**Teen Advocacy Coalition**

**Substance Abuse Prevention Committee**

**May 13th 2015, @ 3:30 pm**

**Pacific County Annex**

**Committee MEETING: 3:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.**

Attendance:

Gracie Manlow (TAC/DFC), Mary Goelz (PCHD), Melissa Sexton (PCHD), Sharon Block (PCHD), Tanya Schiller (TAC/DFC)

* Gracie and Tanya should still look into the Summer Coalition Leadership Institute Forum since the registration is still “live”
* **Rx Dropbox**
  + Sharon is on Joe Camenzind’s list for getting more information about the Sheriff Department security camera.
* **Drug Take-Back**
  + Grays Harbor County has a pet cremation facility where they charge $.40/lb for mixed drug incineration, which would include containers and narcotics
    - Pharmacies are unable to take back narcotics
    - **Melissa will double-check up on the pet crematorium for drug take-back participation.**
      * **Sharon will send Melissa the name of the pet crematorium**
  + Loretta Osgard from Long Beach says that they usually take less than 100 lbs per trip
    - **Sharon will follow-up with Loretta for possible collaboration with drug transport for North and South counties**
  + Would TAC be able to absorb the costs for the incineration out of the DFC budget?
  + TAC will plan on having Drug Take-Backs twice a year
    - This year, the take-backs will be closer together due to the delay around getting the permanent box in place.
      * TAC is aiming for the end of June and the end of September for take-backs
      * Hopefully there can be two sites per take-back, with one representative/law enforcement officer at the Dropbox and one at a place such as Pioneer Grocery
    - Before the take-backs happen, there needs to be a security camera system in place to monitor the Rx Dropbox
      * Questions/things to consider:
        + How will the camera feed be detected? Through the dispatcher?
        + Tanya may be included in future conversations about cameras and surveillance systems
        + Will the camera have a motion sensor? Night vision?
* **Prevention Consultants**
  + RE: South County Police Chief and Prevention Consultant Officer to provide training to North County officers and chiefs
    - Both officers attended the CADCA training in Washington D.C.
    - Have them explain why their system works, how it is effective, advice, tips etc.
      * Carry-forward funds could be used to provide compensation for the meeting(s)
        + One-time, weekly, monthly, bi-monthly?
        + Should the principals and superintendents be included in the conversations?
        + Maybe we should focus on conversations/discussions rather than training, due to summer scheduling
  + RE: Youth Arm for feedback on the Prevention Consultants
  + RE: Breathalyzer policy for high school Senior trips/field trips
    - Would parental consent be required?
    - What would the consequences be?
  + Remove “social hosting policy” efforts from the Prevention Consultant workplan
  + RE: South Bend Food Mart (aka Jackpot) and their underage alcohol purchasing
  + RE: “Classroom education K-12” on the workplan – the range is too wide
  + RE: Break down the workplan into hours in addition to tasks
  + Consider:
    - Should there be one Prevention Consultant for the tri-districts or just one?
    - Should there be an application system for being a Prevention Consultant?
      * Should a Prevention Consultant officer be a job, within itself?
    - What should the enforcement efforts be?
      * Things to focus on?
      * Focus on what students would like help on, instead of guessing
      * Educated the public on consequences
  + Compliance Checks
    - Pacific County Sheriff’s Office – All alcohol in north county
    - Raymond Police Department – Marijuana retailers in Raymond city limits
    - South Bend Police Department – Marijuana retailers in South Bend city limits
  + RE: Prevention Consultant Progress Report
    - Integrate into TAC meetings
    - Have articles in the newspapers
    - Have a report handy in case the officers are not present at the meeting
    - Blog on the website, include photos
      * Shift the image of law enforcement in the community to a more positive light
  + **Gracie and Tanya will inform and collect information about the Prevention Consultants at the next Youth Arm meeting.**
  + **Sharon will make a survey to share with the principals, chiefs, and officers to determine the key issues at each of the schools**
* TAC will need to get a hold of the HYS 2014 for the tri-school districts

**\*\*\*Next Meeting will be Monday, June 8th @ 1:30pm at Raymond Timberland Library\*\*\***