

Environmental Affairs Board (EAB) Minutes

Date: April 7, 2008

Place: Manly Co-op

EAB was called to order at 8:04 p.m.

ROLL CALL

Emma Fujii: secretary
Evanne: publicity co-chair
Sarah: co-external chair
Lindsey: earthday co-chair
Lisa: tree planting coordinator
Maia: social co-chair
Eli Krispi: local affairs chair
Melinda Clark: Earthday co-chair
Cassidy: earthday co-chair
Quentin Gee: co-chair
Kevin: foods co-chair
Candice Davantzis: co-chair
Simone: Environmental Ed.
Ingrid: social co-chair
Nina: campus affairs chair
Amy: DPW
Juliet Wigly:
Teal: publicity co-chair
Nick: academic chair
Jill: board member with GVB; treasurer!!

Earthday (April 19)

- T-shirt designs:
 - Guy climbing up plant: 0
 - A head, with animals:0
 - Animal pile:17
 - Plant face: 1
 - Abstained: 2
- Borrow tables from MCC
- Groups that want to table will generally be allowed
- Community investment – trash/recycle can by beach access / embarcadero

Earth Week

- Sunday (4/13): Manzanita is showing “Inconvenient truth”
- Sunday: Naples hike at 11; meet at co-op at 10:30
- Monday (4/14): Planet Earth
- Next Friday (4/18): Eleventh hour

Finance board / Budget

- Candice discussed general budget increase of \$4,000
- Seemed really receptive
- Our big expenses:
 - Shirts \$1500

- Camping \$600
- BBQ \$300
- Planet Earth \$400

Other

- Nor-Cal pesticide showers – we're in contact with people who seem in the know
- Two new EAB-ers want to show a documentary on effects of radiation of nuclear bombs as in Japan
 - Give \$200 to this endeavor? Tabled for next week
- Worms: want to hire Bill for worms, Bill would do worm demo at earth day
- BiCi centro! Quentin went and it was really cool!
 - BiCi centro: every wed. @7– teaching bike things, 5\$ per session
- Organizations of the year: shall we nominate ourselves?
 - Informal list of all the things we've done this year (1500 lightbulbs, 100 buckets of trash, zimride, cssc, focus the nation, planet earth, earth day)
- Bike to SB earthday (down town) April 20
 - Advocate bike awareness
- Recycled paper note books: 3626 Ellison 3:30p
- **NEXT WEEK'S CORE MTG: outside IV theater at 6 pm**
- El Colegio expansion... it's passed and the trees would probably be taken out by the long range development plan

Dates:

- April 12: GVB needs people to set up irrigation system
 - Meet at IV food co-op 12:40
- April 12: BBQ / Potluck; Manley co-op
 - Also making posters!
- April 12: Spring Insight
 - Tabling (sign up tomorrow)
- April 13: Manzanita is showing "Inconvenient truth"; Naples hike
- April 14: Planet Earth
- April 18: Eleventh Hour
- April 22: EAB elections
- April 29: 7pm Embarcadero Hall; Public comment period for the long range development plan
- May 17: Camping trip

On the Bike Rack

- Old:
 - Environmental Olympics / Green the Greeks
 - EAB bike for rental – speaker on genetically modified food?
 - Stronghearts bakery contract opportunity ... discussion...
- New:

ADJOURNMENT

9:03 pm

EAB meeting April 8, 2008
Location: GSA lounge

45 people present

Meeting began at: 7:02pm
Breakout groups at: 7:41 pm

Review of past week

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Announcements

- Kelly Burns: June 3rd, IV 3rd district elections
- EAB elections- two weeks from today (April 22); Nominations for new officers
 - Positions: Co-chairs, Earthday co-chairs, Publicity co-chairs, Social co-chairs, CSSC co-chairs, Secretary, Campus affairs, Treasurer, Environmental education, Sustainable foods, Academic chair, Volunteer chair
- Ami: Light Brown Apple Moth Pesticides in SF area, state spending \$70 million, online petition; stopthespray.com, lbam.com
- Liz: AS Worms, verma-composting day, first Friday in May; looking for EAB support
- Student Voice: 1/3rd of platform is environmental

Activities this week/coming up

- Thursday:
 - Ryan Miller hikes – every Thursday 5pm meet at IV food co-op rain/shine
- Friday:
 - Environmental Ed, every Friday, meet at IV elementary school 1:45p
- Saturday:
 - EAB BBQ/Potluck: Manley Co-op 5pm
 - Spring Insight tabling
 - Goleta Valley Beautiful tree maintenance 12:40 meet at IV food co-op
- Sunday:
 - Naples Hike 10:30 meet at IV food co-op
 - Inconvenient Truth 6:30 @ Miranda House (MV)
- Monday
 - Adopt a block – every monday4-5 free pizza! Meet at IV food co-op
 - Planet Earth: 7pm, deserts and seasonal forests

Working Groups

- Earthday – Lindsay, Melinda, Cassidy
- Environmental Ed – Simone
- Environmental GE – Ingrid
- New Interest- Candice