Nature's Finest Club Members Meeting 12:00pm, Wednesday October 19, 2016 Physical Science Building Room 208

Meeting began at 12:05pm

I. Introductions

A. Executive Committee was introduced.

Payton: President Drew: Vice President

Kayla: Public Relations Director

James: Treasurer Jasmine: Secretary

Anna: Social Media Director Jordan: Creativity Director

II. Recap of Past Week

A. Environmental Committee Meeting

Our garden plans have been officially approved by the Environmental Committee and garden work can begin.

B. Garden Meet-up

Thank you to everyone that came out on Friday 10/14 to the garden meet-up. It was definitely a success.

III. Nature Lesson #1

A. NPK

What does your sapling need?: Nitrogen, Potassium, Phosphorous enriched soil

B. How to Transfer Your Sapling

- 1. Get an empty milk carton. Cut off the top and poke holes on the bottom for water drainage.
- 2. Fill the carton about 3/4 full of soil and create a hole in the middle of the soil that your sapling can fit into. Leave a little room on the bottom for the roots to grow.
- 3. Water your sapling around an hour before the transplant so the soil is more compact when removed. Do not pull your sapling out, hold it upside down while massaging the outside and tapping it out.
- 4. Once it's fully out place it into the hole and loosely gather soil around it. Fill the rest of the carton with soil.
- 5. Place the carton in half sun half shade and water regularly, same instructions as before. Your sapling will stay in this carton for about a month and will be having a lot of growth!

*Pay attention to your sapling! If it looks dried out, keep it out of the sun for a little

C. Oath to Your Sapling

III. Specialty Groups

Group members heard pitches for each group and then chose what they felt they would succeed the most in. We divided into these groups for more specified mini-meetings.

- A. Public Relations-Kayla
- **B. Social Connections-Anna**
- C. Event Coordinators-Jordan
- D. Financial Research-James
- E. Project Management-Drew and Nick
- F. Floaters-Payton and Jasmine

This group was created on the spot for members who couldn't decide one specific group.

IV. The First Job

Lastly, we discussed our first job and what each specialty group can contribute.

A. Weed the Garden

PR: gather sponsors (i.e free food, water, and tools)

SC: inform as many people as possible

EC: create the time, place, and duration of the event

FR: determine costs

PM: prepping the garden space and teaching members what to do

Next Meeting: Wednesday, October 26 12-1pm PS 205

Meeting adjourned at 12:53pm