



Montville Youth Advisory Board Minutes

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September 9, 2021
6:00 p.m.
Montville Community Center

Members Present: Chairman: Daniel Dunn, Tim Shanahan, Dan Boisvert, Brianne Messer, Loretta Drain, Susan Rickards, Sheelagh Lapinski

Also Present: MYSB Director Barbara Lockhart, Liaison Councilman Lenny Bunnell, Youth Liaison Brendan Duhamel

Member of the Public Present: Karen Duhamel

Absent: William Carlos, Vouise Fonville, Officer Karen Aleshire

The meeting was called to order at 6:04 p.m.

I. Chairman's Report

- Communications/Correspondence
 - No report
- Other Business to Report
 - No report

II. Town Council Liaison Update

- No report

III. New Business

- Trainings and Presentations 2021-2022
 - October 8, 2021 – QPR & NARCAN training, 20 school officials will be attending
 - Barb has been offered virtual training opportunities
 - Follow-up film to “Like” called “Angst” (see attached flyer for QR code)
 - Barb is taking a lot of trainings for mental health
- Mud Run 2021
 - Another successful Mud Run was held on 8/21/21 – looking to push it out to September next year
 - Over 80 participants (see our Facebook page for pictures)
 - Great partnership with Youth Services, Parks and Rec and Oakdale Fire
- Basket Raffle 2021
 - We will be conducting another Basket Raffle this year at all polling sites and continue to the end of November

- ARP Funds for MYSB/MCC
 - Must be used by 2024
 - Barb shared her ideas with Town Council members (upgrade homework room, repave back lot to make it more community friendly)
 - STEEP Grant \$75,000 for new gym floor and heaters/ventilation system
- Blood Drive
 - Tuesday, October 5th at the Montville Community Center 12:00 – 4:30pm, please sign up if you can

IV. Old Business

- Summer Center Program
 - Almost full
 - Field trips went very well and had a police officer on every trip (community policing)
 - All of the participants and staff had a great summer!
- ASP 2021-2022
 - 65 slots and 5 for DCF (we are at 36 and receive new participants every week)
 - Everyone must wear masks in the building
- Remembrance Quilt
 - Some of the squares that we have received so far are on display at the PD
 - Need at least 36 squares – about ½ are done (materials are free)
 - Local quilter will sew together
- Pod Cast Update
 - Dan Dunn was interviewed and Jen Buckley from SERAC
 - Lt Dave Radford and Detective Britney Noyce will be interviewed soon
 - Uncasville Diner owner will also be interviewed in the future

V. YAC (Youth Action Council)

- Meetings are held on the first Wednesday of the Month
- Middle School YAC starts on October 6th
- YAC members will participate in NARCAN training
- Will complete small crosswalk
- Google classroom for those who would like to attend
- Stall Street Journal will be about back to school
- YAC will focus on mental health

VI. Good & Welfare

- Montville Youth Services paid to have an ice cream truck at their senior outing

VII. JRB Update (Cases, Dispositions, Referrals)

- Cases
 - Court will not be taking certain cases

- Community Diversion Plan Update
 - Barb will keep us updated

- Restorative Practice Trainings
 - Barb will send link when she receives it

VIII. Other Business

- Grants (State & Local)
 - All are whole, DHMAS was doubled

- Budgets (State & Local)

X. Adjournment

Meeting was adjourned at 7:00pm

XI. Next Meeting

October 14, 2021

Respectfully Submitted: Brianne Messer
Reviewed and typed by Dianne Peltier, MYSB Administrative Assistant