



YPN Planning Committee Minutes

Apr. 13, 2017 @ 12:30 p.m.

Attending Members: Chair: Eric Sonnhalter Vice Chair: Steve Stratton, John Showalter, Caitlin Jackson, Glenn Stakem, Adrian Sobie, Pamela Teaford, Amberly Dozier, Shawn Barsness, Marcus Fields, Amy Lodes, and Barbra Sanders

- 1. New Executive Team Members:** Shawn Barsness was announced as the new Education Manager; Amberly Dozier was announced as the new Membership Manager. Managerial positions still open: Community Services, Government Affairs, and Communications
- 2. YPN Breakfast Review:** The group discussed the breakfast meeting held in March. Some thought the meeting provided helpful information and insight into what YPN is, how it's structured, its goals, and how members could contribute to its overall growth and success.
- 3. Events:** The date of the group's first official meet-up was announced as Apr. 20 at Shoes Restaurant in Leesburg. YPN encouraged to invite nonmembers as well; Preparations for the Spring Fling Corn Hole Tournament are underway, with assistance from Toll Brothers (Dale Myers & son), who agreed to help manage the tournament on the day of the event. Two to three other volunteers are needed. First Home Mortgage also agreed to assist the events team with this effort and will bring corn hole boards. A white board will be needed to post brackets and start time; The new construction field trip is to be scheduled in early June and open to all DAAR members. The actual date to be confirmed next week; All non-YPN members should be given red stickers for identification at all YPN events. A. Dozier will follow up with all non-YPN members after the events.
- 4. Habitat Build** – Staff informed the group that only two slots were available for YPN volunteers. Those interested in volunteering were asked to email staff by Tuesday of the following week.
- 5. Lapel Pins** – E. Sonnhalter agreed to order lapel pins for YPN members to wear at all upcoming events.
- 6. Technology Conference** - S. Stratton volunteered to be the master of ceremonies at the upcoming technology conference on May 3.
- 7. Communications** – Staff will work with YPN to update YPN web page with important information.
- 8. NAR Mid-Year YPN Meet-Ups** – The group was informed of meet-ups and social mixers scheduled by the national YPN group to be held during NAR's Mid-Year Conference in DC during the week of May 15 – 18. All YPN members encouraged to attend.

- 9. Meeting with YPN National Chair** – E. Sonnhalter has scheduled a meeting with the national YPN Chair to discuss growth strategies and will report back to the group afterwards.