

MISSION STATEMENT

"Motivating Jefferson County to change the culture of substance abuse acceptance."

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"Empowering our community to make substance abuse prevention a priority; celebrating healthy lifestyles."

MEETING MINUTES: Wednesday, February 13, 2019 9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. @ Jefferson College's Arnold Campus

Attendance: Jillian Bissell, JCDPC/JCHD; Alicia Towery, JCDPC/JCHD; Mark Hunter, Rock Township; Lauren Stone, Care Connections; Stephen Sutler, Community Member; Stephanie Franklin, Rock Township; Lisa Uzzle, STL Integrated Health Network; Tom DiMaio, Narcotics Anonymous; Kristine Bogue, Jefferson College; Jeff Bogue, Probation and Parole; Gary Dougherty, Byrnes Mill; Kathi Arbini, MO Network; Brian Caplinger, Faith Community Church; Kristin Bengtson, NCADA; Heather Craig, NCADA; Sandy Davis, Jefferson College; Leah Woods, CenterPointe; Jackie Brown, JCHD; Laura Bilsland, COMTREA; Ed Fitzhenry, Arnold Food Pantry; Katie Prendergast, COMTREA; Erin Lawson, Jefferson College; Jamie McCarthy, Mercy; Gayle Beck, Fox School District; Kate Reed, Rock Township; Tucker Heigel, CenterPointe; Holli Gillam, Probation and Parole; Clinton Smith, Community Member

- 1. OPENING (10 min.)
 - a. Call to Order
 - b. Welcome and Introductions
 - c. Approval of Minutes *Motion: Kristine Bogue* , 2nd: Kristin Bengtson
- Acknowledgements/Accomplishments TAB members spoke to representatives on Capitol Hill about electronic cigarettes/JUULing concerns in their schools and did an amazing job; JCDPC & NCADA have been invited to apply for Jefferson Foundation's Proactive Portfolio (JCDPC= Safe Medication Storage/Usage/Disposal Campaign, TAB & Developmental Assets Pilot Program); Stephen Sutler's application to become a Peer Support Specialist has been accepted by Missouri Credentialing Board; Annual Chillingo (chili and bingo- unlimited) at Lemay Gardens with NA; PDMP passed in House;
- 3. TRAINING/GROUP DISCUSSION (20 minutes):

Topic: "Care Connections" (Lauren Stone): Care Connections is a non for profit in Arnold and is affiliated with St Johns Lutheran Church in Arnold. Lauren is a case manager who is currently running 8 support groups: grief support (evening and day time), Loss of a spouse course, grieving through the holidays course, Strengthening needs parenting class, Divorce care course for parents and adults, Mommy and wee course (support for mothers and young children), Parenting a second time around (grandparents and foster parents taking care of family members/children), Single and parenting will be starting after the divorce course, a Foster Friday's course will begin in March. Some future support groups will include: before divorce (helps to reach a decision for the future of a marriage), grieving the loss of a loved one to drug use, and support for those suffering from miscarriage and infant loss/infertility. They offer case management and counseling services. To register for classes visit sjlarnold.org and check out their Facebook page.

The process for case management is usually call and does a computerized intake assessment. Bases things on their strengths and needs and then they see what could be worked on and then what programs could be utilized. Those who attend courses do not have to be a part of the case management piece.



4. Reports (15 min.)

- a. Executive Board- Planning for May 4th Fundraiser. Discussion will be held during work group at end of meeting. Looking to update MOUs for those around the table for JCDPC and their agencies
- b. Teen Advisory Board (TAB)/Jefferson Foundation: Alicia and 5 youth to attended CADCA Forum; did some planning for the future foundation grant; working on the safe PROM campaign- banners came in and will be ordering wristbands and have mobile phone ads
- c. Jefferson Foundation: Capacity Building Grant Funding sent 4 adults to CADCA Forum (Jillian, Kristin, Lori & Beth); Scheduling advocacy training in November
- d. JCDPC Final DFC Me report due on Friday; Potentially applying for STOP Act Grant that targets underage drinking (up to \$50,000 for up to 4 years- application due March 22nd)
- 5. IMPORTANT UPDATES (15 min.)
 - a. General Coalition Opioid Task Force will follow next coalition meeting (March 6th)
 - b. Partners Rock Township is looking into how they can get into the EPIC program like Lemay has been or how they can get patients to sign forms to help with any HIPPA issues. They are working to get their administrative team on board and work to be a naloxone distribution center;

NCADA has a wellness council who is hosting a Mocktails event: Sans Bar- alcohol free event for people to socialize on March 1st for \$20 @ 3rd Degree Glass Factory for unlimited mocktails and other entertainment;

FBI has partnered with DEA will to show Chasing the Dragon at Festus Theater on March 24th and will be having an event paired with showing the movie at 4pm.

6. Work Group(s) (30 min.)

Topic:

- JCDPC's May 4th Fundraiser
 - Saturday, May 4th at Herculaneum City Park from 1pm-5pm
 - Stations to be run by team leads (Stage/Sound/Emcee; Food;
 Inflatables; Activities; Baskets)- Need people to sign up for stations
 - Looking for sponsors to help make this a great FREE event for community members- the only cost is if someone wants food or for raffle baskets
- 7. ADJOURNMENT (10:30 a.m.)

10:30 – 11:00 Networking Opportunity offered at end of meeting

NEXT MEETING:

Date: Wednesday, March 6, 2019

Location: Jefferson College's Arnold Campus, 1687 Missouri State Rd., Arnold (Lecture Hall,

Room 323)

Training Topic: "Addiction Treatment & Confidentiality" Cynthia Weber, AAC

** Opioid Taskforce meeting to begin @ 10:00 a.m. **