

Johnston Alliance for Character Development

Minutes of September 11, 2008

Location: ARC-Conference Room

7am

Present: Lucas Casey, Willona Goers, Ron Ward, Rich Kirkeby, Nancy Betz, Brian Towne, Doug Houston, Kevin Mills, Nancy Buryanek, James Brammeier, Debbie Wych and Abbi Schutte

Meeting was lead by Willona. Minutes by Nancy Buryanek

Focus-

Parade/Homecoming

- Kevin will make arrangements for vehicle and display of flags during parade. Nancy to email Chris B. about being in the parade right before the BC students that are walking with Debbie W.
- Kevin will bring flags to football field so they can be displayed during the homecoming game.

CHARACTER COUNTS! Week

- October 20 is city council meeting and there will be proclamation about CC Week (Lucas to handle this) and also special honor of Sam Sparland (Brian C to make arrangements with Sam). All JACD members encouraged to attend at 7pm. Deb W. will get students from various buildings to attend also.
- October 17 at football game the flags will be up (Nancy to see that that happens). Brian C. to get students that attend Summit or leadership to carry the flags to center area. Sam Sparland to be honored again. (Brian C. see if that is possible). This ceremony will be between the two games. T-shirts to be thrown into stand (youth sizes).
- Banner for CC Week then to city hall to be up out front the week of the 19th. (Lucas to handle)

New members

Nancy to email list of committee and also sub-committee that are on. If not on one, email Nancy your choice.

Reports;

Teach-Nancy and Willona shared their plans to meet with Jolene G. about section in the *Johnston Living Magazine* with overview focus and then each month focus on one pillar. Nancy sent in request to use information from national and state offices.

Evaluation-Rich reported that the committee has met and still working on what data to collect and how to evaluate.

Advocate-Kevin asked if contact had been made with city. Nancy emailed Jim Sanders and he said he would discuss with dept. heads. Suggested we send him recommendation of logo that we would like to see and that was the CHARACTER COUNTS! In Johnston. Nancy will check with ICD to see if they can create that for us. Recommendation to request that be on all city vehicles.

Kevin brought up idea of selling posters to businesses to display and could also be used to generate some revenue to cover things JACD would like to do. Committee agreed that the sub-committee should explore and come back with proposal of what would like to do specifically.

Model/Recognition

Lucas reported that recognition of Sam Sparland will be done at city hall and during CC Week at football game.

Meeting adjourned.