

FAME Pipeline Meeting

Friday October 14, 2011 @ LNB, Macedon Brach

Attendees:

- Karen Springmeier
- Vicky Daly—Village of Palmyra
- Ken Miller, Palmyra Town Supervisor
- Pete Boldt, WFLBOCES
- Bob Lasch, MCC
- Darren Bretnall, LNB
- Eileen Rucinski, Kelly Services
- Jeff Dillon Monroe County School-Business Partnership
- Stacy Kelly, Optimax

Eileen opened the meeting with introductions followed by review of agenda and minutes of last meeting

Job Fair

Karen reported that 397 job seekers attended, 40 employers participated and 7 were on a waiting list. Employers were pleased with the job seekers and FLWIB staff will follow up to see how many were hired as a result. The Wayne County Job Fair is scheduled for Wednesday Oct 26th from 1 to 4 at the Newark Quality Inn. Eileen also commented on the success of the event.

FLWWTH

Approximately 600 students and chaperones participated along with over 40 exhibitors. The overall evaluations were that the event was an overwhelming success. Bob noted the tour guides kept the flow moving along very well. Eileen noted that educators stopped by the FAME booth and were very interested. Evaluations were very positive and the weather and the food were great. Karen noted the schools are reimbursed for transportation.

7th and 8th Grade Tours

Pete noted that the letters to the Principals were sent out last week and he is following up. And Bob will follow up with his schools. It was suggested that the Superintendents be notified as well. Pete suggested that as a follow up he will send the FAME website and a list of potential businesses for the tours.

In response to a question, Eileen explained the tours to the committee. There will be a set of questions and the students will be asked to submit essays. Bob suggested getting the Superintendents into the tours. It was also recommended that the 4 County school Board be addressed (Karen has contacted Sharon Sweeney..will follow up).

Tours will be scheduled for March. FAME will reimburse transportation as previously noted.

Pete mentioned the Middle School Skills Competiton on March. Thos os agood opportunity for Pipeline Committee.

Pete also mentioned that he has two tour scheduled or Metal Trades coming up. Optimax and Micro Tech.

Jeff will consider the tours for a pilot.

H/T Committee

Eileen noted that H/T would like to combine with Pipeline for a future meeting. The committee agreed and recommended January.

Boot Camps

Bob mentioned the success of the MCC Boot Camps this past summer. It would be great if every BOCES could do something similar next summer. Bob, Jeff and Pete will meet to discuss.

Nov 14th

FAME event at MCC. Video Presentation from the McKinsey Institute followed by a live panel. 3 to 5 p.m. Suggestions to invite Superintendents at no cost. Karen will follow up.

Discussion on Social Media

Great discussion on the use of social media to promote FAME..more to follow.

Next Meeting

Friday, December 2nd, 2011 T 8 a.m. at LNB, Macedon branch

Respectfully submitted,

Karen

Karen A. Springmeier