

# Multifaith Meeting on Jan 13<sup>th</sup> at the Mormon Church in Foster City

## Attended:

Vildan	Apakay	
Florence	Beier	PTBE
Rolf	Beier	PTBE
Lionel	Engleman	PTS
Michelle	Epstein	PTBE
Mike	Glass	PTS
Debbie	Grewal	LDS
Judy	Harris	PTS
Dick	Heiman	PTBE
Dana	Izeson	Peninsula Sinai Cong.
Deanna	Kaya	Pacifica Inst.
Heidi	Kershaw	LDS
Kim	Lazarus	PTS
Joel	Miller	PTBE
Judy	Miller	PTBE
Vince	Perrine	Local Peace Initiative
Ramona	Raybin	PTBE
Jeff	Savitz	PTS
Jim	Sell	St. Barts
Vickie	Sherman	1st Presbyterian
Ineko	Tsuchida	Buddhist
Karen	Wisialowski	JCRC
Lisa	Wong	St. Pauls

## Opening prayer by Heidi and comments by Lionel;

- Excited and enthusiastic about everyone here and our project.

## Results from Karen W;

- 301 people signed up as of 4pm today.
- Karen handed out signup sheets by project and congregation.
- Jackie Speier will also attend.
- Each congregation should let Karen W know regarding any dignitaries
- So maybe Rev Kristi will run down the list of congregations and their leaders.  
The groups could then stand.

## Jeff S: budget

- Is approx. \$5000. \$2100 in pledges and \$850 in cash.

## Hoover School: Ineko and Dick.

- Met with school today. 67 now signed up for school.
- 13 classrooms – not 30 based on survey.
- Additional classrooms may be available based on survey.
- Need liability waiver and also create a media presentation and a media consent would be necessary.
- Custodians needed to open school, but then the custodian needs to be paid overtime.
- Finalizing list of items to be purchased and/or donated. Volunteers for this project need to be notified as to what they might bring.

## Breakfast and Facility Vickie S: (for Gary)

- Parking should not be a problem.
- Parking on both sides of Easton and street parking.
- Everyone should be directed thru one door.
- What about boxes with coats?
- Deanna is going to church on Wednesday for last minute checkup.
- Doors will be clearly marked.

**From Gary via email (Breakfast and Facility and Safe Harbor):**

- Parking -- shouldn't be a problem as we have over 300 every Sunday.
- Welcoming -- there should be people stationed at the entry doors (3) to the big room to make sure people will sign in when they arrive.
- Sign up table will be set up all we need is the signup sheets
- Name tags are always good to stimulate conversation if someone can do them
- People who show up last minute need to ask at the sign in table who the Captain of their event is
- The donation basket will be at the sign in table and an announcement should be made to please help out
- The sound system will be up and running.
- Each group should meet after breakfast and before we go to our project.
- At the project we should take a minute to introduce ourselves and state why we are there and then the Captain can say a quick prayer before we jump in.
- I will know the final cost of Safe Harbor on Thursday but my estimate should stand
- I will get an email out to the Safe Harbor volunteers this week with instruction.
- Gary going to Safe Harbor to finalize.
- Costs are running as planned.
- They need to know how to get there and we need ice chests.
- Gary will also be in touch with our kitchen volunteers, they are not actually signed up as they just need to be on hand to help with making coffee, running the dishwasher and other idiosyncrasies of our kitchen

**Breakfast and Facility and Sign in - comments**

- Dick asked how many will show up for breakfast. Vicki said that another room may be available.
- Deanna said that they can feed 300 and handed out a list of foods for the breakfast.
- Sign in sheets for each project so we know how many showed up for that project?
- Karen W will make additional nametags for project captains.

**General Comments**

- Welcoming at each site. Captains should think welcome thru and what to do and what to say
- At project completion, captains should thank volunteers, etc,
- Survey from volunteers. Send survey questions to Karen W.
- Lionel will work on revised consent waiver to include media release form.

**Publicity – Florence**

- Has contacted Mickey Carter.
- Mickey has sent out a press release and coordinating Richard Mayer for details.
- Team captains can communicate with Karen W regarding possible photo ops, publicity, etc.

**Arts and Crafts -Heidi –**

- 62 signed up for arts and crafts.
- She has had meetings with sub captains in her group,
- Broken down by age groups.

**Coat drive - Heidi.**

- Truck and manpower and boxes will be provided.

**Book Drive -Judy H –**

- Books should be delivered to Beth Jacob by noon on Jan 17<sup>th</sup>.
- So far, very few books donated.
- From Karen W: If you would prefer, JCL will take "appropriate" books directly. All other books can be donated to one of the libraries. Please let me know so I can tell Judy Pam-Bycel.
- From Karen W: One more book detail. I have bookplate stickers for you to put into the "appropriate" books. How many should I print?

**Primrose – Mike Glass –**

- New carpet tiles are self adhesive.
- 3 new shelving units \$1160 cost.
- All supplies have been delivered and everything is in good shape and correct volunteers.

**Shelter network- Michele & Kim**

- Heidi has someone who can sing at facility.
- Inspirational songs.
- Michele will contact Heidi to work out details.

**Youth Choir for elderly.** From Rev. Kristi via email

- We have music leaders and guitarist and are glad to hear we have 20 folks signed up.  
I'll do a map and make copies for folks.
- Should I send that ahead to someone?
- We don't need any money for this one!

**Lomita Park – Jim Sell;**

- Needs a place to assemble shelves prior to Jan. 20<sup>th</sup>
- Karen has sent out request for space.

**Next meeting**

- Celebration on Feb 10<sup>th</sup>.
- 6:30 potluck.
- Or a soup and bread.
- at Peninsula Temple Shalom.
- Lionel will bring the plastic soup bowls/plastic plates/plastic utensils..
- Coffee and tea will be provided.
- Karen W. will bring napkins and some kind of salad