

## City of Sammamish

# SAMMAMISH YOUTH BOARD

February 16, 2006 – 6:00-7:30PM  
Sammamish Library

### Minutes

- I. Robert called the meeting to order at 6:07pm.
- II. As we moved to begin the icebreaker for the evening, Pat moved to remove icebreakers from all further meetings. This motion was seconded by Jessica, which then led us to a majority vote. This motion was passed declaring icebreakers to no longer exist in the all-board meetings after this meeting. Then Jessica explained the icebreaker for that evening, the ‘alphabet icebreaker.’ We then carried out her directions.
- III. Robert welcomed the guests, Suzanne and Morgan who were representatives of McAuliffe Elementary School. The school was hoping to get volunteers to help run their community carnival on May 6<sup>th</sup> from 11am to 3pm. They were able to pass out fliers and explain the different jobs we would be doing. It was noted that this was the same day as the SYBBQ.
- IV. A. Courtney then introduced the SYB logo as our next topic of discussion. She explained that the city was only paying for one color t-shirts, this also helps us look more unified and helps us stand out better in a crowd. We were informed that the cost of glow in the dark t-shirts was \$16 whereas the regular t-shirt costs with just one color was \$8. There was then a vote on whether or not to pay part of the cost and get glow-in-the-dark t-shirts or to let the city pay for the entire one color t-shirt. The majority voted for the one color t-shirt. Then a vote was taken for the 5 color choices, the results are as follows:
  - Sapphire 8 votes
  - Blue Dusk 6 votes
  - Kelly Green 11 votes
  - Navy with Turquoise writing 7 votes
  - Navy with Orange writing 2 votesKelly Green was then declared the winning color and therefore the color of our new SYB t-shirt.
- V. A. Maggie then began the discussion of the past events with the explanation of the Extreme Makeover. She described the different jobs people participated in such as shoveling or laying gravel for the walkway. Some even helped put in a fence. Another important part of the project was being able to meet people of different boards which the volunteers were able to do. Overall it was said to be a good experience even though it did rain for the first part.

- B. Robert then explained the previous Adopt-a-Road project. He mentioned the strange items that people found as well as the McDonald's donations. There was then a recount of Lynne's ditch and explorer story.
- V.
- a. The next upcoming event Nicki explained as the Superintendent Meeting on March 9<sup>th</sup>, yet reminded everyone that the planning meeting was actually a week before on March 2<sup>nd</sup> at 3:30-4:30 at the Bella Botega. She also explained what one did at these meetings and gave examples of issues that may be brought up.
  - b. Next on the calendar was Robert's senior project, the Youth Forum. He had established a tentative date of March 15<sup>th</sup> and a few of the major issues being parks and recreation, and bus availability. March 14<sup>th</sup> was to be their next planning meeting.
  - c. The Sammi Awards were also announced as both Maggie and Nicki were nominated for an award. They were both congratulated, as the board was informed by Lauren that volunteers were not needed.
  - d. The City Liaison Police Commercial filming date was also announced as March 25<sup>th</sup> at Eastlake High School, yet there would be a rehearsal before that. The quote on the whole process from Nathan was \$500. The content of the commercial was also explained as a speeding and 6 month rule information ad as well as advertising the consequences for not following these laws.
  - e. Lynne then introduced the Kirkland youth Summit which happens every two years formed by well established cities. It was happening on March 31<sup>st</sup> from 9am-2pm, this would be an excused absence.
  - f. Lauren then announced the Eastlake Relay for Life. She explained that it was directed at teens and happening on May 20-21<sup>st</sup> at EHS. Their fundraising goal is \$80000. The community service committee had already committed to providing volunteers for the event.
  - g. Next Michelle informed the board of the O2 submission opportunity. This is an anti-smoking magazine that one can submit artwork and thoughts to, maybe receiving a gift card as a prize back.
- VI. The board broke up into committees to set new meeting dates:  
Eggstravaganza March 1<sup>st</sup> 5:00  
City Liaison February 27<sup>th</sup> 7:00  
Community Service February 28<sup>th</sup> 7:30  
Programs ?
- VII. After a debrief of upcoming meetings Robert adjourned the meeting.