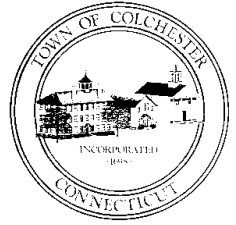




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Youth Services Advisory Board/ Youth FIRST Coalition

December 7th, 2016 Meeting Minutes

Location: Youth Center

Time: 5:00pm

Voting members present: Lorraine Marvin, Linda Bromley, Rob Suchecki, Gina Ebbeling

Others present: Valerie Geato, Kylie Haggerty, Denise Mizla, Elizabeth Allard, Morgan Bingham, Kathy Wonderly, Rob Tarlov, Courtney Watts, Hailey Fisher, Cassidy Tellar, Kaitlyn Watts, Elizabeth Mancey, Paul Chasse, Thea Sousa.

1. Rob Suchecki called meeting to order at 5:02 pm.
2. No public comments.
3. Old Business
 - a. Program Updates from Youth Services were given by Kylie Haggerty.
 - b. Resolution Run- Betsy Allard presented the details of the ongoing planning of the Resolution Run. Rob Suchecki provided information regarding the presence of Walter Cox as EMS and the wave of the fee of police protection for the event. The idea to request a custodian for the event was raised. Betsy is still trying to get into contact with Dan's Awards for the winning metals. Linda Bromley has contacted multiple local restaurants and grocery stores, including Noel's, McDonalds, Starbucks, and Stop & Shop, for donations towards the Resolution Run. Gina Ebbeling presented that Sunshine Cycle may be interested in helping at the race.
 - c. Community conversations-
 1. ADHD Parenting Workshop's high attendance rate was discussed by Valerie Geato. The members spoke about next steps for future workshops on ADHD.
 2. Parenting the Snapchat Generation will occur on January 12th, followed by a school presentation on the 13th.
 3. Rob Suchecki shared that he has a drug education fund that can be put to use by Youth Services & YouthFIRST.
 - d. Bake Sale Recap- Valerie shared that the bake sale was extremely successful with making a total \$970.
 - e. Table Talk Community Conversation- we will be providing Table Talk jars to local restaurants following our Table Talk Community Conversation on February 8th.
4. New Business
 - a. Valerie Geato presented the exciting information that we are getting a new van.
 - b. Reappointing members for 2017 was discussed, as well as Gina Ebbeling's resignation from the board.
 - c. 2017 goals included recruiting new members and maintaining support towards future events.
5. Linda Bromley motioned to adjourn meeting at 6:04pm, seconded by Kathy Wonderly.

Submitted: December 13th, 2016 by Kylie Haggerty