



YOUTH LEADERSHIP COMMITTEE

Town Center Hall

The Club

Monday, November 5, 2018

6:30 p.m.

MINUTES

1) CALL TO ORDER

Chairperson Jennifer Centeno called the meeting to order at 6:39 p.m.

2) PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE – Jennifer Centeno, Chairperson

3) ROLL CALL – Wayne Bergeron, Executive Secretary

Attendance: Savanna Aguayo, Ivan Aguilar, Jennifer Centeno, Destiny Cornejo, Angel Corona, Jazmine Duque, Bernardo Landin, Valerie Melendez,

Absent: Mark Iezza, Zachary Varela, Christian Zamora

Council Liaison: Joe Angel Zamora, Councilmember

Staff: Wayne Bergeron, Community Services Supervisor

Manuel Cantu, Program Coordinator

Edwin Vargas, Community Services Program Leader III

Jasmine Sanchez, Community Services Program Leader II (Absent)

Olivia Shea, Literacy Librarian

4) ORAL COMMUNICATIONS

- Chairperson Jennifer Centeno encouraged the members to arrive on time for meetings and events.

5) APPROVAL OF MINUTES – JENNIFER CENTENO

A motion was made by Savanna Aguayo, and seconded by Destiny Cornejo, to approve the Minutes of October 1, 2018. The motion carried unanimously.

6) COUNCIL LIAISON REPORT – COUNCILMEMBER JOE ANGEL ZAMORA

Mr. Zamora reported on the following:

- The City's Haunted House was well received by the public.
- Elections will be held on November 6. Councilmember Zamora encouraged the members to register to vote early so that when they turn 18 they are already in the process of registering.
- There will be several volunteer opportunities coming up with Thanksgiving.

7) EXECUTIVE SECRETARY REPORT – WAYNE BERGERON, EXECUTIVE SECRETARY

- a. **Halloween Carnival and Haunted House** - The Annual Haunted House and

Halloween Carnival was held on Wednesday, October 31 and was very well received by the public. There were roughly 1,800 in attendance for the carnival and close to 800 people braved the Haunted House.

- b. *Winter Quarterly*** – The Winter Quarterly has been released. Mr. Bergeron encouraged the members to look through the quarterly to become familiar with the programs and events being offered by the City.
- c. *Santa Float*** – Mr. Bergeron informed the members that the Christmas Float Program would be having a general volunteer meeting on Thursday, November 8 at 7 p.m. in the Youth Lounge.

8) DIVISION PROGRAM UPDATES – COMMUNITY SERVICES STAFF

a. *Youth Programming (Parks and Recreation Division)* – Edwin Vargas

- i. **November Calendar – The Club** -Staff Member Edwin Vargas handed out the November 2018 activity calendar for The Club.
- ii. **Friendsgiving at the Club – Friday, November 16, 4:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.** -Mr. Vargas informed the members that Friday, November 16, there will be a 'Friends-Giving'. Participants must bring \$5 or dish to share. Mr. Vargas took a hand count of members who will attend.

- Tech Tuesday has been well received by The Club members. It is on Tuesdays at 3 p.m.
- Mr. Vargas asked the members to make suggestions for calendar activities.

b. *T.E.E.N.S. Program (Parks & Recreation Division)* – Mr. Vargas reported on the following T.E.E.N.S. events:

- i. **T.E.E.N.S. meeting Schedule – Wednesday, November 14, 6:15 – 7:45 p.m.** -The T.E.E.N.S. meeting will take place on Wednesday, November 14.
 - Guest speakers from L.A. CADA will speak on and answer questions regarding drug and alcohol addiction.
- ii. **Volunteer Opportunities:**
 - **Thankful Neighbor Box Preparation – Friday, November 16 and Monday, November 19** - Family Human Services will be looking for volunteers for Thankful Neighbor Food Box Program preparation on Friday, November 16 and Monday, November 19. Mr. Vargas took names of interested members: Bernardo Landin, Destiny Cornejo, Ivan Aguilar, and Jennifer Centeno.
 - **Thankful Neighbor Basket Program – Tuesday, November 20, 12:00 – 5:00 p.m.** - Family and Human Services will be looking for volunteers for Thankful Neighbor Food Box Program Tuesday, November 20, 2018. Mr. Vargas took names of interested members: Bernardo Landin, Destiny Cornejo, Ivan Aguilar, and Jennifer Centeno.
 - **Christmas Float Program – December 3 – 14, 5:00 – 10:00 p.m.** – The Float Program Runs from December 4 – December 15. The Volunteer meeting will held on November 8 at 7 pm in the Youth Lounge.

- Tree Lighting will be held on Saturday, December 1 from 5 p.m. – 9 p.m. Mr. Vargas took names of volunteers: Jennifer Centeno, Ivan Aguilar, Destiny Cornejo, Angel Corona, and Savanna Aguayo.
- Football Tournament Snack Shack – Volunteers needed from 3 – 5:30 pm – November 13, 14, & 15 at Jersey Fields. Members who will attend are Jennifer Centeno, Jasmine, Bernardo Landon, Jazmine Duque, Valerie Melendez, and Angel Corona

c. *Library & Cultural Services Division Teen Programs –Literacy Librarian Olivia Shea*

- The Library now checks out Chrome Books and Hotspots for six weeks. Students must have an adult check out the Chrome Books and Hotspots on their cards. Students must be a student in Santa Fe Springs.
- Reading Club is looking for tutors. It is a two hour commitment, two days a week. Flyers were passed out to the members. Training begins in January.
- Santa's Letters will begin on December 1. Volunteers will write letters to the children from Santa.

d. *Family and Human Services* – In the absence of Program Leader II Jasmine Ramirez, the report was tabled.

9) OLD BUSINESS – EDWIN VARGAS
Nothing to Report

10) NEW BUSINESS – EDWIN VARGAS

- Council Meeting Schedule-*** Thursday, November 8 and Tuesday, November 20, 2018 at 6:45 p.m.
 - November 8: Valerie Melendez, Bernardo Landin, Savana Aguayo, Jazmine Duque
 - November 20: Jennifer Centeno, Destiny Cornejo, Angel Corona, Jazmine Duque
- YLC Adopt a Family-*** Mr. Vargas began a discussion in regards to adopting a family for Christmas. Councilmember Zamora suggested a deserving family to adopt. Councilmember Zamora will look into the family and make sure other committees or City groups are not already adopting the family.

11) SUBCOMMITTEE REPORT
Nothing new to report.

12) FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS – EDWIN VARGAS

- YLC Retreat
- Collaborative Meeting
- Neighborly Elf Program
- Treasurers Report

13) MEMBER ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Staff member Manuel Cantu and Councilmember Zamora challenged each member to bring one or more friends to the next meeting and to promote the Youth Leadership Committee to hopefully increase numbers.
- Mr. Cantu encouraged the members to memorize some of the dates and events in the City Brochure.

14) ADJOURNMENT

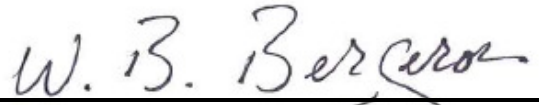
Chairperson Jennifer Centeno adjourned the meeting at 8:03 p.m.

NEXT MEETING: Monday, December 3, 2018 | 6:30 p.m.

LOCATION: Teen Lounge, Town Center Hall, 11740 E. Telegraph Rd.



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Wayne B. Bergeron,
Executive Secretary