

Barrington's Substance Abuse Task Force

Drug Free Community Coalition

Barrington High School

220 Lincoln Avenue Barrington, RI 02806

June 2, 2014 at 8:45 am.

Goals of Meeting: Marijuana Presentation,

Ten Years of Prevention – Brainstorming Session

Minutes

Attendance:

Present: Kathy Sullivan (Staff), Dr. Kristen Westmoreland (Staff), Joanne Royley (School), Stacie McLoughlin (Parent), Marta Iachetta (School), Heather Annis (Faith Community), Deb Jerome (Civic group), Sara Kriz (media), Heidi Fanion (Parent), Jen

Not present: Deena Davis (Parent), Martha Donovan (Parent), Eileen Johnson (Healthcare), Alexandra Ray (youth), Denise Alves (State Organization with Expertise in field of substance abuse), Harper Berriman (youth), Diane Block (health care), Bill Cameron (business), Grethe Cobb (healthcare), Claudia Gordon (Parent), Maureen Janetta (School), Bob Shea (School), Chuck Lzbash (Youth Serving Organization), Eleanor Swe (Parent), Kim Kelly (youth), Ariel Alves (youth), Susan Freel (parent), Jonathan Ashuler (School), Elsie

Wright (School), Deb Perugini (staff), Chief John LaCross (Law Enforcement), Achina Stein (Organization involved in Reducing Substance Use),

Presentation

Dr. Kristen Westmoreland presented a ppt on local Marijuana statistics.

Celebrating the BAY Team

Heather Annis lead the group in a brainstorming session to plan a community art installation to celebrate ten years of the BAY Team. We considered ways to involved the schools and community. An idea that took shape is to have some type of mural that might be formatted into puzzle pieces. The pieces (small replicas) could be hidden in the community. Once and piece is found, the art will gradually reveal itself. More ideas are needed. We can submit those to Heather at heather@stjohnsbarrington.org

Committee Reports

We did not have committee reports due to time restrictions.

Parenting Marijuana

Policy BAY Youth/CHOICES/St. Andrews

Prescription Drug Sustainability

Any Other Business:

Len Cabral will be story telling at Bay Spring Community Center.