

Community Affairs Board Meeting #18  
Second Meeting of Spring Quarter  
April 10, 2007

Ice Breaker: Evolution with Camp Ronald McDonald volunteers

Announcements/Speakers:

CAB Picture: next Week!! Come to the meeting next week so we can take our picture for the yearbook!

Camp Ronald McDonald (see below)

Tiffany from the SB Zoo (see below)

Lauren from EAB (see below)

Britney Weinberg-Lynn: Teach for America is looking for Campus Campaign Managers. They recruit Campus campaign managers augment their professional skills in marketing, networking strategies, and communication while gaining an understanding of how a successful nonprofit organization operates.

<http://www.teachforamerica.org/CampusCampaignMgr.html><<https://webaccess.umail.ucsb.edu/global/services/go.php?url=http%3A%2F%2Fwww.teachforamerica.org%2FCampusCampaignMgr.html>>

Come learn much more from the Campus Campaign Managers themselves, this Wednesday, APRIL 11th, in the CAB office on the 2nd floor of the MCC! Grab a snack and hear firsthand experience and learn how you can make a difference!

Upcoming Volunteer Opportunities:

One Time Events

**Camp Ronald McDonald Interviews**

What? Camp Ronald McDonald for Good Times offers activities of a "normal" camp, adapted to meet the special needs of the campers. Programs are intentionally designed to promote self-esteem, confidence, friendships and teamwork in a camp environment that is medically supervised and filled with support, understanding, fun and laughter. Developing these skills can help them successfully meet the challenges of treatment, school, work and family. Interviews will also be held in May, on Wednesday May 10. If interested contact Ellie at [elissastone@umail.ucsb.edu](mailto:elissastone@umail.ucsb.edu)

**FLP Social**

What? FLP is holding a social for the children and families at IV School. Come hang out with kids and play with other volunteers.

When? Friday, April 13, 6-8pm

Where? IV Elementary School in the multipurpose room

**Earth Day Prep**

What? Volunteers are needed to help tree planting in the morning, as well as cooking food, making decorations, picking up/delivering food, and cleaning up after the celebration. They are also looking for people with trucks to help with recycling and trash. If you are interested in helping please contact Odessa at [o\\_adams@umail.ucsb.edu](mailto:o_adams@umail.ucsb.edu)

When? Friday night

Where? BIKO

### **Earth Day**

What? Earth Day is the largest annual celebration put on by EAB! It promotes celebration and environmental awareness and involvement. Volunteers are needed all day to help run the event!

Contact [www.ucsbEAB@yahoo.com](mailto:www.ucsbEAB@yahoo.com) for more information!

When? Saturday, April 14, 1-8pm

Where? Anisq'oyo Park

### **MS Walk**

What? The Multiple Sclerosis Society is currently seeking volunteers to help out at the MS Walk. Some activities include cheerleading, set-up/take down, registration, breakfast distribution, and route marking. If you are interested in volunteering or would like more information, please

contact Cindy at [cindymdavidson@gmail.com](mailto:cindymdavidson@gmail.com)

When? Saturday, April 14

Where? Leadbetter Beach, Santa Barbara

### **Zoo to Do**

What? Would you like to volunteer at the Zoo, but have limited free time? Here's the perfect opportunity...Zoo to Do needs volunteers to help with clearing train tracks, planting new gardens, or helping in the office. Volunteers, aged 18 and older, receive free lunch, to guest passes to the Zoo and a free t-shirt. All are welcome but pre-registration is required by April 12. Please contact the Volunteer Coordinator at [tlopez@sbzoo.org](mailto:tlopez@sbzoo.org) at (805) 962-5339 ext 49.

When? Saturday, April 14 8:30am-3pm

Where? SB Zoo

### **UCSB Annual Spring Insight Open House**

What? The Office of Admissions is looking for lots of student volunteers to help with the annual open house for newly admitted students. Volunteers receive a free t-shirt, lunch, community service credit, and the chance to help recruit future classmates. There are three slots to volunteer: set up, event help, and clean up. There will be a volunteer orientation Tuesday, April 10 from 3-5 or 5-7. For more information check out the Facebook group, Spring Insight 2007

Volunteers or e-mail Christine D'Arcy at [christine.darcy@sa.ucsb.edu](mailto:christine.darcy@sa.ucsb.edu)

When? Saturday, April 14 shifts from 7-10am, 8am-1pm, or 12-5pm

### **Goleta Valley Beautiful**

What? Join Goleta Valley Beautiful to help enhance a healthy and expanding urban forest Saturday s, 9 am to noon. Gloves, snacks and drinks. Just show up!

When? Saturday, April 14, 2007

Where? Does Pueblos High School

DIRECTIONS: 7266 Alameda Ave. Take North Storke Road (toward mountains). Over freeway onto N. Glenn Annie Road, turn Left onto Cathedral Oaks Road, then Let on Alameda Ave

### **Suds 'n' Buds**

What? Come hang out with fellow Cabbies and help local homeless with their laundry! Contact Ellie Stone at [elissastone@umail.ucsb.edu](mailto:elissastone@umail.ucsb.edu) with any questions.

When? Sunday, April 15 3-5 pm

Where? IV Laundromat, next to SOS

### **Friendship Manor Symphony Trip**

What? Join Friendship Manor Residents for a relaxing afternoon at the symphony. Contact Allysen Mahaffey with any questions at [allysen\\_mahaffey@umail.ucsb.edu](mailto:allysen_mahaffey@umail.ucsb.edu)

When? Sunday, April 15,

Where? Meet at Friendship Manor 6647 El Colegio Road in IV

### **Recording for the Blind & Dyslexic Read-a-thon**

What? Recording for the Blind & Dyslexic (RFB&D) will be hosting a 24-hour marathon read of Elizabeth Kolbert's book "Field Notes from a Catastrophe." Readers are needed to fill 1/2 hour reading sessions. To sign up for a session or for more information contact Lucia Ortegon at 805-564-5608 or [lortegon@santabarbaragov.com](mailto:lortegon@santabarbaragov.com)

When? Monday, April 16 9am – Tuesday, April 17

Where? The RFB&D Goleta Studios at 5638 Hollister Avenue, Suite 210.

### **IVCF HIV/Aids & Africa Tent**

What? InterVarsity Christian Fellowship is hosting a large tent on campus to raise awareness about the realities of Africa and how we can all join together to help. The tent is like a mini-museum people will walk through with headsets. Volunteers are needed to hand out mp3 players, stamp hands, run backbacks, and give an orientation about the tent. Contact Paul at [paulbenthin@gmail.com](mailto:paulbenthin@gmail.com) for more information

When? April 16-20, 1 hour shifts M-F 9am-5pm and W 9am-7pm

### **Relay for Life**

What? UCSB's annual co-ed sleepover! Join fellow Cabbies for 24 hours of walking/running, food and fun to help raise money for the American Cancer Society. Check out our website:

[www.acsevents.org/relay/ca/ucsb/cabrocks](http://www.acsevents.org/relay/ca/ucsb/cabrocks)

When? May 20-21

Opportunities to volunteer on a regular basis:

### **UC Reading through Recycling Alliance**

What? A new program to salvage quality books from being recycled, and donating them instead to prisons. The project is quickly growing and is up to about 4,000 books. Volunteers are needed to stamp each book, to sort the books, and to catalog the books for records. For more information or how to get involved please contact Simcha Udwin at [udwin@physics.ucsb.edu](mailto:udwin@physics.ucsb.edu)

### **Red Cross Club Breakfast Club**

What? Can't make it out to serve bagels and orange juice to the homeless on Wednesday mornings with Cabbies? We'll worry no more! The Red Cross Club will be doing the same thing on another day! Contact Stephanie De Santi at 805-680-6041 with any questions.

When? Thursday mornings at 9am. Meet at Starbucks in IV

### **Environmental Education**

What? Teach environmental lessons to second graders at IV Elementary School. Contact Erin at [fireshotdibos@yahoo.com](mailto:fireshotdibos@yahoo.com) or 805-450-2924

When? Friday afternoons. Meet at 1:45 to go over the lesson plans  
Where? IV Elementary School

#### Ongoing CAB Projects:

#### **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@umail.ucsb.edu](mailto:mkokosinski@umail.ucsb.edu) for more info.

Where? Meet at the Campbell Hall bus loop

When? Wednesdays at 3:00

#### **DAWG**

What? Walk dogs and be sure to wear closed toe shoes. Contact Stephanie Thompson at [sthompson@umail.ucsb.edu](mailto:sthompson@umail.ucsb.edu) or [dawgbark@hotmail.com](mailto:dawgbark@hotmail.com) if interested.

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)

#### **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](mailto:Thuavanuti@umail.ucsb.edu) or Christina Fulcher at [Fulch747@aol.com](mailto:Fulch747@aol.com) or Lizzy Lalanne at [elalanne@umail.ucsb.edu](mailto:elalanne@umail.ucsb.edu) for more info!

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

#### **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](mailto:sjromero@umail.ucsb.edu) for more info!

Where? Meet at Anisquo Park in IV (across from IV Market and Keg and Bottle)

When? Wednesday 8-9 am STARTING NEXT WEEK WE WILL MEET AT 9am!!

#### **Adopt-A-Block**

What? Join Cabbies and EAB'ers for an hour to keep your local community clean! Weekly trips with people going through the streets with buckets and grabbers and pick up garbage that would otherwise end up in the ocean. Contact John at [theviper22@umail.ucsb.edu](mailto:theviper22@umail.ucsb.edu)

When? Wednesdays 4-5 pm

You can also adopt your own block and do a beach clean up anytime during the week from the hours of 9-5 Monday - Friday. Please contact Jessica at 805-968-2017 ext 24 to find out about more volunteer opportunities with the IVRPD Adopt-A-Block program.

#### **Rescue Mission**

What? Santa Barbara Rescue Mission is a drug and alcohol recovery program offering services to the homeless, needy and chemically addicted in the community. Join Cab members and help set up dinner and converse with residents. Contact Cindy at [cindymdavidson@gmail.com](mailto:cindymdavidson@gmail.com) with any questions.

Where? Meet in the CAB office to carpool

When? Starting next Tuesday from 6:30 – 8:30.