

# 2006-07 Youth Commission

## Retreat & Training

### Minutes

6:00 p.m.  
September 2-3, 2006  
Saratoga Springs

#### **Saturday, September 2**

**6:00 p.m.** Arrive/Games/Snacks

- Starburst
- Blackout

**6:30 p.m.** –Make your own Burrito Dinner

- Tents
- Cooking Assignments

**7:30 p.m.** *Part I*

Schedule for the next 2 days

Review

- ✚ SYC Mission
  - Goals of SYC – Provide programs for Saratoga Youth & Teens
- ✚ Meetings
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday every month through May
  - Mandatory; No exceptions
  - Must have quorum to have meeting
- ✚ Brown Act
  - Cannot discuss YC Agenda items in outside of our meetings (Tami)
- ✚ Attendance Policy
  - Must attend majority of events (dances, concerts, lectures, etc.)
  - Notify in advance if you cannot make it

- ✚ Elections – 2006-07 Officers
  - Chair – Tami
  - Vice-Chair- Steven
    - Steven Shepherd v. Pratik Pramani
  - Treasurer- Michael Byrne
  - Secretary- Elli
    - Elli Rezaii v. Pratik

**8:45 p.m.** - Break

- Hot Chocolate

**9:15 p.m.** – PART II

SYC Motto - **“WE RUN THE SHOW”**

- How Does This Work?
  - Create & Plan & Run programs for Teens of Saratoga
- What are the objectives?
  - Increase attendance
  - Offer new and exciting programs
- Changes from the previous year
  - No more concerts in the Warner
- **CONCERTS - Tami (Chair), Justin, Amit**
  1. Shows will be out Rec Center
  2. Pass out flyers
  3. Spread the word
  4. Find new, local bands
  5. First SYC sponsored concert, 11/10 with *Twice Outspoken*
- **DANCES – Elli (Chair), Corey, Kia, Shireen, Tiffany**
  1. Pass out flyers during lunchtime (week of dance preferably)
  2. Know policies
- **SPECIAL EVENTS (see below)**
  1. Lecture – **Pratik, Ted**
    - a. Choose Speakers
      - i. Interesting Careers
      - ii. Social Awareness
    - b. Promote event through media and schools
  2. Snow Trips – **Steven (Chair), Kelly (& Justin)**

- a. Plan trips – possibly 2 snow trips
  - b. Co-sponsor with other cities? No/Maybe
  - c. Promote event at school to like-minded clubs & friends.
  - 3. Other ideas – **Michael, James**
    - a. Video game tournament – Need more info
      - i. LGHS hosted a video game tournament
      - ii. Halo
      - iii. Mario Kart – Boys & Girls might be interested
    - b. Poker 4 teens
      - i. Use chips to be cashed in for prizes
    - c. Senior Ball
      - i. Teens & Seniors
      - ii. Valentine's Day
    - d. Filmfest
      - i.
- Each group consists of at least 3 commissioners including an officer, who is the chair.
  - Should meet when event is near
  - Group is responsible for helping put the event together.

## **WEBMASTER**

- **Saratogateen.com** –Post all upcoming & past events & pictures
  - Pratik
  - 1 more assistant?
    - James

## **EVENTS Coming Up**

- Street Dance
  - Glow-n-dark
    - Shifts
      - 5:00p.m. – 8:30 p.m.
        - Justin (TS)
      - 8:30 p.m. - 12:00 midnight
        - Justin (TS)
  - Teen Area
    - Sell food
    - Stage Manage (Justin)
- Community Parade – Sunday, September 24
  - SYC marches with Recreation Department
  - Volunteer to work on Sign

- Kelly & James
      - Other ideas
        - Skit on who we are???
    - Dance – Friday, October 13<sup>th</sup>
      - 6:30 p.m. arrive for setup
      - Pass out flyers during lunchtime @ Redwood
    - North Campus
      - What is it?
      - Where?
      - Why it's important?
- 11:00 p.m.** – “Architect The Game”
- 11:45 p.m.** – Banana Boat
- 12:30 a.m.** – Lights off

### **Sunday, September 3**

**8:00 a.m.** – Wake up

**9:00** – Ropes Course

**1:30 pm** – End of Training

#### **Adjournment to next meeting October 10, 2006**

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#### **Agenda completed by:**

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