

Meeting Nov 8th, 2011, Where : Old Chicago

Attendees: Amy Kerby, Tracy Kurkowski, Brad Nelson, Lory Byne, Penny Mack,

Agenda 2012 Planning

1. Annual meeting planning (date, where, what we want to do, etc.....) We are looking at the end of Sept of first part of October. Locations: Embassy Suites-LaVista, Hilton, Double Tree- Will check on pricing for next meeting and menus and dates.

Possible Companies to reach out to: Purina, Weavers, Natures Own, Delgold Meats, Bakers Chocolates, Wineries, Lucky Bucket, James Arthur, Shadow Brook, Soaring Wings

Presentations:

2. FSMA- we had Bonita do one of these in Aug we could ask her again for the annual meeting.
3. FFA had a good presentation maybe look at 4H also to promote their clubs?
4. Food Labeling-Not sues who would present?
5. Beans Sprouts presentation-Lori?
6. Canning processes-?
7. Vendors and the risks, food on a stick and farmers markets-?
8. It's all about bees- bee manufacturing operations-?
9. Fermentation processes- Winery/brewery-?
10. Listeria presentation-?
11. Egg issues-?
12. Ice cream manufacturing/yogurt-?
13. Small food manufactures-?
14. Meat manufacturing-??,
15. Pet care-?
16. Membership/company solicitation- Lori mentioned they were reaching out to new business in Lincoln, several Lincoln businesses to get them more active; Jeremy to head the membership group.
17. Website maintenance (who would like this duty?) Have passwords and log-ins from Marsha, need to figure out how to get things placed on there, it is several steps (ahhhhhh). I have someone I believe will do this.
18. Facebook account shall we start a new one? Cancel the old how? Tracy going to get passwords and added to the listing for Lori as an administrator.
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20. Linked-in (we are on here now, getting the word out)? We have 15 members
21. Meetings for 2012 (ideas) we have a plan through of meetings til June then what?? Kellogg's Tour- Brad to check on this will need to be July or after. Possible tour of ConAgra- Penny to check on. Tour of a winery or brewery.
22. Volunteering in the community? Open Door Mission, etc.....Lydia House, Toys for Tots, ect.....

Next board meeting will be March 8, 2012 (tentative):

1. We will decide on a location and what topics we are going to go after.
2. As well as pricing and corporate sponsors and who will gather those.

3. Promotional materials what we will have and who and will head up the project.
4. Interesting topics for next meeting s