

## Idaho Falls Sister City Youth Approved Meeting-Minutes

Because of the Coronavirus this meeting was conducted using the platform 'Hangouts'

**March 16, 2020**

### Attendees:

Kendra Peck	Nathan Peck	Kylie Eaton	David Eaton
Katie Eaton	Nicholas Cebull	Carter Thompson	Laura Combs
Anna St. Michel	Whitney St. Michel	Melinda Cebull	Charlotte Combs
Stephanie VanAusdlen	Lori Kidwell	Sam Hawker	Carter Thompson
Jennifer Thompson	Tim Thompson	Heather Medema	Charlie Medema
Max Medema			

### Approval of minutes:

The Notice of Meeting for February 19, 2020 was received by Kathy Hampton's assistant. Kathy Hampton did not receive the meeting notice. After talking with the legal department, Kathy was told that IFSCY group had to approve the February 5, meeting minutes at another meeting. Whitney St. Michel motioned to approve the February 5, 2020 meeting minutes and it was seconded by Kendra Peck.

Whitney St. Michel motioned to approve the March 4, 2020 meeting minutes and it was seconded by Carter Thompson.. No objections.

### Student Exchange Information:

Some parents have emailed David Eaton and stated that they do not want to have their children go to Japan under the present conditions of the pandemic of Coronavirus. Whitney stated in her conversation with Haruka that she was asked if students from Idaho Falls will make a decision by the middle of April and let the Tokai-Muri group know if IFSCY will be traveling.

Whitney will contact Delta and ask if we purchase tickets how long we have before we can cancel.

Whitney St. Michel stated that she will look into the travel insurance costs.

It was suggested that if the group cannot go in July that we contact Haruka to ask if there is another time during the year the Idaho Falls students could travel.

Melinda Cebull stated that in the past students would have missed out on going. During the odd numbered year students from Tokai-Muri would travel here to Idaho Falls and in the even years (2022) Idaho Falls students would travel to Tokai-Muri.

Several students asked if the July trip were to be cancelled is there any way to reschedule the trip for another time of year possibly at our Thanksgiving break or the Tokai Muri's next break. Each

student has worked very hard during the past two years and would really like the opportunity to travel to Japan.

**Fundraisers:**

**Cherry Blossom Festival**

The Cherry Blossom Festival will be rescheduled for sometime in May. David will keep in touch with the owner of the Snow Eagle and will let the group know.

NEEDS: If you have baskets or donations for the Cherry Blossom Festival you may take them to Whitney St. Michel's house. Please give her a call at (208) 520-8368.

**Students during your time at home will each of you make origami for the Cherry Blossom Festival.**

**Garage Sale:**

If you are starting to do your Spring Cleanup please remember that IFSCY group is hoping to have their garage sale in May. The garage sale date will be determined at another meeting.

**Reminder:**

Is there a platform that anyone would suggest to use other than Hangouts? If so please email David Eaton. If there are no suggestions the next meeting will be conducted through the platform 'Hangouts'.

The next meeting is on April 1, 2020 at 7:00. Everyone will be notified by David Eaton through email for the link to 'Hangout'. Please put these dates on your calendar: April 13th, May 6th and 18th, June 3rd and 15th.

**Student Activity Meeting Minutes  
March 16, 2020**

Student activities were cancelled for this meeting date.

**Because IFSCY group is not meeting at the library will each of the students take time at your home to make origami for the Cherry Blossom Festival. If you need origami paper please email David Eaton and we will get it to you. Thank you for your help.**

**Meeting Adjourned:**

Whitney St. Michel motioned to adjourn the meeting. It was seconded by Nathan Peck.