



Mission: "Community members collaborate to educate, prevent and reduce youth substance use in Winnebago County."

Vision: Winnebago County will be a safe and substance abuse free environment for youth

WCTF Meeting Minutes

June 14, 2016

Location: Lake Mills High School

Present: Jim Scholbrock, Krista Tegland, Molly Beckmann, Meagan Wentz, Audrey Lewis, Keri Bergeson, Jordan Ostrander, Steve Hepperly, and Adam Sauer.

Meeting was called to order by Krista Tegland. Introductions were made.

Review/Approve of May 17, 2016 meeting minutes: Approved as written by Krista Tegland and Seconded by Molly Beckmann. Motion carried and approved.

1. Update/discussion on Tree Town Music festival:
 - a) 2 audits performed by Waldorf students (see completed handouts)
 - b) 400 postcards sent out. 50 signs placed prior to festival.
 - c) Feedback to provide to Tree Town Festival:
 - 1) Increase the lighting in the campground
 - 2) Decrease number of unattended beer coolers
 - 3) Police: in uniform versus t-shirt
 - 4) Youth: rumor of underage drinking 1st night but not after secondary to getting caught
 - d) Goals for next year: at least 100 signs posted. Possible sticker above the hand washing unit to raise awareness of underage drinking. Possible video/billboard.
2. Program Director/Project Coordinator update:
 - a) Radioathon: June 10th: KOWA; volunteers sparse however first year. Raised \$4,500.
 - b) North Iowa Youth Event: June 21, 2016, 6-10 pm. Youth in the park: Incoming 5th graders to Incoming 8th graders; Pool party in Buffalo Center: Incoming 9th grade to graduated seniors: 9-10. Student liaison Jordan Ostrander reports placing signage and obtaining donations (see flyer).
 - c) Jason and Libby attend Academy 3 June 26-July 1st
 - d) Through the Eyes of Our Youth: Photo/Voice: Created in March 2016. Positive feedback provided.
 - e) New video idea: "Text a question". Taking (+) and (-) pictures of the community and asking a question with answer.
3. Local Events:

- a) Fair: sign up to work booth July 21-24. Goal: Discuss mission of Task Force. Possibility of a computer available for parents to complete a questionnaire.
- b) July Jubilee: Date:7/8-10 Volunteers needed to hang posters
- c) Buffalo Center Fireman's Street Dance: 7/2 Volunteers needed to hang posters
- d) Puckerbrush Day's: 7/14-17 Volunteers needed to hang posters
- e) Meat and Music Spectacular Buffalo Center IA: August 13th, 2016: Volunteers needed to hang posters
- 4. Other agency updates
 - a) Winnebago County Tobacco Coalition Update-updated not provided
 - b) Prairie Ridge now has a quarterly newsletter (see handout)
 - c) Farmers Market: Lake Mills: Possible WCTF table
 - d) Mason City Youth Task Force: Community Based Training (professionals working with the youth) focusing on needs/ideas for youth behavioral health issues

Board noted all above

Next Meeting: August 18th from 12:00-1:00 in Forest City, IA. Motion made to adjourn meeting by Jim Scholbrock, Meagan Wentz moved. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned.