

## **Environmental Affairs Board (EAB) Minutes**

Date: Nov 13, 2007

Place: Manley co-op

EAB was called to order at 8:06p.m.

### ROLL CALL

Quentin Gee: co-chair

Candice Davantzis: co-chair

Eric Cuvelier: adopt-a-block coordinator, stand-in secretary

Eli Krispi: local affairs chair

Ingrid Avison: social co-chair

Maia Kazaks: social co-chair

Maile Smith: publicity co-chair

Juliette Wigley: GNaW coordinator

Simone Steger: environmental education chair

Melinda Clark: earthday co-chair

Lindsey Malinoski: earthday co-chair

Cassidy Kolmohos: earthday co-chair

### Activities this week/coming up

- Planet Earth films! Nov. 19, IV theater 7pm FREE!
- Adopt a block 4-5, free pizza! Meet at IV food co-op
- Tree planting: 2pm on Friday
  - Meet IV food co-op at 1:45
- Light bulb exchange! Saturday!! 1-4pm, meet at dogshit park 6800 block of DP (camino courto and DP corner)
- Interested in learning about enviro issues? Laurence Buel is presenting on environmental memory and planet survival- HSSB this week! See newsletter
- Sat nov. 17<sup>th</sup>, conference at UCLA about responsible endowments of UCs
  - Talk with Quentin/ newsletter
- Sunday 3pm meet IV food co-op to go out to garden

### Announcements

- Bank of America protest (hading out coal) rainforest action network- Nov. 16, 10-3
  - Campus democrats, calprig sponsored
- A.S. external affairs office: open position for community environmental affairs coordinator, stipend
  - Liason to blue IV, EAB, AS costal fund, IV Parks and Rec, etc.
  - Attend all meetings, report back to external VP
- Petition for environmental General Ed requirement
  - Speaking points available to those who want to make announcements in class
- This Saturday e-coalition potluck: hosted by VIVO at Dashane house
  - See newsletter for time, more details

--Ali's Letter

Discussion took place, whether to fully endorse the letter, edit and then endorse the letter, or to not endorse it at all

Vote on endorsing the letter as is: 10 nays, 0 yays, and 1 abstain

Vote on considering a revised letter: 4 nays, 5 yays, and 2 abstains

--Nina Rizo of CSSC and Rebel With a Cause

In Santa Barbara November 20th and 21st

45 minute presentation in CAB office instead of usual working groups

--Light Bulb Exchange

Saturday November 17th, 1-5pm

Meeting location will be specified later

--Tree Planting

Friday November 16th at 2:00pm

Lead by Simone; no Environmental Education this week

--Sustainable Endowments

Saturday November 17th and Sunday November 18th

Fund for EABers?

Discussion took place followed by a vote to endorse and open for four people: 11 unanimous yays

--Volunteer Activities

Low attendance (i.e. Adopt-a-Block and Tree Planting)

Boost publicity? Mascot costume?

Wait it out this quarter and see if attendance increases

--Planet Earth

Mountains, Shallow Seas

Distribution of flyers

Food from I.V. Co-op?

Tabling 11-3pm on Monday the 20th in Arbor (sign-up sheet)

--Focus the Nation blurb

Is it O.K. to send out emails to students encouraging them to approach their professors about Focus the Nation and include a "blurb" for them to share?

Discussion took place and resulted in an unanimous yes.

--Other:

Next core meeting: 11/19 at 6:00pm

Potluck for Thanksgiving on Thursday

On the Bike Rack

Old:

EAB shirts - Maile and Simone are working on it

Environmental Olympics / Green the Greeks

EAB bringing a speaker?

EAB bike for rental - speaker on genetically modified food

Trike decorating party?

When to have CORE meeting on 11/19

Ali's letter

ADJOURNMENT

8:56pm

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