



# Montville Youth Advisory Board

## Minutes

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**April 13, 2017**

**6:00 p.m.**

**Members Present:** Chairman: Daniel Dunn, Susan Rickards, Megan Bishop, Lt Lenny Bunnell, Tim Shanahan, Dan Boisvert, Caitlyn Withey

**Also Present:** MYSB Director Barbara Lockhart, Liaison Councilman Tim May

**Absent:** Brie Messer, Bethany Caron, Alley Schmeizl, Grace Carlos, William Carlos

The meeting was called to order at 6:07pm

### **I. Chairman's Report**

- A. Minutes Approval – March 2017 Minutes approved
- B. Communications/Correspondence

### **II. New Business, Programs, Events & Fundraisers**

#### **A. Community Conversation 2017**

- **Postponed due to scheduling conflicts** - \*\*New date Wednesday, October 18, 2017 – details to follow at a later date\*\*
- Screenagers – Growing Up in the Digital Age, March 16th 6:30 at Montville High School, youth will receive extra credit for attending.

#### **B. Ben & Jerry's "Free Cone Day"**

- Huge success – about \$5,000.00 profit (check presentation ceremony will be in a couple of weeks)!

#### **C. 2017 Pancake Breakfast**

- October 15<sup>th</sup> at the Mohegan Firehouse, \$7 adults, \$5 kids/seniors (5 and under free)

#### **D. YSB Day at the Capitol**

- May 3, 2017 – MYSB is hoping to take students from various grades to meet with local legislators

#### **E. CT Tigers Game Fundraiser**

- June 23, 2017 – Tickets are \$10 and MYSB will receive \$5 for every ticket sold – tickets will be handed out to the Board at the May meeting for all members to sell

#### **F. Community Booklet**

- Look for it as an insert in the Montville Times in the first week of May

#### **G. Summer Center 2017**

- Registration begins Monday, May 8 at 9:00 a.m. 30 spots are available and the fee is \$375.00

#### H. New Forum Idea

- Planning a Parent Forum on “Understanding Juvenile Law & the Upcoming Changes

### III. Old Business

#### A. Screenagers Movie 2017

- 130 people attended

#### B. Benefit Concert 2017

- Should net about \$4,000 profit

#### C. March Madness

- Very successful event! Check out FB for pictures!

#### D. Shamrock Shakes

- Also very successful – remember to “like” us on FB for access to pictures and information

#### E. One Circle Groups 2017

- In the fall MYSB will be sponsoring a Boy’s Council series for middle school boys – a male facilitator was trained last month

### IV. YAC (Youth Action Council)

#### A. Penny Drive 2017 Update

- Will run until the end of May
- So far we have collected close to \$300 from a movie day, candy grams and other small projects
- Our last event is the Penny Drive “Carnival Play Day” on Friday, May 26<sup>th</sup> from 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. – middle and high school YAC members will be running old fashioned carnival games, contests and selling popcorn for “pennies”. Middle school YAC members will be spending the last week of April making posters and signs to promote the event for the ASP participants

#### B. Dating Violence Awareness – Wear Purple Day

- Huge success in both the high school and youth center – many high school students wore purple, took pictures and wrote a “Love is” bubble for our board. Kim is working on putting together a slide show about healthy relationships with pictures from the event. The ASP participants wore purple, posed for pictures and wrote “Friendship is” bubbles for a bulletin board at the youth center. Pictures from the ASP are on our Facebook page.

#### C. Stall Street Journal

- Kim is currently setting up a meeting to discuss the next issue of the Stall Street Journal, possible topics include mental health and addiction, diversity and acceptance, time and stress management. Also working on establishing a monthly Stall Street Journal for the youth center and middle school for the fall.

### V. Good & Welfare

- #### A. Donation from Mohegan Congregational Church for \$1,000.00

## **VI. JRB Update (Cases, Dispositions, Referrals)**

### **A. JRB/LIST Conference**

- Save the Date – May 31, 2017 – will be held at Institute of Technology Business Development (ITBD) in New Britain – more details to come on breakout sessions and keynote

## **VII. Other Business**

### **A. Sign**

- Tim May shared a picture of the sign for in front of the Montville Community Center

## **VIII. Adjournment**

Meeting was adjourned at 6:33 p.m.

## **IX. Next Meeting – May 11, 2017, 6:00pm**

Typed by Dianne Peltier, MYSB Administrative Assistant