

FELC Ministry Team Minutes

Ministry Team: Youth Connections

Meeting Date: February 10, 2015, 5:00PM North Site

Attendees: Tom Kent, Heidi Schreiner, Chris Kennedy, Kirsten Owens, Barb Schmidt, Pastor Bryan, Valerie Kent, Jeff Wageman,

Excused: Lance Schmidt, Jen Wageman

Our primary goal: Equip young people to grow towards mature Christian adulthood

Items that may require council action:

- None

Items that may require budget/finance coordination TO BE PRESENTED TO SUPPORT MINISTRY TEAM.

- None

New Task Force (include in minutes plus complete the form in the team folder)

- None

Ministry team agenda/minutes:

- 1) Opening Devotion (Tom)
- 2) 2015 Budget Progress
 1. Funding for Recharge event in Green Bay (\$40-\$50 per person, est. total \$500-700). Only 3 will attend.
- 3) Consent Agenda
 1. Confirmation Update – Kirsten
 1. Need help serving on the April 13 confirmation dinner @ 5:30
 2. Youth & Summer Ministry Update – Heidi
 1. Kwik Trip card sales – Given the reduction in benefit from 10% to 5% we agreed we would not push on this as a fundraiser. We will continue to offer through the church office though.
- 4) Youth Connections Team Role – How can we be more supportive of the mission?
 1. Build the calendar of meetings around key milestones in the programming, then extend the meeting length as needed to make them more outcome-oriented. Early May and Early June is the next Confirmation milestone to reflect on the prior year and develop plans to improve on the prior year. Then get back together in January to talk about progress? Kirsten and Heidi to provide guidance on the appropriate meeting timing.
 2. Touch base meetings work best when combining with other Church activity (like before Ash Wed). These would happen in between the longer, more in-depth sessions noted above.
 3. Tom to develop a detailed calendar once the key milestone dates are provided.
- 5) Youth Connections' contribution to Make an Impact
 1. Camping basket – state park sticker, pudgie pie makers, etc.
 2. \$20 per family
 3. Barb Schmidt to lead the assembly and money collection.
- 6) Next Meeting – see point 4 above
- 7) Close @ 6:15

Submitted by: Tom Kent