



City of Saratoga Youth Commission

MINUTES

DATE: Tuesday, April 20, 2010
TIME: 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.
LOCATION: City Hall
13777 Fruitvale Avenue
Saratoga, CA 95070

Call to Order 7:08

Roll Call: Baker, [Dev](#), Estes, Fariba, [Fatemi](#), Finch, Goel, Kuan, Morgan-Witts, Mu, Nookla, [Rao](#), Rees, Sheikh, L. Tang, [S. Tang](#), [Tkalcevic \(very late\)](#), Wilson. (*Tang Roll Call*)

Report on Posting of the Agenda: Pursuant to Government Code Section 54954.2, this meeting was properly posted on April 14, 2010.

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

Approval of March Minutes. [Troy](#), [Vishal](#)

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

I. New Business

a. Joint Council Meeting on Wednesday, May 5th at 5:30 p.m. [Speeches due on Monday May 26](#)

i. Meeting is at 6pm but we'll meet earlier to practice speeches.

ii. Topics & Assignments:

1. Introduction/Conclusion (Baker)
2. Concerts [Troy](#)
3. Training [Priyanka/Natasha](#)
4. Website/Blogs [Vishal/Sarah](#)
5. Volunteering at Sacred Heart and Rotary Art Show [Lauren K/Lauren T](#)
6. Arbor Day [Kia/Ali](#)
7. Hunger Banquet [Kevin/Elena](#)
8. Film Fest [Ramiz](#)
9. Fun Day [Kaitlin](#)
10. [YAC Attack Sammy/Tara](#)
11. Anything else?

b. Rotary Art Show

i. Shifts:

1. Saturday, May 1st ([setup](#))
 - a. 9:00-11:00 a.m.
2. Sunday, May 2nd
 - a. 7:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m.

II. Old Business

- a. Website Update (Sheikh, Rees, Tkalcevic)
 - i. News website broken down, Ramiz will contact Network Solutions and try to get it cleared up as soon as possible
 - ii. Facebook reminder about concert, blogs and other upcoming events
 1. Make new friends! Kaitlin will send out reminder message
 2. Make a page off of the city page, currently paying \$160/year for a website, Ramiz will meet with Adam, see what we can fix etc.
- b. Committee Updates
 - i. Blog Group (Fatemi) Tara was not present.
 1. any update? Should we talk to the Saratoga News? Blog group will meet after the regular YC meeting.
 - ii. Endorse Saratoga
 1. Hunger Banquet (Tkalcevic) Natalie is not present.
 - a. May 18th @ the Community Center
 - i. 7-9pm (setup 6:15pm) We need the MATERIALS! Lauren K. will be in charge of invitations/get list of people.
What it is/Where/When/What you need to do prior to attending? Mission statement/why you should come?
Kevin will write up answers to these questions
RSVP to Kaitlin
Talk to the schools by April 30 – talk to administration
Commission show up at 6:30
If we cannot get the food, we can make it
Need the kit and script – Natalie
Speakers: Natalie, Jacob, Kaitlin, Natasha, Lauren T.
 - b. Update from Fun Day
 2. Sacred Heart – 4/24 be at Warner Hutton House at 8 am for carpool/meet at Sacred Heart at 8:30
 - a. Brunch at Denny's?
 - iii. Events
 1. Film Fest 7:30-9
Ramiz has videos from the Media Arts class
Each person who submitted the video give a quick speech
Will preview films next Tuesday April 27 5-6pm
Best buy gift card prize, everyone will pitch in \$5 each
Promote!
Troy will get popcorn, cups/bowls/bags
 - a. May 7th at the Saratoga Library
 - b. Films due **April 20th**
 - c. Update from Fun Day
 2. Concert
 - a. Review of March 29th
 - i. 363 people, \$1223 (includes snack sales)
 - ii. Grossed over \$5,000 this year in concert sales (\$2,000 more than the entire previous year)
 - iii. Project 143: might have to table something for next year

- iv. Might have summer concerts
- v. Helps to raise money for teen programs
- iv. In the Park (Morgan-Witts, Fariba, Wilson, Rao)
 - 1. Update from earlier meeting & Fun Day
 - a. Arbor Day (Details) April 22 starts at 4:00, be there at 3:45, Azule Park, tree dedication, poetry reading, mayor will speak, band playing, 1 hour, wear T-shirts
 - 2. 2015/Adopt-A-Tree (Fariba)
 - a. Partner with any groups?
 - b. Acorns?

III. Calendar

- 1. Arbor Day – April 22nd
- 2. Sacred Heart – April 24th
- 3. Rotary Art Show – May 2nd
- 4. Joint Council Meeting – May 5th
- 5. Film Fest – May 7th
- 6. Meeting – May 11th
- 7. Hunger Banquet – May 18th

IV. Adjournment 8:35

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