

EPIC Community Impact Committee

Meeting Minutes

January 19, 2011

Co-Chairs: Jeff Schaaf and Julianne Lange

Participating Members: Janet Butler, Greg Clausing, Marc Davis, Mike Frederick, Bob Monard, Robyn Peabody, Elissa Schmidt, Sean Taylor, and Rosanna Violi

**UPCOMING 2011 PLANNING:**

- **AMERICAN RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE**
  - When: Saturday, May 14<sup>th</sup>
  - Time: 9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.
  - Location: Splash Bay, Maumee
  - Contact: Shalett Buchanan / BuchananS@usa.redcross.org
  - Goal: 30 units (we need 40 registered donors)
  - Julianne will contact Kathy Hamilton or Jackie Zervos to see if Splash Bay is willing to provide discounts to water park for EPIC members
  - Forming sub-committee to organize donor recruitment – Any volunteers to champion effort??
    - Committee members will attend other action team meetings during the month of April to recruit blood donors (and also, remind members to log volunteer hours at the Presidential Service Awards site)
  - Volunteers needed on the day of blood drive for unloading / loading tables, registration & snack tables
- **AMERICAN RED CROSS CLASSES**
  - Contact: Christina Springer / SpringerCh@usa.redcross.org
  - Our team is interested in the “Citizen CPR” 30-minute instruction

- Class gives participants practice and background on compression-only CPR
- Red Cross is asking participants to donate \$10.00 toward the initiative
- Possibly hold our June 15<sup>th</sup> meeting at the Red Cross followed by “Citizen CPR” class
- Julianne will contact Christina Springer to schedule
- **SUMMIT SERIES FOLLOW UP UNPLUGGED**
  - Community Impact will be instrumental in helping with the Unplugged programming / topics
  - Possible topic is TPS / Education
- **SCRAPART**
- **HABITAT FOR HUMANITY**
  - Robyn Peabody volunteered to champion
  - Possibly tackle a “renew” project this year where we will help remodel a home
- **BIG GIVE II**
  - Possibly coordinate with National Day of Service in October – maybe the following Saturday??
  - Robyn suggested to have a designated team leader at each location to greet EPIC volunteers and to encourage them to meet afterward for lunch
- **VOLUNTEER INCENTIVE PROGRAM (VIP)**
  - Members were given instructions on how to create an account / login to the Presidential Service Awards site to log volunteer hours
    - Laptop was available at meeting for members to enter volunteer hours
  - EPIC 2011 Goal is 1,000 hours
- **VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES**

- Jeff is proposing to list three volunteer opportunities on our Community Impact team. This will help promote worthwhile events that EPIC isn't sponsoring

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#### **UPCOMING EVENTS:**

- **EPIC UNPLUGGED: GET ON BOARD 201 – CHARACTERISTICS OF SUCCESSFUL BOARDS AND BOARD MEMBERS**
  - When: Thursday, January 27<sup>th</sup>
  - Time: 5:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.
  - Location: United Way Building, Toledo
  - Non-profits will display information for members prior to speakers
  - Presenter, Julia Faulkner Pechlivanos
  - Panel discussion with Blake Underwood, David Waterman, and Tash Hussain Black
  - Special thanks to Robyn Peabody, Lindsay Williams, Rosanna Violi, Jeff Schaaf, and Julianne Lange for contacting non-profits to participate
- **BIRTHDAY BASH**
  - Date: Friday, March 11<sup>th</sup>
  - Time: 7:30 p.m. – Midnight
  - Location: Franciscan Theatre & Conference Center at Lourdes College
  - Hoping to have our committee help by providing a drop-off location for some charity (“Party with a Purpose”)
    - Send ideas of different charities to Jeff at [Jeff.Schaaf@gmail.com](mailto:Jeff.Schaaf@gmail.com)

**MONTHLY MEETINGS:** Community Impact Action Team meets the **third**

Wednesday of each month at 5:30 p.m. Please set aside an hour and join us for some great discussions and planning sessions!

- **02.16** at Barry Bagels, 3301 W. Central Avenue, Westgate Village Shopping Center, Toledo, 43606
- **03.16** at The Blarney Irish Pub, 601 Monroe Street, Toledo, 43604
- **04.20** location TBA
- **05.18** at Toledo School for the Arts, 333 14<sup>th</sup> Street, Toledo, 43604
- **06.15** American Red Cross Chapter, 3100 W. Central Avenue, Suite 200, Toledo, 43606