Operation Honduras

Meeting Agenda

TGIF 880 Kidder St., Wilkes-Barre, PA (570) 823-9923

Feb 1st at 7:00 p.m.

Volunteer trip to San Pedro Sula, Honduras February 15 through February 22 2018

1) Introductions...Review volunteer list/daily itinerary sheet w/related info on handout (*please add missing information*)....please note volunteers have many service and recreational options...JIM DAVENPORT; Wyoming Valley Presbyterian Church..2 Lockhart St., Wilkes-Barre PA is kind enough to host a commissioning service for Operation Honduras volunteers to be held this Sunday Feb 4 at 10 a.m.

did anyone bring empty duffle bags to fill with donations? I go thru piles of them:)

2) Review of construction project ..new school at **Buena Inversion** status/engineering drawings approved/stamped:) by good offices of **Ted Gacomis**;

TOOL COORDINATIONSteve Davenport:

3) Discuss donations being delivered:

FOUR (4) BAGS DENTAL SUPPLIES THREE (3) 50# (already weighed) duffle bags full of BIBLES ... SIX (6) EYE GLASSES ... STARKEY? donations SOLFANELLI? donations

PLEASE be sure to label OUTSIDE of each bag with contents (duct tape..."DENTAL"..or "BIBLES"...or "SCHOOL SUPPLIES")

Our long term policy is to have 1 carry on and 1 checked in bag for the volunteer; (second checked in bag \$40; 1st checked in bag free..50 pound max per bag).

IF your second bag is filled with donations, please let me know and we will not assign a bag to you for transportation;...**** otherwise a checked bag will be assigned to you***

IF you have additional bags (more than 2 checked in bags) please let me know the number of bags and I will assign a volunteer to your additional checked in bag(s).

- 4)Honduras Security: ITS REPORTED TO BE THE WORST OF ANY OF OUR TRIPS:) please research on your own and make the right decision for you..Im going "as long as the airport is open"
- 5) Job site saftety...Steve Davenport
- 6) PLEASE solicit donations payable to Wyoming Valley Presbyterian Church, "WVPC" 2 Lockhart St., W--B PA 18702..memo; *OPERATION HONDURAS* we have received many pledges but need more.
- 7) who wants a Honduran cell phone *who didnt email ted* already? Christof purchased inexpensive phones (\$50 includes 100? minutes to USA) for us last year...I'll give Christof a total number with names allowing volunteers to call each other while in country. If you already have a phone you will likely need a replacement chip since the phone hasnt been used in more than 6 months?; I pay verizon an extra \$10 per day and am able to enjoy 100% of services I have at home.
- 8) Conclusion/Questions..... website: operationhonduras.com thank you Matt Petlock!