Hart County Archway Partnership
June 2009
Month-End Update

Projects & Status

- **Education:**
  - 6/5: Submitted Save Our History grant application for funding for an 8th grade historical educational videos project about Hart County history
  - 6/9: Met with David Hicks to update list of school system needs for upcoming meeting with College of Education’s new Associate Dean for Outreach and Engagement
  - 6/30: Met with College of Education associate deans Ron Cervero and Jim Marshall, School Engagement Coordinator Janna Dresden, and Matt Bishop to discuss Hart County Schools needs and next steps

- **Tourism:**
  - 6/3: Bobby Chappell met with Pamela Camp, Tammy Mobley, and Bill Griggs to hear about their tourism efforts and get their input on the Megaramp strategic tourism marketing plan he’s developing
  - 6/9: Attended Hartwell Historic Preservation Commission meeting regarding Candler-Linder Home
  - 6/11: Met with Larry Torrence and Collin O’Berry to discuss potential landscape architecture internship opportunity with Lake Hartwell Marketing Alliance
  - 6/15: Follow-up meeting with Pamela Camp, Andrew Farnsworth, and Bobby Chappell regarding tourism strategic plan and Tourism Taskforce efforts
  - 6/24 and 6/24: Met with Andrew Farnsworth to discuss GA Tourism Foundation co-op grant possible proposal idea

- **Leadership:**
  - Leadership Hart has received $5,000 Community Leadership Initiative see grant funding
  - Jenni Johnson (intern) is assisting with developing a logo for Leadership Hart
  - Laure Murrah-Hanson (intern) is assisting with developing recruitment and application materials for Leadership Hart
  - 6/26: Jason Acosta met with Tracie Sanchez to discuss a business plan for Leadership Hart as a potential project option for the Terry College of Business’ Leonard Leaders. They are in the process of identifying viable student community projects for the upcoming year.

- **Planning & Visioning**
  - 6/1: Met with landscape architecture interns and Lawanda Curry to orient them to the Clay Street Park project and Gateway Industrial Park
  - 6/16: Met with John McKissick, Director of UGA Center for Agribusiness and Economic Development, Dwayne Dye, Doug Cleveland, and Mel Garber
  - 6/18: Met with Patrick Hand and landscape architecture interns Jenni Johnson, Miles McCullough, and Collin O’Berry for Patrick to share his LEED work at the new CD Controls building at Gateway
  - 6/19: Met with Jerry Byrum and Jon Caime to discuss fire department long-term plan and survey of neighboring/comparable county fire departments
  - 6/23: Met with Paul Thomas, Dwayne Dye, and Jon Caime regarding WiFi hot spots research project
Next Steps

- **Education:**
  - Continue working with College of Education’s new associate dean for outreach and engagement – set up time for them to visit Hart County Schools and David Hicks & Stan Davis
  - Work with Stephanie Tingler and School of Music to request a group to perform in the HCHS Performing Arts Center

- **Tourism:**
  - Work on connecting with anthropology about recording oral histories/interviews of long-time Hart County residents to preserve stories/memories - historical tourism efforts
  - Connect Pamela & Tammy to Athens CVB for tourism workshop session
  - Inquire with James Biddle in Grady College of Journalism about potential tourism video project
  - Send letter of inquiry to the Watson-Brown Foundation regarding the Candler-Linder home

- **Leadership:**
  - Work group to identify other leadership-related needs
  - Brainstorm with Charles Rice about ways to engage 4-H students in Archway projects
  - Assess interest in Learning in Retirement program?

- **Planning/Visioning:**
  - Continue working on Fire Department long-range plan

- **Public Health**
  - Plan with Jerry Wise for Laura’s College of Public Health student orientation tour
  - Resources for potential health fair? Haven’t heard updates from community partner

- **Archway Updates for Community:**
  - Hartwell Sun: Write update about summer interns and projects
  - Press release about CLI leadership grant for Leadership Hart

**Other Connections**

- 6/9: Provided Archway update to the Hart County Board of Commissioners
- 6/12: Met with Gail Webb, Clayton County Archway Professional – discussed National Outreach Scholarship Conference panel presentation
- 6/25 – 6/26: Attended Archway quarterly meetings in Athens

**Student Involvement**

**Interns:**

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<td>Review &amp; updates to policies &amp; procedures manual</td>
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**Intern Notes:**
- Other potential summer interns
  - Collin O’Berry: waiting to hear about landscape architecture internship with Lake Hartwell Marketing Alliance (they will pay him, no Archway contribution). He is currently assisting the Hartwell Downtown Development Authority with a small project.
  - Tracie Sanchez (MPA) has been communicating with Andrew Farnsworth – shared some good ideas about using social media like Facebook, twitter, etc to promote tourism

**Other Student Projects:**