



FRIENDS OF MOREY MINUTES/NOTES
MONDAY, DECEMBER 6, 2010

In Attendance: Liane Morrison, Parent; Karen Duell, Staff; Jenny McCurdy, Parent; Tricia Huth, Teacher; Rob Buirgy, Denver Water; Liz Gardener, Denver Water; & Matt Bond, Denver Water

FALL ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

The fall involvement with our Morey UP partnerships has proven to be beneficial and successful. We are thankful for everything our partnerships have achieved so far this year. A list was handed out to everyone present.

SPRING INTERSESSIONS:

A discussion was held regarding community resources for our teachers in developing the spring intersession opportunities. Karen put out an email to teachers asking if anyone wanted assistance. Four teachers responded. Career Day will be for a half-day on Monday, April 18th. The rest of the days during the week will be student intersession days, including trips. We brainstormed ideas for student intersession topics and divided up some of the topics. We agreed to make contacts utilizing our Morey UP partners and others in the community and have the intersessions organized enough for teachers to follow through by Feb. 1st. Rob, Liz and Matt were a big help in accessing resources. It was also noted that Denver Water pays for any DPS bus transportation to the water plant facility for tours.

Karen Duell: Media Week (TV Stations; Denver Post; Web Development, etc.)

Water & Energy: Jenny McCurdy

Wildlife and Sustainability: Jenny McCurdy

Maia Rogers: Zoology (Denver Zoo; Animal Shelters; Vet.; HawkQuest, etc.) In lieu of Maia's absence, Karen will contact Maia).

CAREER DAY: Date: Monday, April 18th More discussion will be held about Career Day at our next meeting.