



**SKPP Coalition Meeting**  
**September 11, 2014**  
**SKPD Community Room 4:30-6:30**

**IN ATTENDANCE:** Kathy Egan, Martha Barbera, Sally Genest, Keith McNamar, Capt. Joel Ewing-Chow, Ryan Doyle, Scott Mueller, Javen Genest, Maureen Tissiere, Jon Kimpton, Lena Genest, Heidi Driscoll

**Old Business:**

- Minutes approved for May Meeting
- **CCMS Lock In** - Huge success, 75-80 students in attendance, 15 student chaperones from high school, will become an annual event
- **Waves Game**- Ryan Doyle threw out first pitch. 2-3 Students from each of the elementary schools and BRMS were recognized before game for being peer role models in their school. Parent resources were handed out. One disappointment was during the weekend of July 4<sup>th</sup> all the banners were stolen from OMF, ours included!
- **Summer Conferences**- Heidi attended CADCA and a prevention school in Worcester.
- **Restorative Practices**- Heidi and 11 others including school administrators, teachers and a school committee member attended a RP conference in July. District is in the process of “rolling out” portions of it and hopefully piloting with the 9<sup>th</sup> grade. Kathy Egan reported BRMS has used several circle groups for parents, teachers and students. All met with enthusiasm.
- **A2E**- Committee meeting next week, in the process of finalizing policy to present to school committee in Oct or November.
- **Health and Wellness Bookmarks**- Last spring a weak area was identified by our students, the lack of knowledge of who the health and wellness professionals were at SKHS. A sticker was designed for the schools planners and we stuck 1052 stickers!!!!
- **Chris Herron**- Approximately 400 students were present, great presentation. Martha looking into Chris coming to speak to the 8<sup>th</sup> grade.

**New Business:**

- **Unintended Consequences**- A panel discussion revolving around the “Unintended Consequences” of Legalization of Marijuana. **MONDAY, OCTOBER 20, 6:30 pm, AMALFI’S THEATRE, Narragansett.** Jon will be the moderator and Celeste will be one of the panelists. Other panelists include Kevin Sabet, National Speaker on Drug Policy, Joe Lindbeck, Asst Atty General, Nancy Denuccio, Ocean State Prevention Alliance.  
**Heidi will be sending out flyers to everyone on the coalition, please blitz your friends**

**and colleagues.** We can fit 250 and I really want a full house!!!! Invitations are going out to Town Council, School Committee, Administrators, Police and Fire Chief.

- **Youth Coalition**-We are beginning a youth coalition at SKHS, Congratulations to our 3 Youth leaders who will be running this, EMMA MATHER, JAVEN GENEST AND RYAN DOYLE.
- **Website:** Coming Soon!!!! Hopefully by our next meeting.
- **Community Service Youth Guide**- In the process of updating guide for students who wish to participate in community service. Last updated in 2010
- **DFC Grant**- Still waiting!! Announcement should be made week of Sept 15.
- **Law Enforcement Update:** Capt. Ewing Chow reported nothing significant over summer occurred with youth in our community. Funds are being allocated to have extra detailed officers at the Iggy Azalea concert on Sat Sept 27<sup>th</sup>. Attendance at this concert is expected to be 4000-5000. Most likely many middle and high school aged students. Town of SK finally received its Med disposal unit. We applied under a grant from CVS and were awarded a free unit. Over the next month we will have it up and running. There will be multiple press releases surrounding this.
- **Chalk it Up Event**- Washington County Children's Coalition is sponsoring an anti- bullying event, Oct 18 from 11-2 on Main Street. SKPP will have a table at the event handing out parent resources and we will be applying temporary tattoos, the YMCA will be face painting right next to us. **Volunteers needed**
- **Open Discussion**- Kathy Egan reported out that all the PTO's in town are sponsoring a night with John Rosemond: A Six Point Plan for Raising Healthy Children, Tuesday, Oct 7<sup>th</sup>, 7-8:30, SKHS Auditorium. SKPP will look into handing out parent resources at the event.

**10 in 10 Training:**

**Please see attached**

**As important it is for me to be knowledgeable, it is equally as important for the coalition to be able to speak about current trends and legislation. Knowledge makes us be able to start the conversation!!!**

**Future Meetings: All held at SKPD Community Room 4:30-6:30**

**Oct 9**

**November 13**

**December 11**

**January 8**

**February 12**

**March 12**

**April 9**

**May 14**