

MINUTES OF THE PASO ROBLES YOUTH COMMISSION

Wednesday, February 1, 2006

Location: Paso Robles School District Board Room - 801 Niblick Road, Paso Robles

CALL MEETING TO ORDER

Chairperson Cisneros called the meeting to order at 3:21 p.m.

ROLL CALL

Secretary Hartman took roll as follows:

Members present: Elora Hartmann, Ryan Allison, Krissy Huse, Maria Cervantes, Daniel Aviña, Adi Cisneros, Sonia Slavinski and Nick Gut
Absent: David Kingsbury, Ryan Fellows and Chris Caruana
City staff present: Charlotte Gorton, Judy O'Neal, Annelise Lemons and Julie Dahlen
Absent: Ann Robb, Vicky Jeffcoach and Lynda Holt
City Council rep absent: Mayor Mecham

PUBLIC COMMENTS - None

CONSENT AGENDA

1. A motion was made by Allison, seconded by Hartmann, to approve the Minutes of January 4, 2006 meeting - motion passed.

DISCUSSION ITEMS

2. **Guest Speaker**
 - Jennifer Sorensen, Finance Manager, gave a brief description of her school background, job experience and current job with the City of Paso Robles. Some of her major duties include the annual Financial Report and the fiscal year budget.
3. **Challenge Day**
 - Charlotte Gorton, Recreation Services Manager, discussed the Challenge Day held at Centennial Park on January 25 and 26 and asked input from the Youth Commissioners who attended.
 - There were 140 participants who attended each day.

PASO ROBLES TEEN ISSUES

- Mr. Welch came to the January meeting and talked to the Youth Commissioners about weapons on campus and what the school district does to handle this issue.

GOALS & AD HOC COMMUNICATION

Midnight Movies (Allison, Dahlen, Kingsbury, Slavinski and Annelise Lemons)

- Members need to hand out flyers to advertise the next Batman movie to get the word out. It is for the Paso Robles High School students only. It will be held at Centennial Park in the banquet room and is called Operation Pajama Party on February 24.
- We need helpers for clean-up, set-up and for the concession stand.
- Oak Park can do the concessions but the Commissioners can also help.

Skate Park (Cervantes, Huse, Kingsbury, Slavinski and Charlotte Gorton)

- Gorton discussed the survey results the Ad Hoc members distributed at the High School.

Community Services (Allison, Aviña, Dahlen, Hartmann and Julie Dahlen)

- Cisneros discussed the Tri-Counties blood drive at Farmers Market, getting pre sign-ups on February 25 for the blood drive on March 4.
- Questions about joining the CSF (Calif. School Federation for P.R. High School students) for a one-day, four-hour community event in April. Daniel said no stores would call him back regarding donations. Commissioners suggested he take a letter and hand deliver it to the store managers. Food can also be dropped off at Loaves and Fishes.
- March 25 is the Monster Skate event in Paso Robles at Pioneer Park. The Youth Commissioners should consider selling concessions to raise revenue to meet their budget requirement.
- Julie suggested meeting after the regular meeting on March 1.
- Ryan Allison discussed Special Olympics is at Cuesta College in San Luis Obispo on May 5 from 7:30 am to 2:30 p.m. and students will be bused down and back through the school leadership program.

Battle of the Bands (Caruana, Cervantes, Cisneros, Huse, V.Jeffcoach, C.Gorton and N.Joynt)

- Member Caruana is the only member who showed up at the last ad hoc meeting.
- Staff is suggesting to screen the bands.
- The event is scheduled June 2, 2006.
- Next ad hoc meeting is February 8 at 3:15 p.m. at Centennial Park.

Remember September (Caruana, Gut, Hartmann and Lynda Holt)

- Hartmann gave a report in Holt's absence.
- It was decided not to do this project with the High School.
- We would like to get a kiosk. We would also like to go back five years for the names of teen accident victims to list on the kiosk and may be able to get the help of the C.H.P.
- Discussed selling ribbons or velcro seat belt covers with Remember September on them as a reminder.
- Lynda Holt will call members to set up the next ad hoc meeting.

INTERIM-DIRECTOR'S REPORT - Absent

RECREATION UPDATE

- Gorton discussed the recreation division is very busy with signups for T-Ball and Coach Pitch registration, trips and special events such as Chocolate Fantasia.

CITY COUNCIL COMMUNICATION - Absent

UNSCHEDULED MATTERS

ADJOURN

- A motion was made by Aviña, seconded by Allison, to adjourn the meeting at 4:30 p.m. – motion passed.
- The next Youth Commission meeting is on Wednesday, March 1, 2006 at 3:15 p.m. at the School District Board Room, 801 Niblick Road, Paso Robles.

THESE MINUTES ARE NOT OFFICIAL NOR A PERMANENT PART OF THE RECORDS UNTIL APPROVED BY THE YOUTH COMMISSION AT THEIR NEXT REGULAR MEETING.

Respectfully submitted Elora Hartmann, Secretary

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