Variety National Conference Agenda (Tentative)

September 2005, Des Moines, Iowa

Wednesday September 28th

3:00 – 3:15 pm   Welcome (Sheri McMichael, Ana LaDou)
3:15 – 4:00 pm   Web development, fundraising (tbd)
4:00 – 5:00 pm   Role of ED, (Drake University, tbd)

Sponsored Dinner...details to follow.

Thursday September 29th

8:30 am   Continental breakfast
8:30 – 9:15am   International presentation
9:15 -10:00 am   USV Financial standards and forms (USV Accounting firm)
10:00 – 10:30 am  Youth Ambassadors (Des Moines, Philly)
10:30 – 11:30 am  Meet the Funders (Hyvee, Wellmark)
11:30 - 1:00pm   Out for lunch, busses in front
1:00 - 2:00 pm   State of the Union (Ana LaDou)
2:00 – 3:00 pm   Satellite Offices (McMichael, Pack, outside speaker tbd)
3:00 - 4:00 pm   HR, Hiring practices (tbd)
4:00 – 4:30 pm   Insurance (Dana companies insurance)
4:30 – 5:00 pm   Young Variety

USV Awards Dinner, location tbd, open to Des Moines membership

Friday September 30

8:00 am   Continental breakfast
8:30-9:15 - 10:00 am   Bequests (tbd)
9:15 - 10:00 am   Videotape interviews, crisis communication (tbd)
10:00 – 11:00 am   How do we get our message across? (John Forsythe)
11:00 – 12:00 pm  Board Development (tbd)
12:00- 1:00 pm   Lunch
1:00-2:00 pm   ED& Presidents break out sessions
2:00 – 3:00 pm   Public Relations (Mike Burns PR, USV PR Chairman)
3:00 – 5:00 pm   Mentorship program
                 Bylaws (Ed Jablonski)
                 Sunshine Coaches (Bruce Rosen)
                 Mobility program (Steve Wilmont)
                 Closing comments, new national initiatives (Ana LaDou)
                 Report from ED & CB breakout sessions (Hogue, Pack, McMichael)
                 Gold Hearts update (Ana LaDou, Nancy Klueter)

Saturday October 1st - Tour of local charities