



Montville Youth Advisory Board

Minutes

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May 11, 2017

6:00 p.m.

Members Present: Chairman: Daniel Dunn, Susan Rickards, Lt Lenny Bunnell, Alley Schmeizl, Tim Shanahan, Caitlyn Withey

Also Present: MYSB Director Barbara Lockhart, Liaison Councilman Tim May

Absent: Megan Bishop, Brie Messer, Dan Boisvert, Bethany Caron, Grace Carlos, William Carlos

The meeting was called to order at 6:08pm

I. Chairman's Report

- A. Minutes Approval – **April Minutes correction – Barbara did not attend meeting as noted**
- B. Communications/Correspondence

II. New Business, Programs, Events & Fundraisers

- A. CT Tigers Game Fundraiser
 - June 23, 2017 – Tickets are \$10 and MYSB will receive \$5 for every ticket sold – tickets were handed out to the Board for all members to sell
- B. Summer Center 2017
 - 10 spots open
- C. Montville Community Booklet
 - Rough draft is being reviewed; the community really likes the booklet. The new printer will be The Day and MYSB will solicit the ads. Many businesses have committed to ad space. Printed 3 times a year. Release date will be announced soon.

III. Old Business

- A. Mohegan Sun Concert
 - Eric Church benefit concert. Proceeds split between Social Services and Youth Services – approximately \$3,000 each
- B. Ben & Jerry's
 - Article in the Montville Times. The amount raised is \$5,000. (\$4,699 raised and the tribe raised it to \$5,000)
 - Discussion of using the funds for a regulation-size volleyball court; YSB usage weekly during the day; open to the community off hours, motion to explore allocating money to volleyball court, first by Lt. Bunnell, 2nd by Susan R. motion carried

C. YSB Day at the Capitol

- Youth from across the state participated and people were on hand to answer question; legislators participated too. CTJJA conducted focus groups about disproportionately in arrests

D. Community Conversation

- Rescheduled to October and will focus on the connection between mental health and addiction. Childcare will be provided.

E. Pancake Breakfast

- October 15, 2017 at the Mohegan Fire House

F. Fun Days

- Derek the Magician, Riverside Reptiles, Tie Dye and Popsicles, Ice Cream Social and Cinco De Mayo Chips and Salsa were the week's activities

IV. YAC (Youth Action Council)

A. Penny Drive 2017 Update

- Penny Play Day – May 26th 2pm – 4pm, high school volunteers will help run the event

B. Stall Street Journal – Suicide Awareness

- Volume 3 is focusing on Suicide prevention
- June's issue will focus on safe driving

V. Good & Welfare

- A. Ben & Jerry's and Mohegan Sun Concert as mentioned above

VI. JRB Update (Cases, Dispositions, Referrals)

A. JRB/LIST Conference

- Research study being conducted by UCONN Research Center to evaluate the JRB model. Montville may be a participant

VII. Other Business

- A. June 23rd at 5:00pm is the budget presentation at the Finance Committee meeting

VIII. Adjournment

Meeting was adjourned at 7:05 p.m.

IX. Next Meeting – June 8, 2017 - 6:00pm

Respectfully Submitted: Allyson Schmeizl (MYAB Secretary)
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