

**Goodwill Service Board Meeting
Oct 14, 2009 / Goodwill**

In attendance: Kate Brody, Jennifer Bennett, Marisa Rieman, Christina McKenna, Susie McKenna, Jackie Cooper, Lisa Godfrey, Susan Staub, Linda Jones, Diane Gardner, Shawn Sledge, Eric Wilson from Goodwill.

The meeting was opened by Kate & Jennifer.

The minutes from the Sept 23 meeting were amended to reflect that Diane Gardner & Shawn Sledge were present at that meeting.

Jackie Cooper will send all minutes to Eric Wilson, Goodwill, who will distribute the minutes to all Service Board Members. Future meeting dates. Most at 7PM.

Nov 11 - Linda Jones

Dec. 9 - Goodwill (there will be gift wrapping and pizzas prior to the meeting - **time to be announced**)

Jan13 - Deena Robinson

Feb. 10 - at Goodwill

Mar 10 - Jennifer Bennett

April 14 - Christina McKenna

May 12 - Jackie Isaac

No Treasurers Report was given. However, it was noted that we received \$500 from a recent event but that we have not been compensated for expenses due to clerical complications.

It was reported that Shanda Arthurs has resigned; Eric will continue to be our liaison.

It was noted that the Website needs to be updated. Jackie Cooper will send all updates to Eric for posting (officers, meeting dates, and newsletter).

Committee Reports:

Membership: Susan Staub will be updating the membership roster and will have the new booklet ready for the next meeting. We have 4 new members: Jenny Adams, Cheryl Darr, Felicity Hillmer, and Jessica Cynkar.

Hospitality: Jennifer Bennett gave the report for Jessica Bennett: Graduation of the Battelle Career Center students will be in November. She will be asking for donations of food items. Lisa Godfrey volunteered to assist with Hospitality Duties since Jessica has also volunteered to serve as Silent Auction Chair.

Goodwill Living: Lisa Godfrey gave the report on the progress of the room redecoration for Nancy. There will be a meeting at Amy Saunders home on Oct 28 at 7:30. The "Reveal" will take place on Nov 14 at 3:30.

Adopt-A Family: Linda Jones & Susan McKenna reported that there should be more information about the available Families at the next meeting. They are working to ensure that there is no "duplication" of gift giving.

Newsletter: Much praise was given to Subha Lembach for the Fall Newsletter. It will soon be posted on the Goodwill Website.

Room with a View: Per Jennifer Bennett, Jessica Bennett has volunteered to be the Silent Auction Chair. She would appreciate a volunteer to serve as co-chair and/or assistance in this task since she also is heading up Hospitality. Christina McKenna will assist Linda LePage. It was reported that we will not be able to have the event at the new Grange Insurance Building, however, it might be available in the future.

Many suggestions were made for other locations: Audubon Center, Library at OSU, Lifestyle Community Pavilion (Eric reported on a recent event there that was economical and convenient), CCAD, Italian Social Club, Bar Association, Squire Sanders, North Bank Condos, Confluence, event space above Ugly Tuna/Campus Partners, The Renaissance, Gallery space in Short North, Limited Brands, Lasting Impressions. Goodwill space remains to be an option.

Diane Gardner shared info about a recent event she attended (A night of Chocolate) which was a great success. She will share this info with Deena & Dori. A suggestion from Eric re: food from Pasteria was noted.

The Tour of the Goodwill facility was cancelled.

A reminder to Service Board Members was made: there are very nice plates, glasses, etc. that are available for rent.

There was discussion about the recently formed Young Professionals Group and how the Service Board might interface & partner with them. Adopt-a-Family & Goodwill Living were suggested as potential "partner" projects. Jessica Mendick is our liaison. Their first event, a wine & cheese affair, was well attended with over 100 people. It was noted that they are in the process of determining how they might serve Goodwill.

Further discussion about additional events was tabled.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:30 pm.

