

BERRYESSA BULLETIN

Berryessa Citizens Advisory Council Advocates for District 4, and the Berryessa Union School District
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**Berryessa Citizens Advisory
Council Meeting
March 9, 2009
Berryessa Community Center
3050 Berryessa Road**

Please fill out a yellow speaker's card at the sign in table and check with Mike Flaughner at the beginning of the meeting if you wish to make an announcement.

- 1. 7:00 Call to Order and Welcome
Mike Flaughner**
- 2. 7:03 Minutes of February Meeting
Linda Locke**
- 3. 7:05 Treasurers Report
Marlou Bitcon**
- 4. 7:08 BCAC Citizen of the Year – 2008
Marlou Bitcon
Selection Process
Introductions of past recipients
Introduction of 2008 Citizen of
the Year**

Presentations by Elected Officials

**5. 7:45 Cultural/Ethnic Presentation:
The Chinese
Chris Zhou, BCAC Youth
Representative**

7. 8:25 Announcements

8:30 Adjournment

NEXT GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

April 13th, 2009

Next BCAC Executive Board meeting:
Monday, March 16 at 7:00
BUSD Office – 1376 Piedmont Road

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Minutes for BCAC, February 9, 2009

1. Call to order – 7:08
2. Approval of Minutes from January.
3. Treasurer's Report – \$2860.46 in account.
4. Police Report - Not available
5. Introduction to Advanced Security for your Home or Business

Mike Flaugher

Mike gave a brief explanation and introduction of the topic for tonight.

6. Locks – Risks and Solutions

Garage doors should be fully closed and the outside handles removed so that it becomes much more difficult for someone to get in. Also keep other outside that lead to inside locked. For sliding doors and windows there are sliding dead bolts. There are ways that are found on the web that teach people how and where to buy bump keys that can open any lock. Combination locks are much harder to break into to.

7. Windows – especially designed film on windows will make it tougher to break through. Baseballs, golf balls, rocks and even a sledge hammer will not penetrate the window that has been cover with the film. The window may break but will stay intact because of the film. The film comes in tint or clear. Members saw a demonstration of the tinted glass where Chris threw a hammer at the window 3 times. The window cracked but the hammer could not break through.
8. Alarm Systems – perimeter security. Motion detectors can also be used inside the house in several locations. The presenter answered many questions.

Announcements:

- a. Linda Locke announced that The Berryessa Education Foundation was sponsoring a raffle to benefit the children of Berryessa schools. Half of the money goes directly to the schools and the other half goes to the Foundation to provide grants to teachers for innovative programs. Tickets can be purchased at any of the school sites.



Submitted by Linda Locke

