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Polson Junior Chamber Ambassadors

Mission Statement:

We do the right thing for our community by educating ourselves, volunteering for others, and promoting the local businesses.

Goals: These are the things that we would like each group of Junior Ambassadors to accomplish in a year's time, from the beginning of January to the end of December.

1. The Junior Ambassadors will raise money for a scholarship program:

This scholarship will be granted to a graduating senior or group of seniors who have been involved with the Junior Ambassadors Group.

2. The Junior Ambassadors will volunteer for 3 chamber events through the course of a year:

The group may be asked to lend support to many chamber functions and events but as a group decide three major ones that the group as a whole will participate in.

3. The Junior Ambassadors will actively design, coordinate, and put on 1 major event during the calendar year:

This event can run in conjunction with another community event or stand alone as an independent event.

4. The Junior Ambassadors will plan, research, and make one presentation to the chamber body at a Luncheon during the calendar year.

The group will decide a part of our local business economy that is important to them and will research and present to the chamber body in order to inform and educate all business owners.

We will be conducting each general meeting at a local business. The reason for doing this is to present students with information about running a business in our community, give the businesses an opportunity market themselves to Junior Ambassadors of our community, and illustrate the interconnection of all businesses in our local economy.

Each meeting will consist of:

1. 5 minutes of roll call:
Each member or potential new members will introduce themselves, tell us something they like about our town, and tell us if they have any connection with a local business.
2. 20-30 minutes of a business presentation given by a representative of the facilitating business:
This presentation can be about the workings of a particular business, how the business is marketed, how it is interconnected with other businesses, or other ideas that would be of value to this group.
3. 20-30 minutes of business meeting agenda
During this portion of the meeting we will discuss new and old business of the group, read through and evaluate our progression to achieving each of our goals, and discuss details that are up and coming.
4. The remaining time can be for activities provided by the facilitating business or work time for achieving the Junior Ambassador goals.
This can be at the discretion of the sponsoring business. They can provide an activity that is specific to their business, use the group to assist in doing something for the business, or the group can choose to use this time to work on items that need attention, (for example building posters for a fundraiser)

The Schedule for general meetings:

February 4th: Swan Hill Bed and Breakfast: 39407 Kings Point Road

Concluding activity: Swimming

March 4th: Kwa Tuk Nuk Resort:

April 1st, 2009 To Be Determined

May 6th, 2009 To Be Determined

June 3rd, 2009 To Be Determined

July 1st, 2009 To Be Determined

August 5th, 2009 To Be Determined

September 2nd, 2009 To Be Determined

October 7th, 2009 To Be Determined

November 4th, 2009 To Be Determined

December 2nd, 2009 To Be Determined

January 6th, 2010 To Be Determined

