



TPC Minutes 3/12/21

Attending: Susan Tucker, Josh Nolan, Hannah Gee, Jaime McGreal, Josh Hunt, Barbara Lorson, Lesy Herbert, Laura Sanders, Adam Moss, Nonya Wenger, Kristie Skaggs

Agenda Item	Discussion	Next Steps/Follow-Up	Who?
Previous Month's Minutes	Meeting called to order at 12:03 p.m. Introductions and ice breaker question Barbara moved to accept the minutes, Susan seconded, minutes passed		
Hannah Gee, Catholic Charities 330-317-8138 hlgee@ccdocle.org	Created a new program—Youth Engagement Specialist (Y.E.S.) Program Launched in Orrville, expanded countywide in July 2020	Keeps young citizens (up to 18 years old) in their home and community Connects families and youth to community opportunities and resources Works to decrease youth's negative interaction with law enforcement Builds positive connections with law enforcement The program is 100% free and voluntary Law enforcement and School Resource Officers refers youth to the program They seek to stay family-centered Eligibility: At-risk youth and youth whose family needs resources Provides brief educational interventions/strategies Creates safety plans Put on seminars for parents of teens ages 13-16 They seek to meet the need for educational opportunities outside the school setting, leveraging schools' extracurriculars, advocating for youth and families' needs Places for youth to feel connected/have healthy relationships; opportunities for youth who are in beginning stages of experimenting with illegal substances	We hope Hannah will continue to be involved with our Coalition!
Action Plan/Finance update	Lisa not present, no update		
No Vaping Signs Kristie	Incentive ideas Pass out to businesses Billboards	We are starting to receive requests for decals. We could create an incentive for businesses and organizations to participate; for example, send in a photo of your window decal to be featured on our Facebook page and be entered for a drawing to receive free donuts/gift card to Heartland Point or Mrs. J's Our next step is for members to go around to businesses offering the decals and a TPC brochure Billboards going up hopefully next week on Smucker Rd and Back Orrville	All Email Kristie (skaggsk@one-eighty.org) if you want decals to pass out in Orrville



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County Town Hall	Could partner with CIRCLE and Rittman SALT Coalitions	<p>Both RS and CIRCLE Coalitions have \$750 stipends for an event; they are discussing whether to do a virtual one or wait until the Fall to see if we can do it in person. We would like to hold a countywide town hall meeting with a panel to discuss the prevalence of alcohol and other substances among our students</p> <p>Hannah brought up the issue of mixing substances as a possible topic Adam mentioned that we should discuss kids abusing prescription medications at home, as this is a main focus in the DARE program right now</p>	<p>TPC to promote the event and have input on planning</p> <p>Email Kristie with ideas</p>
OrrViews	Parent Alerts and Press Releases	Keep an eye out for OrrViews articles from Turning Point Coalition	Email Kristie if you see any published
Youth Committee (RAPA)	STEM opportunity/funding	<p>Dr. Vierheller is going into Orrville schools on Mondays at 3 to hold STEM training sessions for any students who wish to show up. They work on 3D printing, laser engraving, robotics, drone coding/programming on chromebooks, flying drones, and flight simulators</p> <p>He mentioned a need for youth leadership on days when they program and fly drones, since there are too many students for him to oversee alone. This could be a good opportunity for RAPA.</p> <p>There is also the possibility for us to provide him with funding for a desktop CNC machine and/or aviation simulation.</p> <p>Group discussed having the DARE officers tell Middle Schoolers about RAPA when they are doing their trainings in the classrooms and at the Boys and Girls Club as a way to recruit Middle Schoolers.</p>	<p>Kristie</p> <p>DARE officers</p>
Coalition Education	DAWN report	Emergency Room visits involving illicit substances by community type (pages 10-11)	
Other business	<p>Advocacy Week Update</p> <p>Healthy Kids Week</p>	<p>Coalition members talked with Senator Roegner and Representative Wiggam's aide about prevention, funding, and the work our Coalitions are doing (Zoom)</p> <p>TPC can have an information booth at YMCA's Healthy Kids Week in April</p>	Executive Committee



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	<p>Parents Who Host Planning</p> <p>ADAPAO Conference</p>	<p>The Finance Committee will be discussing whether or not we will purchase the new materials with the new logo from Prevention Action Alliance. Respond to us if you want PWH signs/brochures for this year's campaign</p> <p>May 4-6 virtual prevention conference</p>	<p>Finance Committee</p> <p>Email Nonya or Kristie if you want PWH signs and brochures</p> <p>Let Nonya or Kristie know if you are interested in attending</p>
Upcoming Events	<p>Executive Committee Meeting</p> <p>Full Coalition Meeting</p>	<p>April 2 @ 8:30 on Zoom</p> <p>April 9 @ 8:30 AM on Zoom</p>	<p>Exec Committee</p> <p>Speaker: Josh Nolan, Boys & Girls Club</p>