

Minutes for the meeting of the East Providence Cancer Control Task Force 5-01-06

- Meeting commenced. Roll call taken. Sign in sheet passed around.**
- Date for walk June 17, 2006 at 9am.**
- Rose Larissa Park Structure to be utilized.**
- Police have been notified.**
- June 12, 2006 meeting with Barbara Morse Silva discussed. Any members who wish to give an interview are welcomed to do so.**
- Possible length for walk 3 times around terrace. Approximately 1 hour.**
 - Center streets may be used for a quick “escape“**
- Post is writing an article about the walk, any members who wish to make a comment are more than welcome.**
- Advertising for the walk:**
 - Posters**
 - Banner Sign (Hung for June 1- June 17 if availability exists)**
 - Pamphlets (each member to distribute)**
- Official name for walk discussed. We decided on: The Norman Miranda and Zachary Dauphnee 1st Annual Cancer Support Walk.**
- All donations and proceeds from the walk will go to the Miranda and Dauphnee families.**
- Letter to be drafted to be sent out to delegates and local businesses inside personally written invitations from Zachary’s school mates.**
- Concession Donations discussed.**
 - Wal Mart (water?)**
 - Shaws (fruit stand?)**

-Dels stand

-Concession Stand in front of carousel to be asked if they will open for the event

-Band-Aids

-Cable TV to be contacted to possibly run story about walk.

-Balloons and/or t shirts to be made/donated

-3 torches to be held during opening ceremony

1 for those who have passed away

1 for those who have survived

1 for those who are battling this disease

-Jane Pumple arrives. She will be providing the invitations from Zachary's school mates.

-RI Cancer Council member agrees to bring literature to the walk on all types of cancer. Some hopefully in Portuguese and definitely in English and Spanish.

-Discussed how cancer affects every race and creed of people. Young or old.

-Information on the statistics of people in RI or better yet East Providence with cancer will be looked for on the Department of Health's web site.

-Most importantly we have to get the word out on early prevention and testing.

-Banner locations discussed. One already approved will be hung in front of the East Providence High School. Another possibility is on Pawtucket Ave. near St. Margaret's church. We will seek permission to do so or find an alternate location.

-Meeting is called to an end with all members agreeing.