

Environmental Affairs Board (EAB) Minutes

Date: Feb 22, 2010

Location: Violetta Muselli's house

In Attendance:

Nick Allen: Co-chair
Violetta Muselli: Co-chair
Emma Fujii: Secretary
Evanne St. Charles: Campus affairs chair
Amanda Galvin: Volunteer chair
Simone Steger: Social co-chair
Alexa Layton: Social co-chair
Tiffany Mayville: CSSC rep and Environmental Justice chair
Anthony Rum: Sustainable business co-chair
Marina Hoffman: Publicity co-chair
Elizabeth Farrington: Academic Affairs chair
Cora Hirashiki: Local Affairs
Kiyome Okikawa: Earthday
Jeff: Sustainable business co-chair
Teal Riege: EENG co-chair
Rachel Saputo: Earthday co-chair
James Hawkins: TGIF fund rep
Russel Russo: Hiking coordinator
Ryland King: EENG co-chair
Andrew Dunn: Publicity co-chair
Corie Radka: External affairs chair, CSSC rep
Aaron: I.V. Events

Meeting called to order at: 9:06

New Business

- Meatless Monday film screening (of Big River)
- Aaron from I.V. Events group about Floatopia
 - Wants thoughts/input on the topic of floatopia 2010
 - Aaron's vision for the event:
 - Grand vision: to have the event be more organized, like a festival than a free for all, local artists/musicians; more like a west beach thing to come for the music; structured float competition
 - Aaron's additional idea: having EAB supervise Greeks cleaning up after
 - Tip for Aaron: talk to A.S. Recycling
 - Aaron left, discussion ensued
 - We will NOT promote it , date conflict with climate conference
 - Decision: EAB not have name associated with the event
 - Advisor/Liason to Aaron's organizing group to help steer him in the most environmentally possible way: Elizabeth Farrington
 - We will not have a working group for it

- Make a statement prior to the event against
- We're not officially affirming the event
- If the date does not conflict with our schedule, we'll help clean up but not in any official capacity
- Climate Conference April 9 and 10
 - Most panelists are confirmed; spring insight track going well
 - Mostly promoting the Friday event, a 3 hour block focused less on incoming High School kids on Saturday
- Nexus people are short on stories: Cig Butts, EENG, Green Chef- write articles!!
- Office housekeeping:
 - Don't water the new plants!! Official plant waterers: Elizabeth, Corrie, Russell
- T-shirt updates (Andrew): digitized, Andrew will e-mail it out
- Env'tal justice (Tiffany) – working group
 - Talking with Marisella, Armando
 - Env'tal justice workshop?
 - Transportation and access, a local issue (talk with Bici centro)
- TGIF (James)
 - TGIF going through apps, setting up interviews
- Anthony for Amy wanting tablers for Green Chef – announcement
- Sustainable Business (Anthony) – working group
- Earthday (Kiyome and Rachel) – working group
 - Going to IV CRC tomorrow for additional funding (mtg at 8)
 - Finalizing logo tomorrow
 - Start purchasing merchandise soon
 - Music listening party – likely to happen Mar 2nd working group time
 - Likely to have one stage with a DJ to play during down time
- Recyclemania (Simone)
 - Sustainable fashion show on Saturday, 1-4
 - Vendors, DJs,
- Bike ride to downtown farmers market on Saturday leaving the I.V. food co-op at 9:30 (Russel)
- Finances (Quentin)
 - Checking on progress of Copenhagen money flow
 - Budget update next week
- Meatless Monday (Corie and Andrew) -- working group, announcement
 - Need to combat the article in the nexus from last week (no credit to EAB) with an Op-Ed
 - March 1: first meatless Monday at the dining commons – they want us to table/publicize for it
- Evanne
 - Talking with Chancellor's sustainability committee about Env'tal justice new transportation committee
- Hiking on Sunday with Russell
- EENG (Ryland)
 - Successful interviews – 11 new instructors
 - 3 new interest schools; next quarter in -- Hope elementary, Adams

- elementary (mnt view, Brandon and Hollister have contacted for more info)
- Volunteering (Amanda)
 - Beach clean up Mar 6 – going to check tide calendar to finalize
- ChillaVista working group idea? (Elizabeth)
- Website stuff (Andrew)
 - Been updating it with what's current/relevant – e-mail Andre details on things coming up
- Meditation moved to Sunday at 11 (Andrew)
- Cassie is updating our Relay for Life team (Simone)
- Calendar is out of commission – awaiting new software (Emma)
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Old Business

Dates

- 2/27: Recycle mania, Anisq'oyo park 1-5p (Evanne, Cora, Elizabeth)
- 3/1: first really big meatless Monday at the DC
- 3/2: Green Chef, 6p (Amy)
- 4/9-10: UCSB Copenhagen conference
- 4/29-5/1: CSSC in San Diego
- 5/8: chillaVista

Meeting adjourned at 10:16p

Environmental Affairs Board (EAB) Minutes GENERAL MEETING

Date: Feb. 23, 2010

Place: GSA Lounge

90 people present

Meeting began at: 7:08pm

Break out groups began at: 7:35pm

Announcements

- A.S. election primaries tomorrow night! Details in the newsletter (8pm, South hall)
- Open People's Party mtg: Fri 4p at Giovanni's
- Recyclemania sustainable fashion show in Anisq'oyo park 1-4pm
- Cassie for EAB's relay for life team
 - Working group for that next week
 - Talk to cassie if you're interested
- Jeff from the alumni association announce event
 - March 13th and april 24th run; no waste race
- Carly – an RA from manzinita
 - Thursday-Sunday environmental week

- Thursday: “The cove” 6p film screen (@ loma paloma)
 - Friday: 3p REEF touch tank & 8p “shark water” film screening
 - Saturday: campus point beach clean up
- Bennett for “BOSS” (better our school system) new campus party
 - Info session this weekend, details tba
- Chris with an announcement for compost coalition
 - Mtg on Friday
 - A.S. recycling giving a tour of eucalyptus grove
- Mel for A.S. worms
 - Event tomorrow 12-1, SRB lawn
 - Making organic salad, compost demo, vegan bake sale
- Green Chef! Next Tuesday @5:30 – sustainable foods competition; prizes!
- Meatless Monday!
 - Mar 1 will be the first ever MM in the dining commons, sign up to table

Activities this coming week

- Thursday:
 - Adopt-a-block 4p, meet Michelle at the IV food co-op, free pizza after
- Friday
 - Shepherd Farms volunteering field trip, 2p from I.V. food co-op or campus(sign up!)
- Saturday:
 - Meditation, meet Andrew at the IV food co-op at Noon
 - Recyclemania Fashion Show 1-4p at Anisq’oyo park
- Sunday:
 - 10:30a Hike, meet Russell at the I.V. food co-op
- Monday:
 - First meatless Monday at the dining commons

Working Groups

- Environmental Justice with Tiffany (local transportation equity, bringing a panel)
- Sustainability Business with Anthony and Jeff
- Meatless Monday with Corie and Andrew
- EENG with Teal and Ryland
- Sustainable foods with Amy -- green chef
- Earthday with Kiyome
- New Interest group with Violetta and Nick