

ACIR Meeting 5-26-15

Members Present: Kathryn, Donald, Liz, Sue, Dean

Financial Update from Kay:- none

April meeting minutes: ---not presented

Old Business:

- international speaker series
 - Ayla from Albania
 - good presentation and turnout
 - plans for future marketing
 - personal contacts for promoting events
 - should compile list of community members who are interested in such events
 - ideas for outreach?
 - mailing list signup for speaker events- kathryn plans on this

June Speaker

- Sally Hurd-- member of peacecorp stationed in botswana

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July speaker-- still looking

- Kathryn has a few potential contacts

August

- Justin Campbell--- from Jamacia
 - interested in promoting event at news station where he works
- Looking for September speakers
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 - library interest in taking some speakers
 - support for using library, but concerns about them taking speakers
 - get Jude's contact info to speakers as a compromise
 - as joint program-- library not too interested in this
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 - maybe approach them again about teaming up at our desired time
 - community rec center-- less known
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 - College as venue--- pretty expensive
 - could use Civic center rooms

-projector

- no vote yet to approve funds
- \$300ish on amazon

-motion to approve \$400 budget for new projector(and apple adapter):APPROVED

-open world hosting update from Liz

-spoke with Sandra

-emailed maureen-- no available hostings for 2015, maybe for 2016- lack of funding problems

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-other hosting programs

-look into alternative programs for hostings for next two years-- Liz will look out for this

-usually a fall hosting

-business cards

-get generic cards with ACIR logo-- city contact info and links
plan to get 500, then get reimbursed from group--

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Multicultural group at malmstrom

-more outreach to service members for events and membership

New Business:

-financial report

-none

-community contacts

-discussed in old business

-sub committee-- new one

-outreach for marketing for events

-thinking of getting non-acir members in subcommittee to reach more people

-outreach to foreign exchange students

-plan for quarterly events for foriegn community members and exchange students to attend

-plan a future meeting for this-- before next ACIR meeting

-could do meeting potluck as well June 23 at 6:00 p.m.

-military leep program-- good opportunity for outreach- liz will contact

Public Comment

none

Meeting Adjourned