

**CITY OF SARATOGA
YOUTH COMMISSION
Minutes**

DATE: Tuesday, March 11, 2008
TIME: 7:00 p.m.
LOCATION: City Hall Conference Room

CHAIRPERSON: Ted Sclavos
VICE CHAIRPERSON: Elli Rezaii
TREASURER: Shireen Gupta
SECRETARY: Kelly Langstaff

I. Call to Order 7:08

II. Roll Call: Annamalai, Baker, El-Diwany, Fariba, Gupta, Kausar, Langstaff, Rateau, E.

Rezaii, K. Rezaii, Sclavos, Tang, Tseng. **Absent: Gupta, Tseng**

III. Report on Posting of the Agenda: Pursuant to Government Code Section 54954.2, the agenda for this meeting was posted on **March 10, 2008**

IV. Accept Agenda Items and Order: No additional items may be added pursuant to Government Code Section 54954.2.

V. Approval of February Minutes. Motion: Annamalai, Second: Kia

VI. Oral and Written Communication

Any member of the public may address the Commission about any matter not on the agenda for this meeting for up to three minutes. *Commissioners may not comment on the matter but may choose to place the topic on a future agenda*

VII. New Business

A. Monte Sereno Youth Commission

1. Shannon's questions? Comments? **Shannon could not attend tonight's meeting, but she will be assisting with publicity for the March 28th dance**

B. Concerts

1. Vivian-talk about possible concert May 2. **We decided May 2 would be too difficult of a date to pull off a large successful concert, so we will do one small concert in the Senior Center on that date and a larger one concert TBA before the Summer.**

Vote: 11 in favor, 0 oppose, 0 abstain.

2. Other planning

C. Middle School Dance- March 28

1. Plan publicity

Rolling Hills Middle School= Kelly

St. Mary's= Kia

Fisher= Shannon (of Monte Sereno) and Elli

Redwood= Kayvon, Ted, Elli, Shireen

Miller= Sameer

-We will begin hanging up posters and handing out flyers at the beginning of the week of the 17th. We will meet again on Thursday, March 20th at 6pm in the community center for additional poster making.

-We have confirmed Daniel and Matthew Shepherd as DJs for the dance

D. High School Dance

1. Discuss This idea is still up in the air... a high school dance requires so much more responsibility/money/etc. Corey will research other city held high school dances and see how it is done and will report back at the next meeting.

E. Commission Morale/Goals

1. Set new date we have simply decided to move forward in the year and not play the blame game and point fingers at people for the lack of success of our events.

2. Still bowling?

F. April Meeting

1. Change date due to Spring Break? The new meeting is now on Monday, March 31, 2008 (this is the April meeting)

2. Joint meeting with City Council on April 16 We will begin planning next meeting.

G. Treasury report Shireen, our treasurer, was not here to give the report.

VIII. Old Business

A. Saratogateen.com

1. Update? The Website looks great, but here are our ideas for minor improvement:

-Get rid of the crazy colors; we want a professional feel to the website.

-Add the bios of all commissioners

-Add the location and dance announcement

We will have a small website meeting at a later date to discuss the website even further.

IX. Group Reports:

A. Dance

1. Update Discussed earlier

B. Concerts

1. Bands? Discussed earlier

C. Special Events

1. Any new ideas?

-Possible Fall Film Festival

-Possible Lecture in late May. Sangita has found a speaker from Google. There will be a small meeting to further plan this by the next meeting.

D. Webmaster (Kayvon) Discussed earlier

E. Publicity Discussed earlier

1. Update

Meeting Adjourned: 8:10

X. Adjournment to next meeting: Tentatively April 8, 2008.

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