



Rogue Valley Fire Prevention Cooperative

Prevention Education Safety

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Meeting Minutes
March 9, 2011
Fire District Grants Pass

Call to Order: 10:05a.m.

Attendees: 12 attendees

Meeting Minutes: Approved

Financial Report: Approved

Committee Reports:

Outreach & Education

- Ashley and Teresa are getting 3 bids for the Grange Co-op signage
- Fire-resistant plant darts are going to be made for nurseries in Jo/Jack counties
- **Place fire-resistant material at Siskiyou Field Institute**
- Max Bennett/ Ali True are creating an accredited landscaping class
- The first of four Applegate meetings will be held at the Pacifica on March 16
- An EMS carnival will be held March 13 at South Medford High
- Eagle Rock Elementary will have a fire education night, May 20
- Will get Facebook and Twitter on RVFPC soon
- A fuel reduction project with ODOT will be done in the Oak Knoll area
- The Pacific fair will be held May 5-8
- “Living on Your Land” event, hosted by OSU extension office May, 14
- As a whole, we need to collaborate with the local media better to extend our RVFPC message and mission
- In Jo County, news, radio and print material are being produced
- A fire safety house “How to” one page guide has been created
- An animal evacuation event will be held at the GP fairgrounds March 31
- Included team teaching at Wolf Creek charter school
- Jo County Spring Home Show will be in May
- April 23-34 will be the Masters Garden Show
- **Look into Jefferson public radio marketing (Carey will e-mail info to Ashley)**
- Ready books are now online for sale at: myreadybook.com
- The Firebrand should be mailed by late March/ early April
- SB360 certification forms were mailed out the week of March 9
- Landsteward classes are being held in Jo/Jack counties
- A community assistance ,and others have been applied for

Old Business:

- ODOT reading boards will be put on hold until “extreme” measures are in effect

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- Applegate Tax service in Ruch will be our accountant if needed later on
- Jo/Jack counties team teaching list is being finalized
- Looking into adding Shady Cove to the list of participants
- A State Farm grant is being written now by Ashley

New Business:

- A wildfire images night will be held April 14
- Safe Kids event May 7-
- Other events (Fn in the Sun, KTVL day, and Wal-Mart safety day) need to be looked into
- Sent press release/photos to each other so they can be share at RVFPC

Good of the Order:

- Welcome Cameron from the Illinois Valley Fire Department
- Thank you to Ashley and Teresa for doing a great job promoting at Salashan
- Fire fatality on Joe Hyatt's district
- Jo County will contact Ashley/Teresa about information
- E-mail John if anyone has any media ideas
- Ashley wrote a grant to Wal-Mart for \$1000 towards the Grange signage
- A new- large animal evacuation news flyer has been created
- 4400 acres have been burned through FS/ Summer hiring has been completed
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Adjournment: 11:15p.m.