



KHNG Community Meeting  
March 27th, 2013 @ 7:00 pm  
Community Room

Present: Leone S, Jennifer F, Jason H, Tania C, Dean P, Justine D (Time Bank Presenter)

Regrets: Jenny C, Shailja P, Nicole O, Kelly G, Claire R, Doug J, Jessica S, Dean P, Scott G, Louise L, Chris R, Brendan J

### **Presentation of Time Bank**

- Justine Dainard gave a brief demonstration of Time Bank and what it is
- What is a Time Bank?
- It's a group of people using a system of volunteering that exchanges skills
- It's a way of building community
- It's an alternative monetary system that uses time instead of dollars
- Within a Time Bank, for every hour that you volunteer to meet the needs of another member, you earn a time credit for the exchange.
- This time credit can then be redeemed for services from any other member of the Time Bank
- Every person has something to share, skills, knowledge, talent, strength, or companionship
- This is of value to another, and everyone's time is valued equally
- Time shared could include, baby-sitting, gardening, snow-shovelling, bike maintenance, homework help and so on...
- No cost to join
- To join go to [www.guelphwellington.timebanks.org](http://www.guelphwellington.timebanks.org) and create a member profile
- Is this something that KHNG would be interested in?
- Will discuss more at other meetings
- Invite Justine to next large event to talk to Kortright Neighbours about Time Bank to spread the word
- Send them an email and ask if they had a prepared e-blast or something that we could use to put an e-blast together. Then we send it out to our members to let them know that this option is there for them to explore

### **Financials:**

- KHNG total as of Jan 2013 - \$47,050.00
- KHNG owes City for staffing \$15,141.72 – has been paid but not cashed
- As of April 4<sup>th</sup> – bank total \$43,000
- As of April 4<sup>th</sup> City Staffing cheque has been withdrawn
- Jason to send Brendan end of 2012 Bank Statement - done
- April 3<sup>rd</sup> Leone gave all KASP Spring Registration Cheques to Jason to deposit – completed
- Jason to submit KASP budget to Tania and Leone

### **Representative for Allocation Meeting:**

- Jason and Jennifer will be attending next Allocation Meeting May 14<sup>th</sup>
- Waiting to receive questions from Brendan to answer and take to next meeting

### **Neighbourhood Panel Meeting**

- Next meeting Tuesday Apr 9<sup>th</sup>
- Tania has agreed to attend
- Leone to prepare Activity Sheet overview of KHNG since January and provide info of upcoming events
- Activity sheet to be sent to Debbie Gorman to be included in Agenda for meeting April 9<sup>th</sup>

### **Winter Carnival Overview:**

- Partnership with KHNG and Child Youth & Family Student Association - U of G
- Saturday March 2, 2013 KHPS Gym
- Set up 10 am to 12 noon
- Event time 12 noon to 3 pm
- Event was a success
- Will consider partnering with the UofG next year
- Expenses \$127
- Profit \$295

### **Friday Movie Night April:**

- Friday April 12, 2013
- Movie choice was "Kung Fu Panda"
- Leone to continue to promote via dist list, school to put up on front sign and in school newsletter
- Slide presentation of KHNG Upcoming events before movie
- Kristina (Kris) Gielen, R.D.H. Registered Dental Hygienist will provide samples to promote Oral Health Month April
- Volunteers able to help out Jennifer, Whitney
- Need volunteers for this event

### **Earth Day:**

- Saturday April 20, 2013
- 9 to 11:30 am
- Leone to promote through dist list, school sign and in KHNG Spring newsletter
- Meet at the community room to sign up for your location
- Scouts and Ventures to take the lead in mapping and sign up
- Scouting groups will also help with community clean up
- Registered with City to participate in 2013 Earth Day clean up
- Waiting to hear when and where to pick up Clean Up Package
- Will have free bbq tickets to offer community members to go to River Side Park
- Leone to purchase some cookies for this event and will have water available

### **Plant Swap:**

- Saturday May 4, 2013
- Friday May 3<sup>rd</sup> to drop off plants at community room
- Sat event time 9am to 2 pm
- 26<sup>th</sup> Guelph Scouts to hold compost fundraiser for CJ'13 in Calgary
- Scout group will bag compost Fri evening and sell Saturday during plant swap time
- Leone to promote Plant swap and compost sale through dist list, website, school sign, cobra TV, A Frames and other media sites
- Leone to create a list for pre sales of compost
- Will advertise earlier and more often

### **KHNG BBQ:**

- Saturday June 22, 2013
- Details to be discussed at next meeting in April
- Jennifer to bring critical path, sponsor info etc. from 2012 to next meeting - use this to develop the plan for this year

### **KHNG Movie in the Park:**

- Monday August 12, 2013
- Rain Date Wednesday August 14, 2013
- Jennifer contacted Vince to book date
- Jennifer has booked date with Vince
- Group has decided on this year's nostalgic movie "Grease" – **35<sup>th</sup> Anniversary this year**
- Details for Movie in the Park night to be discussed at next meeting event

### **KASP:**

- Winter KASP program has come to an end and spring program registration is completed and full
- We are still in need of Volunteers for the Spring Session of KASP – will keep searching
- 3<sup>rd</sup> and Final session of KASP to begin April 2<sup>nd</sup> to June 27<sup>th</sup>
- Fall Pre Registration for KASP will begin June 2013 before the end of the school year
- Compiling names on la wait list
- Looking into hiring another assistance so we can add 5 more children per day Mon, Tues, Wed and Thurs to the program
- Send Job description to Brendan and ask what the procedure will be
- Leone to send Job descrip to Jenn and Jenn to contact Brendan
- Jason to check budget and adjust to manage this ask
- Would like to have another assistant in place for May 1<sup>st</sup> if possible
- Tania would like to be part of the hiring process

### **GNSC:**

- Waiting to receive questionnaire from Brendan
- When we have received will discuss via email and return to Brendan

**Next KHNG meeting Thursday April 18<sup>th</sup>, 2013 @ 7:00 pm in the community room**