4397 or send an email to [ktdms@cox.net](mailto:ktdms@cox.net). You could also contact CAB's animal care coordinators Casey and Suneena via email at [caseysimon@umail.ucsb.edu](mailto:caseysimon@umail.ucsb.edu) or at [suneena@gmail.com](mailto:suneena@gmail.com).

### Family Literacy Program

What: 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!

When: All quarter

Where: Homes of the children who need tutors located in Isla Vista and Goleta.

Contact Celeste Phillips at [ccphillips@umail.ucsb.edu](mailto:ccphillips@umail.ucsb.edu) or Colette Harrington at [Colette\\_Harrington@umail.ucsb.edu](mailto:Colette_Harrington@umail.ucsb.edu) for more information!

### Elderly woman needs your help!!

What: Volunteer needed once a week to drive woman from Hollister/Patterson to Goleta Beach and walk with her through galleries and art shows.

When: ASAP, once or twice a week

Where: Goleta, CA

Contact Cathy at (818) 409-0874 or email her at [cbeaumont@ucla.edu](mailto:cbeaumont@ucla.edu).

### The Santa Barbara Maritime Museum needs volunteers!

What: The museum's Admission Desk and Outdoor Visitor Center needs volunteers.

When: Weekends from 10A.M. - 1:30P.M. or 1:30 - 5P.M.

Where: 113 Harbor Way Suite 190 Santa Barbara, CA 93109

Contact Christine Stokes at (805) 962-8404 ext. 114 or via email at [cstokes@sbmm.org](mailto:cstokes@sbmm.org) or visit the website:

<http://sbmm.org/volunteers.php>

### SB SYMPHONY

Sunday, November 11<sup>th</sup> 3 pm – 5:30 pm.

Clara Ngo is the Key Volunteer for the SB Symphony trips. After Sunday's performance she will be taking four community members for ice cream sundaes. Project not to exceed \$20.00.

### CAB FOUNDATION:

Nicole from Tri Delta presented her request for \$500 for her sororities annual surf competition. The money would go to prizes (bikes) and

food(water, ect). Caty Solone motioned to pass this request.

MC: Motion to allocate \$500.00 (Caty Solone) (Collete Harrington)

MCC: Motion is passed by consent

Madeline Kokosinski presented a request for \$1024.55 to fund a Thanksgiving dinner for the homeless and low-income community members of Isla Vista as well as "Party in the Park" for the homeless downtown Santa Barbara. This money is to be used for food, blankets, socks, and other necessities essential to living.

\$683.19 from CAB FOUNDATION 06/07 funds were approved last year and still available to use for homeless projects. We would like to request the remaining \$341.36 from CAB FOUNDATION 07/08.

MC: Motion to allocate \$341.36 (Caty Solone) (Clara Ngo)

MCC: Motion is passed by consent