Spencer County Family Resource & Youth Service Center

Advisory Council Minutes from Nov. 15, 2011

**ADVISORY COUNCIL MEMBERS PRESENT**: Janie Koch, Sandra Reyes, Curtis Franklin, Herettia Cox, Bridgett Hoskins, Tandy Sauer, Debra Cunningham, Todd Richardson, Angela Hunt Schwartz, Chuck Adams, Jessica Cox, Sandy Evans, Ashley Durrett, Anna Harley, Katlyn Whitaker, Mollie Tichenor, Allison Lewis, Norma Thurman, Cindy Hayes, Annette King, Deanna Felts, Becky Wilson, Kaye Lloyd, Vonda Martin, Lenna Allison, Eleschia Murphy

1. **CALL MEETING TO ORDER**: Mollie Tichenor
2. **APPROVAL of 9/29/11 MINUTES**: Approved
3. **SPECIAL DISCUSSION**: Drop out Prevention – Norma Thurman discussed getting the community involved so that everyone values education. Keeping the entire community with a positive influence in education.
   1. Becky Wilson added that Region 6 is going strong on Drop Out Prevention through both FRC & YSC
   2. Suggestion from Smith is to approach adult education to educatie parents that have dropped out
4. **FRC & YSC OLD BUSINESS**
   1. Region 6 Adv Council Mtg 11/3
   2. At the Ministry Appreciation Breakfast 10/26/11 program information was shared
   3. Red Ribbon Week Activities were discussed for 10/24-10/31

CAN – Put red ribbons around the community. Proclamation was in Spencer Magnet

* 1. Angela Swartz & Vonda went to Hear Our Cry/Boys in Crisis on 10/20. They learned how boys & girls learn differently & the tools on how to effectively teach. The need for positive male role models & that more girls go to college than boys.
  2. Mollie Tichenor said that a lot of money was raised from Zumba Breast Cancers “Party in Pink”
  3. Missie Davis recipient of Habit for Humanity Home initiated food drive for the Backpack Buddy program, Becky added that this was great PR because a lot of community people weren’t aware of the Backpack Buddy program
  4. Community Baby Shower at the Health Dept on 10/7 had wonderful presentations and a great turnout. Deanna Felts had said this was a great collaboration of Comm Partners and more Fathers were there
  5. I & R Reports were completed 9/30

1. **NEW FRC & YSC BUSINESS**:
   1. Area Churches served Thanksgiving Baskets & Meals
   2. Christmas Assist Apps due 11/18/11 – we have many new families this year that have never been served. The Sheriffs Dept is doing Shining Stars & Trooper Turley is doing Shop with a Trooper – MPCAA does a budget workshop with all families signed up for Christmas Assistance
   3. Due to previous funds being cut an Early Childhood/Parent Program is need to serve families of Little Ones – program will be held 11/18 at extension office at 10am
   4. SCHS kicked off a food drive – MS will be the next week – Hunters for the Hungry will add to the Christmas Boxes
   5. SMILE KY 11/10 -11/11 will be done at TES, SCES & SCMS
   6. Jack Senior wants DCBS to do a presentation to his bus drivers to watch for child abuse
   7. Teresa Buechele said we received $1200 from CCC last year
   8. Mentoring Programs continue at all schools
   9. Chad Goodlett will be working with the 5 teen Fathers 12/8 & we currently have 9 teen moms that all meet in group once each week
   10. We are currently distributing 185 backpack buddies throughout the district thanks to community donations and support. Elva Fields earrings donates $10 of each earring sale toward bp buddies
   11. We must complete needs assessments – Continuation Program Plans due 2/15
   12. FRYSC has monthly meetings with ECE, 7 counties, IMPACT, LIAC, MDT – this is a great partnership with community and schools
   13. December 1st is Region 6 Coordinators Meeting
2. **FRC** – **Becky Wilson, Teresa Buechele, Kaye Lloyd**
   1. Financial Report was reviewed $2500 was received from the Board for student needs & programs
   2. Cindy Hayes said K-1 received Scrubby Bear presentations for TES, & SCES
   3. SCES Fall Festival was 11/4
   4. TES Family Fun Night 10/6 – 150 in attendance
   5. TES Muffins with Mom 10/5 – SCES Donuts with Dads
3. **YSC** – **Vonda Martin, Lenna Allison, Eleschia Murphy**
   1. Financial Report was not reviewed due to technical difficulties
   2. SADD 11/4 – Ashley Durrett said that Trooper Turley came in to discuss Red Ribbon Week & Healthy Dating – Sweet 16 is for Sophomores & there were 180 in attendance
   3. Mollie, Allison & Eleschia do the Food & Nutrition Club & there are 16 students at SCHS that shows up each month
   4. Dedra, Donna & Angela do the Future Health Careers Club monthly at SCHS
   5. Angela Allison & Ms. Jacobson do the Diversity Club at SCMS
   6. Nurse Kathy Dippel & Lenna Allison did 8th grade Breast Cancer Awareness at SCMS
   7. Impaired Driving Simulation was done at SCMS 11/21 8 11/22
   8. This is 3rd year that SCHS has “Close the Deal” for HS Seniors
   9. 30 students will attend a fieldtrip to Campbellsville & Berea Colleges with Guidance, College Coach & YSC staff
4. **COMMUNITY UPDATES**
   1. Farewell & Best Wishes to Candace Selph
   2. CAN Meeting following Advisory Council Meeting all was invited to stay
   3. 11/20 Community Thanksgiving Service at Taylorsville United Methodist w/Greg Knapper – Offering for Toy Sale
   4. Toy Sale Sign Ups – Nov 28 10-2 & Dec 2 10-2 at Gathering on Main Street
   5. Toy Sale – First Baptist 12/10 from 10-12
   6. KHEAA is having a workshop on 12/6 “Paying for College 101”
   7. 12/13 Christmas Bash at MPCAA
   8. 4-H & Extension – Needs Healthy Heroes Nominations
   9. Community Outreach for home improvements
5. **NEXT MEETING DATE**
   1. January 26th at the Taylorsville United Methodist Church
6. **ADJOURNMENT** – Mollie Tichenor adjourned the meeting