

**Idaho Falls Sister Cities Youth Meeting  
June 6, 2018**

**Attendees:**

Cameron Archer	Melinda Cebull	David Eaton	Kendra Peck	Rebecca Smith
David Archer	Nicholas Cebull	Katie Eaton	Nathan Peck	Whitney St. Michel
Max Benjamin	Peter Cebull	Kylie Eaton	Dallin Peck	Ian St. Michel
Misty Benjamin	Brennan Corbridge	Gabe Padron	Laurie Retallic	Ness Villassenor
Elliot Boring	Tate Corbridge	Jorge Padron	Jacobi Retallic	<b>*Action items in red</b>

**Business Section of the Meeting**

**Minutes:**

The May 14<sup>th</sup> meeting minutes were provided to the group by email. Whitney motioned to approve the meeting minutes and Kendra seconded her motion.

**Fundraiser Reports**

- **Cherry Blossom Raffle/Dinner Fundraiser:** The group received a nice letter from Jerry at Snow Eagle and a check for \$1413. Jerry donated his profits for the entire day to the group. The group made \$1494 from the raffle for a total of \$2907. Dave asked for lessons learned or suggestions for improvements and none were provided.
- **Garage Sale:** The group made \$866.64 from the garage sale. This is consistent with amounts made in previous years. One member suggested possibly having the sale both Friday and Saturday. Some thought keeping the sale the same hours as the neighborhood garage sale worked well.
- **Town & Country Fundraiser:** The group has sold ~\$900 in gift cards for a profit of \$180. If you would like to purchase gift cards, contact Dave Eaton.

**Japan Exchange:**

- Peter collected airfare from the students and chaperones going to Japan.
- **Whitney will be getting tickets information to students soon.**
- **Whitney will be providing trip guidelines and a packing list to students.**
- **Whitney will be purchasing passport holders for students.**
- **Kendra asked students to email pictures of student IDs to her.** The Japanese can use them for discounts at their amusement park. She took pictures of the IDs brought to the meeting. Students need to bring them to Japan.
- Junko will come to the next meeting and discuss Japanese etiquette.
- Kendra read the draft itinerary to the group. It is listed below.

**Jul. 26** Arrive Narita 14:40 (2:40 p.m.)

Meet at Sister City Hall for light meal and pictures

**Jul. 27** (A.M.) Visit Mayor Japanese Calligraphy

(P.M.) Craft Tatami Coaster Visit Temple and Shrine  
Welcome Party

**Jul. 28** Family Day

**Jul. 29** (Family Day

**Jul. 30** (A.M.) Sports Day

(P.M.) Field Trip by Train

**Jul. 31** ( A.M.) Cooking Japanese Dishes "Curry and Rice"  
(P.M.) Club Activity at JHS

**Aug. 1** (A.M.) Aquarium  
(P.M.) Water Activity in Oarai Beach

**Aug. 2** (A.M.) Soy Sauce Factory  
(P.M.) Papermaking

**Aug. 3** Amusement Park "Nasu Highland Park"

**Aug. 4** Family Day

**Aug. 5** (A.M.) Family time  
(P.M.) Family time  
Farewell Party

**Aug. 6** See-off Ceremony  
Depart Narita 16:20 (4:20 p.m.)

**July Meetings:** Dave asked if we want to have two meetings in July. The group decided to wait and decide until the next meeting. We will see if we have everything ready for the trip or if both meetings are needed to get ready.

**Student Meeting:** Vanessa led a bingo game used to help students learn Japanese phrases. The bingo phrases can be found at the end of the minutes.

A motion to adjourn was made by Peter and seconded by Dave Archer.

#### Bingo Cheat Sheet

1. Nice to Meet you - Hajimemashite
  2. My name is - Watashi no namae wa .... desu
  3. Where is the Bathroom? - Toire wa doko desu ka?
  4. Thank you very much - Arigatou gozaimasu
  5. Thank you for the meal - gochisousamadeshita
  6. You are welcome - doitaashimashite
  7. Let us eat - itadakimasu
  8. I'm sleepy - Nemutai desu
  9. I'm Hungry - onaka ga suite
  10. I'm Thirsty - Nodo ga Kawaita
  11. Are you ok? - Daijoubu desu ka?
  12. Hello - Konnichiwa
  13. Ohayō gozaimasu - Good morning
  14. Konbanwa - Good Afternoon
  15. Oyasumi nasai - Goodnight
  16. Sayonara - Goodbye
  17. Gomen nasai - Im sorry
  18. Oishii - Yummi
  19. Kyo wa Samui desu - Its cold (outside)
  20. Tsumetai - Its cold (object)
  21. Atsui - Its hot (outside or object)
  22. Hai - Yes
  23. iie - No
  24. Wakarimasen - I dont understand
- Nani - What