

## Meeting Notes

### Elmhurst Commission on Youth

Monday, September 21, 2015 at 12:30pm – Elmhurst City Hall

**In Attendance:** Jackie Tamer Sharon Karpel Mark Soehn  
Patty McKernan Lynn McCreadie Derek Schlager  
Jeff Kucera Jan DeCoursey

**Absent:** Melea Smith  
Dan Corrigan

**Meeting Called to Order:** 12:35 p.m.

**Public Comment** None

**Introduction of Guests** None

**Review of August Minutes** Lynn McCreadie

Motion to approve August 2015 Meeting Notes made by Patty McKernan. Seconded by Jan DeCoursey. Motion carries - meeting notes approved.

**Treasure Report** Patty McKernan

Motion to accept Treasurer's Report made by Jeff Kucera. Seconded by Mark Soehn. Motion carries – Treasurer's Report approved.

**Marshall's Miracle bullying prevention wrap-up** Jackie Tamer

Event was a smashing success – far exceeded expectations. Theater was completely sold out. York Theater decided to extend the showings through the following weekend in order to accommodate those who still wanted to see it. Visit at Conrad Fischer was very well received and appreciated. Books that were ordered for the schools have arrived. One book was donated to the Elmhurst Public Library.

**Fall 2015 Forum update- run through day and evening** Jan DeCoursey, Jackie Tamer

Verified schedule and confirmed which Youth Commission members would be at which location.

Program quantity – 500

Surveys - 500

Lynn to bring programs and pens if they can be ordered. Derek Schlager to bring nametags. Jackie Tamer to bring baskets, tablecloths.

Regarding books – Sharon Karpel contacted Andersons and Barnes & Noble about getting books – neither can supply books in time. She will contact "A Book Above" to see if the owner wants to be at the event and take orders for the books. Will also have a library table since all books and videos are available at the Elmhurst Public Library.

**Movie Series Update for November – Drug prevention**

Lynn McCreddie

Two dates reserved at the library - November 9<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup>, 110 capacity, reservations recommended, set up e-mail address to collect RSVPs. Will begin by advertising first date and if response is positive, will add a second date.

**Set date for job fair and exemplary awards**

All

Partnerships with Junior Women’s Club and Kiwanis for Volunteer/Job Fair

Tentative dates:

Job and Volunteer Fair – Wednesday, March 23<sup>rd</sup> 3:30-6:00 p.m.

Youth Awards – Thursday, April 28<sup>th</sup> is 1<sup>st</sup> choice or May 5<sup>th</sup>

**New Business**

All

Letter from Rotary Club of Elmhurst/Kevin Cost about a \$20,000 grant for any group committed to doing a Heroin Awareness program. Commission feels it necessary to get more information and guidelines as to what is expected as far as grant requirements.

Confirmation that the Commission wants to approach Elmhurst City Council about adding Commissioners to have a total of 11 voting members.

**Meeting Adjourned**

1:55 p.m.