

## Santa Fe JIN Minutes

September 11, 2010

14 Members in attendance

Meeting opened with an announcement regarding the upcoming Aki Matsuri on September 26, 2010.

- There was a call for help from volunteers.
- Booth would be open from 10:00 am to 5:30 pm, with each volunteer working 2 to 3 hours.
- Santa Fe JIN purchased one ticket for the raffle.
- Contact Maggie for more information regarding volunteering.

### Previous Board Meeting Notes

- Casey has assumed the Secretary's responsibilities.
- The 3 minute video of the 2010 Matsuri is completed and published.
- The cost of the 2011 Matsuri is projected to be a little over \$5,000.
- Board approved 2011 expenses.
- Board approved 2 dollar cover charge at 2011 Matsuri.
- Considering skipping the grant writing process with the city.

### 2011 Matsuri Updates

- Catherine had designs for new banners.
- These banners will be hanging outside of the Santa Fe Convention Center on the street corners.
- There will be 4 banners total.
- Each banner will be 5' by 7' by 2'.
- Colors selected were 2 black on red and 2 white and red on black.
- Ideas for the events were discussed, including a reception at 10,000 waves for the calligrapher.
- Santa Fe JIN will handle the plastic sheeting inside the convention if any is needed.
- A booth will be needed for the performer.
- Offer will be extended to the Sea Shepherd's group this year to hopefully avoid protest issues.
- Various activities are still being considered for the schools.

### Other News

- Terry Garcia is teaching English in Tokyo.
- Simone has passed away.