

BLANCO COALITION ON AWARENESS, PREVENTION, AND TREATMENT OF SUBSTANCE ABUSE

CoAPT MEETING
High School Library
Thursday, August 17, 2017
11:30 AM – 12:30 PM

MISSION STATEMENT

The Blanco CoAPT's mission is to raise awareness of alcohol, tobacco, and other drugs to youth and families through the development and utilization of resources dedicated to saving lives through prevention, intervention, and treatment.

Agenda

- I. Welcome/Introductions : Meeting Started at 11:30
 - All new attendees were introduced.
 - Robert Armstrong discussed trainings that he would like to provide to community members and school employees about drug trends with youth. He works with programs call ADAPT and FRIDAY. He would like to partner with our coalition to discuss the information.

- II. Discuss year ending and goals for new year moving forward.
 - Keitha St. Clair discussed the new drug testing policy at the school for the upcoming year. She also discussed wanting to work on additional information and resources to prevent marijuana usage.
 - Officer Johnson discussed new trends that he is seeing in the community. Officer Johnson works with the drug dog/K9 unit with the Blanco Police Department. Officer Johnson provided some education to the group so that prevention efforts are going in the right direction.
 - Amber Newby discussed the first year of the grant ending and continuing to work on modifying our logic model in the next few months.

- III. Updates from different committees about the Wellness Fair.
 - Kat Staas gave an update for the group on the fundraising for the Wellness Fair. Kat has been to several businesses in town and has received some donations. Patricia Mangold received a 150.00 donation from her husband's business for the event.
 - Joe Garcia discussed going to the rotary club who is going to donate 400.00 to the event. With the donations, we will purchase the door prizes, food for community members, and promotional items for the event. Joe Garcia also worked

with the Lutheran Church Men's Club who wants to donate food and cook the food for the event.

-Amber Newby gave an update on the vendors. We have between 20 to 25 confirmed vendors at this time. The vendor committee will arrange everything on the day of the event for the vendors.

VII. Wellness Fair Planning and Final Decisions

-The group discussed ideas for ways to promote the event. The group wants to get the information to chamber of commerce, paper, and Facebook. The promotional committee will be working on these tasks.

-The group will be finalizing the food within the next couple weeks and start planning the day of the event. Sub committees will meet outside the main meeting to discuss the event and continue planning.

V. Closing Remarks

-The next coalition meeting will be on 9/21/2017 at 11:30 at the high school library.

- We will have a small group meeting the week before the wellness fair for last minute planning and changes.

-Meeting adjourned at 12:30 pm.

Members (*Members present in italics*):

Lori Anderson	Parent
Rex Bailey	Young Life—Faith Based and Youth Serving Organization\
Linsey Balmos	HS Counselor
Marc Bitner	Chief of Juvenile Probation for 33 rd and 424 th Judicial District
Brett Bray	Blanco County Judge
Andrea Calzoncit	Student
Janet Christiansen	Pedernales Electric Cooperative
Rev. Carlos Cloyd	United Methodist Church
Karen Cox	Parent/Youth Serving Organization—Blanco Rec Center
Belinda Creswell	Parent
Lexi Creswell	Student
Grace Davis	Hays Caldwell Council on Alcohol and Drug Abuse
Suzanne Jester	<u>Blanco County News</u>
<i>Clay Rosenbaum</i>	<i>Superintendent, Blanco ISD</i>
<i>Joe Garcia</i>	<i>Rotary Club</i>
Amy Hackebeil	Blanco ISD Student Success Coordinator
Joseph Hernandez	Student
Hannah Hulburt	Student
Don Jackson	Blanco County Sheriff
Kathryn Korelich	MS Principal
Dayna Leggett	Lutheran Church and Health Care Coalition
Joe Lockwood	Boy Scouts of America
<i>Patricia Mangold</i>	<i>ES Principal</i>
<i>Terry Neill</i>	<i>Parent</i>

June Newhouse
Jean Olinger
Dr. Doug Pautz
Michael Ritchey
Willa Rosen
Martin Saucedo
Jessica Walsh Schlinke
Kat Staas
Keitha St. Clair
David Struck
Brad Taylor
Noah Wheeler
Jessica Cain
Jennifer Shamala
Melissa Stormer
Emily Quintero
Jasmine Barker
Maddison Kimmell
Spencer Evans
Ashlinn Calzoncit
Candace Gunby

Lions Club
Blanco Counseling Center-Healthcare professional
Young Life
Chief, Blanco Police Department
Education Specialist—Region 13 Education Service Center
Blanco City Council
Parent
Healthcare Professional
High School Principal
Student
K'Star—Organization involved with reducing substance abuse
Student
New Hope Lutheran Church
Blanco County Sheriff's Office
Maitland K9s
Student
Student
Student
HS Student
MS Student
Youth Serving Organization

Guests Present:

Monet Munoz
Adam Johnson
Jessica Gardner
Rebecca Lange

Youth Serving Organization
Blanco PD
Blanco City Hall
Llano Co Attorney