**Teen Advocacy Coalition**

**Substance Abuse Prevention Committee**

**July 13th, 2015 @ 1:30 pm**

**Raymond Timberland Library**

**Committee MEETING: 1:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.**

Attendance:

Gracie Manlow (TAC/DFC), Emily Popovich (TAC/TRL), Sharon Block (PCHD/TAC)

* **Dropbox Ribbon Cutting** 
  + There will be an Rx Dropbox ribbon cutting ceremony on July 16th at noon.
    - The location will be at Sherriff’s office, where the dropbox is located.
  + The invites have been extended to TAC Board, Health Department, Sherriff’s Department, Prevention Consultants and local pharmacies.
    - Gracie will also extend an invite to RPD and SBPD chiefs.
  + Sharon will provide scissors and Gracie will bring a ribbon.
    - Gracie contacted the local media about the photo opportunity.
  + Emily and Sherriff Johnson will cut the ribbon.
    - Emily will give a short presentation.
* **Drug Take Back**
  + Gracie reported on behalf of Paul Hill.
    - Raymond Fire Department is happy to share their booth for a drug take back event.
      * As long as a TAC rep is there to answer questions, there should be no issues.
  + Sharon said there could be two shifts to cover the time of the event, which is 10 a.m. – 2 p.m.
    - Sharon will offer the hours to the Prevention Consultants before contacting the chiefs for law enforcement coverage.
    - Sharon will provide biohazard bags and boxes.
    - Gracie will email Got Drugs? Poster template.
    - A “what not to deposit” sheet should be made.
* **Prevention Consultant Work plans**
  + Sharon gave a brief review of the surveys that school administrators filled out.
    - #1 request was to have consultants at the school during lunch.
    - #2 request was to have consultants at after school events like sporting events.
    - #3 request was a presentation to students and school staff regarding consultants duties and purposes.
      * Sharon will work with committee on work plans to adhere to schools requests.

**\*\*\*Next Meeting will be Monday, August 17th @ 1:30pm at Raymond Timberland Library\*\*\***