

Minutes of the Youth Advisory Committee Meeting

October 8, 2010

Members Present: Marlene Dodyk, Jim Forti, Greg Litcofsky, Joe Karbowski

Also Present: Lynn Dowd, Dossie Kahn, Ryan Our

Minutes from 06/14/10 reviewed and approved

New members Greg Litcofsky and Joe Karbowski welcomed, staff and board introductions and orientation to roles within WYFS

Staff Updates

- Ryan Our, MA candidate at Assumption College, continues internship sequence with WYFS
- Parent Coffees: no new coffees held
- Diversion Program: described structure and process
- Summer Community Service program 06/23 to 08/11 completed with active involvement by 22 high school students
- Wayland Cares Programming : social norms campaign poster program underway, role of WYFS staff in program described to new members
- Friends of WYFS programming ideas in development for this school year
- Depression awareness event offered at WHS during lunches 10/7/10

Board Updates

- Rabbi Greg Litcofsky of Congregation Shir Tivka joins as Chair
- Wayland Parent and Registered Nurse, Joe Karbowski joins as member
- Selection process continues for Board of Health appointed seat

Discussion: Increase in fall referrals, board members perspectives on stressors confronting Wayland families currently

Next Meeting dates: November 3, 8:30 AM

December 3, 10:00 AM

Respectfully submitted,

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