Support Staff Assembly Minutes
October 4, 2012

The meeting was called to order by Letitia Fox at 11:00 a.m.

In attendance
Letitia Fox
Jeannie Southern
Chris Callahan
Kimberly Johnston
Gale Martin
Odessa Shupe
Charlene Kidder
Kymn Brewer

Approval of Minutes
The minutes were read and accepted.

OLD BUSINESS

Halloween Party:
- The theme is 80’s.
- More of a lunch-time social occasion:
  - 11:30-1:00 at NRCC Main Campus
  - 1:30-3:30 at NRCC Mall Site
  - Drawing for Dues and Costumes- Kymn Brewer to design edible arrangements for prizes
- Odessa- reserving room
- Tish- Email for food donations
- Staff- checking cabinet for paper products
- Odessa- purchasing punch and any products necessary

NEW BUSINESS

SSA Cabinet:
We will get Rick Maitri to enlarge our photos and set up appointments for those who need a new photo.

New Hires:
We will continue with cards but discontinue giving balloons. It was discussed to enclose a letter in the card introducing SSA and possibly waiving the first year of dues. This is to encourage the new hires to become involved with SSA.
Community Projects:

Relay for Life:
- Voted to have a team
- Want to involve Pat Johnston
- Have Erika Talbert speak in November and invite staff

Thanksgiving Boxes:
- Discuss with Starr Rowe
- Food donation box for someone in need at NRCC or to Daily Bread

S'mores Project:
- October 22
- Assemble and put in mailboxes after Fall Break to welcome everyone back.
- Include a tag with “Having S’mores fun in SSA”

TABLED

Fundraising Ideas: Wendy’s is under discussion. Still trying it contact the manager for details

SSA Conference and Trainings: Involvement with Workforce for training classes for Support Staff in the form of webinars.

Funds
The current funds available: $ 904.87
- Spent $72.13 total for doughnuts and flowers (D. Viers)

Meeting Adjourned: 11:39 a.m.

Next Meeting
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