REACH of Central Florida President's Report

May 2013 - May 2014

Board of Directors and Officers:

President: Frank Lau

President-Elect: Wendy Ng

Vice President - Internal: Patrick Hsiao

Vice President - External: Duc Quy Nguyen

Vice President - Community Service: Lujing Han

Treasurer: Chelsea Lo

Secretary: Karen Sun

Webmaster: Julie Ng

Historian: Lumei Han

Cypress Creek Coordinators: Justin Chu

Winter Park Coordinator: Merin Thomas

University High Coordinator: Arthur Tran, Corey Hsiao

Advisor: Tiffany Tang

Activities:

1. May 2013 – AAHC Asian Cultural Festival at Avalon Park

REACH participants: 21

Activities: Set up and tear down tents, manned the Information and REACH booths, fundraised

2. June and July 2013 - Dragon Boat practices at Orlando Rowing Club with CHARGE

REACH participants: 7

Activities: summer paddling practices with CHARGE

3. September 2013 - CAACF Mid-Autumn Festival

REACH participants: 4

Activities: manned game booths

4. October 2013 - Asian Cultural Expo and Dragon Boat Festival at Downtown Disney

REACH participants: 28

Had 3 dragon boat practices at Orlando Rowing Club and 1 practices at Downtown Disney

Captain: Duc Quy Nguyen, Co-captain: Patrick Hsiao, Lead paddlers: Frank Lau and Patrick Hsiao;

Drummer: Tiffany Tang

Activities: Raced in 3 dragon boat races, won 1st place in Division C Consolation finals at 2: 38, 4

REACH volunteers manned booth, fundraised \$115.

5. November 2013 - Orlando Japan Festival 2013

REACH participants: 13

Activities: Set up tents and tables

6. November 2013 - AACC Golden Dragon Award

REACH participants: 2

Activities: Tiffany Tang and Frank Lau presented Ellison S. Onizuka Humanitarian Award to Harris

Rosen.

7. November, 2012 - AAHC Student Achievers Awards at City Hall

REACH participants: 9

Activities: Mcee by Tiffany Tang and Frank Lau, 7 REACH members got the AAHC scholastic awards out of the total of 30 awards, almost ¼ of the award winners went to REACH members.

8. December 2013 – Harbor House Toy Drive

REACH Participants: 13

Activities: REACH ensembles: Karen Sun, William Tang and Corey Hsiao played Christmas music. Collected and sorted toys, passed out toys to families, visited new Children's Center, collected over 300 toys

9. December 2013 - Coalition for the Homeless

REACH Participants: 2

Activities: Toys collected from REACH members, sent 100 toys to the downtown shelter.

10. February 2014 - Chinese New Year Eve Celebration - CAACF

REACH Participants: 6

Activites: Dragon Dance performed by Patrick Hsiao, Corey Hsiao, Antony Chung, Michael Chung, and Sunny Wong, some were our junior members.

11. February 2014 - Dragon Parade and Lunar New Year 2014

REACH participants: 27

Activities: Dragon dance performed by Quy, Patrick, Frank, Justin, William, Corey, Wendy, Julie, junior members: Antony, Michael, Sunny, and Karen did the drum; other officers and members participated in parade.

Volunteers: set up and tear down tents, help decoration, empty trash bag, ushering the VIP area etc. etc.

12. April 2014 - Radio Disney regarding Asian Heritage Month

REACH participants: 3

Activities: Promoted Asian heritage and culture.

13. April 2014 - Taiwan snack festival

REACH participants: 3 Activities: Fundraised \$300 Overall volunteer hours by REACH members this school year -858 hours, top three volunteers - Lujing Han, Luimei Han and Frank Lau each had more than 40 hours.

Membership:

Current members: 95

We started Junior Member last year in middle school.

President Report By

Frank Lau President 2013-2014 May 23, 2014