

Quality of Life - Healthcare Committee Meeting

May 22, 2009

Attending Members: Mike Akridge, Lurah Bryant, Susie Cardwell, Hannah Cobb, David Ellis, Jean East, Paula Havard, Anna Lee, Patricia McKenzie, Silvia Santos, Kim Simmons, Jennifer Stevens, Jim Wehmeier, Melissa Wheeler, and Tara Watson presiding.

OLD BUSINESS:

- Update on social services contacts for the Lufkin Daily News – All agency names and contact information has been given to the Lufkin Daily News and they will begin running weekly articles soon.
- Chamber Packet Flyer - Anna Lee still need blue paper for the Chamber Packet flyer.
- 4th of July Event – Plans and suggestions were made for the upcoming booth at the Park at Ellen Trout Zoo. The Festival starts at 1:00 PM; fireworks at 9:15 PM.
 - We have a 20'x20' booth space
 - Agencies to bring brochures, brochure holders, flyers, and displays. Put Vision 2020 labels on brochures. Quantity of approximately 50 brochures should be sufficient.
 - Drug-free tattoos, face painting, and bubble machine provided by Jean East of the Coalition
 - Kim Simmons of ADAC to provide hula hoops and a lung display
 - Jump ropes are needed
 - Patricia McKenzie to check on a lung display and also a possibility of nursing students for taking blood pressure.
 - Tara to check with Danny Rich with Brookshire Brothers regarding possible bags for carry brochures, etc. or any other contributions or participation.
 - “Live Lufkin” bracelets were suggested. Tara and Lurah Bryant to check on prices for printed bracelets. Other committee members will check with their suppliers on pricing.
 - Paula Havard to provide pop-up tent/awning and a second tent/awning would be helpful.
 - Set up: 11:30-12:00: Paula Havard and Melissa Wheeler
 - 1-3- Paula, ADAC, possibly Tara
 - 3-5 Patricia, Coalition
 - 5-7?

- We will have two meetings in June to get things together
June 19th and June 26th
- Bring all articles on June 26th meeting to put in Melissa and Paula's cars

- Shifts will be: 1:00-3:00 PM: Kim Simmons and Anna Lee
3:00-5:00 PM: Tara Watson, Patricia McKenzie, and someone
from The Coalition
5:00-7:00 PM: (to be determined)

ACTION ITEMS:

- Paper needed for Anna Lee's chamber articles
- Bring all items related to July 4th booth to the June 19th and/or 26th meetings such as brochures, flyers, displays, jump ropes, hula hoops, and anything you would like placed on tables during set up by Kim Simmons and Anna Lee.
- Check availability/options for staffing booth on July 4th from 5-7 or after.
- Decide any prize structuring and organizing details for hula hoop/jump rope events

NEW BUSINESS:

- The Vision 2020 Healthcare Committee will meet twice in June to prepare for the 4th of July event. Those dates are June 19th and June 26th.