

# Community Connections for Youth

## Minutes March 12, 2007

**Present:** Kevin Eldridge (Community), Kathy Moore (D200), Matt Ohms (BSA), Andy Perez (D200), Jennifer Schnepf (Community), Ken West (Community)

**REMEMBER:** All committees should be meeting at least one time between general meetings.

### AGENDA ITEMS:

#### Old Business:

- The minutes were approved as submitted.

#### Treasurer Report:

- Our balance as of the January 8<sup>th</sup> meeting was \$3090.45 (pending audit).

### COMMITTEE REPORTS

#### P.R. and Community Education/Speakers Group Committee:

- The committee will be meeting later in the month to finalize the next edition of the *Dangerous Times* flyer.

#### Grants and Funding Committee:

- Kevin announced that the application that we submitted for the \$500 Disney Minnie Grant to support youth-led service projects was not selected to receive funding. CCY is still committed to carrying out this project. The focus of the next monthly meeting will be to determine how we can fund the project by combining CCY funds with local contributions.
- If you do not see a link for your organization on our website ([www.ccywoodstock.org](http://www.ccywoodstock.org)) please send the URL to Kevin at [secretary@ccywoodstock.org](mailto:secretary@ccywoodstock.org).

#### Youth Advisory Committee:

- Ken brought in one of the glass snowflake ornaments that the YAB youth made at the last meeting. These ornaments will be distributed around town to raise money for the Family Health Partnership Clinic. Some of the R-Search youth may help with the assembly of the glass pieces. Kathy suggested that they may also be able to assist with sales.

#### New Business:

- Kathy reminded us that John Foppe, the motivational speaker requested by the kids in D200's R-search program, will speak on April 12, 2007 at 7 p.m. in the Woodstock High School auditorium. "Born without arms, John Foppe has had to re-engineer every aspect of his day to day life. He learned that the inability to do something didn't rest on the lack of resources or vision - it is the emotional reaction to meeting an obstacle, even a small one, head on." (from BlueFeatherManagement website). This free program is open to the public and should be relevant to everyone.

#### Future Agenda Items:

- April: We will brainstorm how to fund the bird-feeder program at the library.

**Meeting Adjourned:** The meeting was adjourned.

Our next regular meeting will be held from 8:45 to 10:00 a.m. on Monday, April 9, 2007 at the Woodstock Fire Station, 435 Judd St. (please park in the rear of the building).

**If you are unable to attend, please call Ken West at 338-2921.**

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