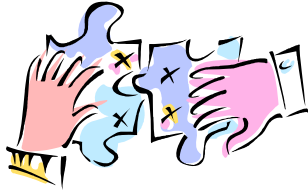


Partners Working Together...



NAME	ORGANIZATION/REPRESENTATION
Members who attended:	
David Williams	NCSO
Kenan Roland	NACDAC
Cindy Zsolnai	SPBH
Laureen Pagel	SPBH
Kerrie Albert	SPBH/NACDAC
Suellen Murray	Guest
Rhonda Sanderson	FBPD
Susan Clark	SPBH
Jean Bardes	SARG
Donna Martin	School Board
Dep. Tracy Osborne	NCSO/YMS
Chris Goll	YHS
Joey Lindberg	YHS
Nicholas Clark	YHS
Joe Spillane	Shands-JAX
Kim Clemons	NCSO
Eugenia Seidel	NC DOH
Jennifer Emmons	NCHD
Susan Silva	DJJ

- I. Introduction: Rhonda Sanderson 4:06 call to order.
- II. Minutes: Reviewed and approved by Jennifer Emmons, seconded by Susan Clark.
- III. Introductions were made.
- IV. Business: Kenan Roland announced there will be a Town Hall Meeting at Fernandina Beach High School on March 23, 2010 at 6:30. The FBHS Student Government Association is putting this meeting on and it will be led by the students. They have sent invitations to the city commission, school board, sheriff, chief of police, and the

News Leader. The goal of this meeting is to have a frank discussion about what factors are involved in underage drinking.

Kenan also gave a report on the status of the Youth Coalition. Kenan met with the Yulee Middle School Youth Crime Watch and had 21 students sign up to be a part of the Youth Coalition. She also contacted Janet Reilly who agreed to come and conduct training sessions for both the adults and the students and they will be meeting March 24<sup>th</sup> to discuss possible dates for the training.

Kerrie Albert asked the coalition members to come up with any ideas for presentations at the meetings and also asked who they would like to hear from. Jean asked Deputy Tracy Osborne to do a presentation on “Bullying in the Digital Age.”

Rhonda Sanderson attended the Prevention Systems Meeting in Gainesville and discussed the Prescription Take-Back Program in Massachusetts, where on a certain day they properly disposed of expired and unused medicine. Rhonda proposed implementing a similar program in Nassau County. Kim Clemons announced that an FBMS teacher properly disposes of expired medicines every spring. Joe Spillane stated that a program like this is a good opportunity to educate people about prescription drug abuse; Joe also mentioned good ways to dispose of medicines at home that are better for the environment.

Deputy Tracy Osborne and Susan Silva gave a report from the Adolescent Conference; they both enjoyed the conference and learned a lot. Deputy Osborne attended sessions on Bullying in the Digital Age and Suicide Prevention. Susan Silva attended sessions on Sex Offenders and Drugs and the Brain.

V. Presentation: Joe Spillane “Some Reasons to Be the Wall”

Joe Spillane reported that three quarters of high school seniors drink alcohol. The main focus of his presentation was on the teen brain and its development. Teen brains and alcohol are more vulnerable to memory lapses – blackouts, decreased driving skills, altered brain development, and long term cognitive deficits. Joe Spillane also gave several interesting statistics which included: Current adolescent drinkers are three times as likely to ride in a car with a drunk driver, seven times as likely to have tried marijuana in the past 30 days, eight times as likely to have shoplifted, and three times as likely to have had four or more sex partners.

VI. Reports from Agencies and Member Announcements:

Rhonda Sanderson, FBPD, reported they had 5 DUI Patrols and 14 Compliance Buys, 100% of which were compliant. Sergeant Sanderson also announced there is money in the tobacco budget for compliance buys.

Kim Clemons, NCSO, announced that many middle school teachers will start teaching ATOD/violence prevention lessons since the FCAT testing is now over. She also mentioned a "Beat the Pack" tobacco cessation meeting with a representative from Pfizer on March 22<sup>nd</sup>.

David Williams, NCSO, reported they wrote 4 tobacco citations at the schools and 15 seatbelt citations.

Deputy Tracy Osborne, NCSO, announced on March 24<sup>th</sup> the Youth Crime Watch will be doing "Dead for a Day" for Kick Butts Day. She also explained that the Youth Crime Watch will be passing out Tobacco Surveys to stores in both Yulee and Fernandina.

Laureen Pagel, SPBH, announced Sutton Place's first big fundraiser event on April 7<sup>th</sup> at the Amelia Island Plantation. Tickets are \$100 per person and you can go to [www.spbh.org](http://www.spbh.org) to buy tickets.

VII. Next Meeting: April 20, 2010 at 4:00 pm  
Adjournment at 4:55 by Rhonda Sanderson  
Meeting Minutes submitted by Kenan Roland