

Minutes for the meeting of the East Providence Cancer Control Task Force 6-28-06

-Meeting commenced. Roll call taken.

-Heritage Fest date July 21-23

-Our booth will have a dermascan provided by the American Cancer Society.

-RI Cancer Council, RI Health Dept., NIH, and American Cancer Society to provide materials for distribution.

-Send a letter to 2 physicians about coming to our booth to speak with people.

-Our main goal is to teach our community to know your body and not let a Dr. give a false sense of health. If you feel something is wrong go for a second opinion.

-5 main cancers to focus on at Heritage Fest:

Lung

Breast

Prostate

Colon

Ovarian

-Members to find time to work at booth (3-4 at all times)

Our booth will be open: Friday 6-8 Saturday 1-8 Sunday 1-8

With setup at 3pm on Friday

-Ask Lisa Larisa about using the tent cover for our booth.

-Possibly helping other towns to form a task force is another goal set out.

-Form an anonymous questionnaire for our booth to help us form

statistics in our community.

-Ed Thornton Jr. resigns

-Meeting called to adjournment.