

Greater Omaha Healthy Community / Healthy Youth Board Meeting
UNO Alumni Center
Minutes January 12, 2010

Boards Members Absent: Heather Phipps, Shelley Henderson, Leon Haith

- A. Called the meeting to order 11:34 AM.
- B. Roll call was taken and introductions were made.
- C. There were no public comments.
- D. Routine Matters- Minutes from previous meeting were approved.
- E. Informational Ideas
 - a. Upcoming presentations – PIC Conference, Teammates Conference
- F. Old Business
 - a. Marketing Committee Update – business partnerships
 - b. Business Partnerships

PRIDE, Sol Kleinsmith indicated some resources to access neighborhood newsletters.

Partners for Method Prevention upcoming training.

G. New Business

- 1. March 29, 30 Region 6 Clay Roberts Assets into Action. Clay will specifically focus on assets that are related to substance abuse prevention and how those assets can be increased in children. Part of the time will be strategic planning for organizations. Space for 100. Free with some food. Location right now is Hilton Garden Inn near Village Pointe. Info will go through Region 6 and we will help to promote. Available to members of any coalition served by Region 6 ex; Livewise and HCHY need to be present.
- 2. TBD Building Bright Futures – Kim – ongoing trainings
Possible Train the Trainers? Do a day and a half. First day TOT. Second day planning for the organizations.

Sol Kleinsmith talked about his experiences with grass roots organizations ex: calling campaign.

Nate Eklund to work with schools – training in late February as follow ups / new people. Separate training for principals in June.

Great Places to Learn Research – update and information on norming group and possibilities for local research.

Search research on 9 key academic assets for student success.

H. Region 6 – GO HCHY will need to complete a survey for the block grant. Goal is 80 of membership. We will send it out to membership with a link and ask people to complete it. It takes 10 – 15 minutes. Similar to our assessment from AIM last year.

Region 6 – Youth Training at Mahoney State Park. Sent email and only received a few back. Please get names of possible kids (membership in regional prevention youth planning committee) to Jeff, Crystal, or Jona. Group will meet 4 x per year. Will spend some time looking at grant, youth activism.

Livewise has a town hall coming up February 16 in Bellevue. Ask for our help in getting the word out.

Gwen Williams – send Gwen some flyers that can be easily distributed info about assets and how to build them.

Partners for Meth Prevention distributed some information regarding presentations that are available in Nebraska and Iowa. Willing to partner. Strategy building. January 22nd 9:00 am at Micah House in Council Bluffs. 1415 Avenue J. Kick off event in May would like to partner with us.

Outward Bound – international outdoor education. Office at Omaha Home for Boys. Looking for ways to partner with groups in Omaha. Liz Cornish.

Dates for Future Meetings:

February 23

April 13

May 25

July 6