

CHAC Monthly Meeting
March 8, 2019
Durango Recreation Center

Attendees:

Scott Wallace, CHAC Board	Anna Spencer, Comfort Keepers
Elsa Inman, MRMC	Terry Jacobsen, Comfort Keepers
James Burpee, retired physician	Missy Neagos, MRMC
Kari Plante, SJBPH	Emma Harmon, SJBPH
Hana Mueller, Sunshine Gardens	Kate Jones, SJBPH
Sheila Casey, CHAC Board	Bob Cox, retired physician
Eileen Wasserbach, CHAC Board	pattie adler, CHAC
Scott Mathis, MRMC Board	Kathy Sherer, CHAC
Julie Goodman, SJBPH	

2018 Health Hero

Kari Plante from SJBPH was named Health Hero for 2018 for her work to improve local oral health. Congratulations, Kari!

Board Update

Scott Wallace explained that, because of the strongly positive feedback at the Annual Meeting, CHAC will continue with monthly educational meetings that include networking and advocacy. In addition, we will seek local funding to support our adult social isolation project. A brochure has already been developed for the purpose of fundraising and was passed around.

Please pay your individual and/or organizational dues and additional donations, if possible, as they make a difference more than ever – thank you.

Fundraising PowerPoint

The draft PowerPoint was shown with the purpose of receiving feedback. Kathy and pattie will work on incorporating some of the suggestions and adding the final version to the chaclaplata.org website. Some of the comments were:

- Evening Rotary is taking ideas now and will distribute funds in the fall.
- High Noon Rotary has a mid-May deadline for Community Grants up to \$5K that are given out in June.
- We will need to explain how the money will be used and how we will measure success.
- Look at the Mesa County “Social Capital” project.
- Learn about the new SJBPH group (Kate Jones).

Hospital Transformation Program (HTP) – Elsa (Mercy)

Elsa recently had two meetings with community partners to obtain input on reducing costs, improving patient experience, and community collaboration. The meetings have been well-attended, and gaps and resources have been identified; these groups will continue to meet. There will be a meeting next week with MRMC staff to continue this effort.

The next CHAC meeting is scheduled for April 12, 8:30-10:00 a.m. at the Durango Rec. Center.

Meeting notes submitted by Kathy Sherer with minor additions by pattie adler