

Youth Alcohol & Drug Project

STEERING COMMITTEE

Meeting Minutes

Monday October 12, 2009

4:00 pm Margaret Rivers Room Stillwater Public Library

Members attending: Paul Jennings, Chuck Ochocki, Kate Flynn, Kathryn Schneider, Keri Aldriddle, Kris Huntley, Mike Huntley, Pat Zanko, Paul Erickson, Aaron Drevlow, Rose Hauge

1. Approve Agenda & Last Meeting's Minutes.....
Minutes and agenda approved by unanimous vote.
2. Sign-In & Welcome New Committee Members and Visitors.....
Members attending are noted above. We welcomed new attendee Aaron Drevlow
3. Publicity & Community Relations.....
 - A. Newspaper articles: Should be seeing some local coverage soon in conjunction with Barn Bash and the Halloween Party
 - B. New logo for Youth Alcohol & Drug *Project*: Paul reported we may need to find another volunteer to do the design- please contact him with any possible leads
4. Financial Support/Budget.....
 - A. No funding requests for this month
5. Committee Development.....
 - A. Recruiting (including project teams): Nothing new to report.
 - B. Future Scheduled Presentations:
 - Pending- Emily Bowman- GTC Big Brothers/Big Sisters
 - Pending- Pete Smith, Sunrise Rotary STRIVE Program
 - Pending- 4-H After School Program (need contact person's name)
 - Pending- Parents Who Host Lose the Most (Gail?)
6. Project Planning.....

Project teams- monthly reports, discussion of worksheet projects under goal selections

 - A. Team 4/5.....parent support group. Paul reported for this group as we are still looking for a preplacement for MJ Dunn as team leader (MJ wants to stay involved though). Paul reported that he, Kris Huntley and Pat Zanko had met with Paul Weiler and Mike Huntley at YSB. Although they had a good meeting Paul Weiler has notified us that they can't help us at the current time. He said he'd contacted Paul Kuppe at HSI and he is very interested in meeting with us. Paul will get a meeting set up and report back.
 - C. Team 2/3.....teen spring bash (Becca Wilson) Two events scheduled are the barn party (October 9) in conjunction with local youth ministries and also a halloween costume party at the armory (October 30th). Becca and others working on this updated us. We had about 50 at the Barn Bash and are hoping for about 100 at the Halloween Costume Party. Both are being promoted and spread on Facebook, Twitter and texting.

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D. Team 1.....advocacy (Paul Erickson, Team Leader) Paul reported that they were Still waiting for numbers to analyze. He went over what they are hoping to establish and how. He should have more to report next meeting after they have had the numbers to work on.

7. Old Business
None discussed.

8. New Business.....
None discussed.

9. Next Meeting Will Be: Monday Oct. 12, 2009 (second Monday) at 4:00 pm.

10. Adjourn.....
Meeting adjourned at 5:30 pm

Respectfully submitted,

Paul Jennings
Chairman