

P.R. and Partnership Committee Meeting

March 16, 8 AM @The Hideaway

Present: Lynne, Margit, Jerry, Ann Mosey, Hayes S. Barb

Next meeting: Thursday, April 8 @8AM

NHS Exhibit on Thursday, April 22

Hayes would like someone to help edit the text for the exhibit. Mary Schier will do that since she's been closely involved with the research for the exhibit.

Bob and Martha Davies will help with the set up for the physical exhibit.

Hayes will create a design for posters and postcard invitations that will be sent out to NAG members, NHS members, dignitaries, FOL members, **SELCO** staff, local and former librarians, etc. **by week of April 5**. The invitation will include information on the April 25 birthday party and the Flamenco performance at NAG that evening.

Bob and Martha Davies will set up the reception (wine and cheese) .

Members of FOL and Library Board (Margit and Bill??) will be friendly faces at the reception table.

Sunday, April 25 Birthday Party Bash 2-4:00

Hayes will send out invitations that will invite selected people to both the Exhibit opening and the birthday party, as mentioned above.

Mary Williams and the High School band will lead the parade around the block between 3rd and 4th st. They will play "America", "Happy Birthday", and a few old time rousers in Sousa style.

Barb will arrange for cupcakes (Quality Bakery) and juice (Econo Foods). (Candles and matches??)

Lynne will prepare a program for the event that will be two sided. One side will be the program from 100 years ago, the flip side our 2010 program. Deadline for copy is April 12.

Margit and Lynne will create a pop quiz for the event—required by grant.

Ann (or Margit?) will contact the Key for face painters, balloon artists, etc. We will make a donation to The Key for their help. **Who** is going to contact Tim Freeland? **Ann** is going to contact the Y. **Barb** is calling Perrin Boyd to invite her to participate as a clown.

We'll ask for board volunteers at March 24 meeting to help with set up and take down of chairs, tables etc. for the day's event.

Lynne will ask Chief Taylor for a police escort for our parade.

Marcella Lorca, from The Guthrie, will be our guest speaker. **Thanks, Ann.**

Marching behind the Band in our big parade will (possibly) be the following: FOL

Board/members, Library Board, Dignitaries? Spelling Bees, Teen Board, other ideas....?

Marchers can dress up as a favorite book, favorite literary character, or as good ole self.

We will carry flags from NAG, posters from Jerry's store, Library Banner, small American flags?

Rain Plan

In the event of rain, children's activities will be held in the library's meeting room, the speeches and band will be upstairs in the library in a similar format to the Centennial Concerts

Other

Barb will send out a letter of thanks and invitation to the birthday party to all of the volunteers who kindly told their library stories on video that now can be viewed on our Centennial Blog

Welcome Brochure

Lynne will talk with the Teen Board about distributing the new Welcome brochure with inserts.