



Pembroke Drug Prevention Committee 3/23/16 Meeting Minutes

In attendance: Mike Cogburn, Gina Boutwell, Donna Bagni, Hank Galligan, Cindy Wengryn, Police Chief Rick Wall, Ginger Comeau, Gail Brown, Scott Wilson, Allison (on phone in)

Mike motioned to call the meeting to order at 6:05, the motion was seconded by Gina and all were in favor.

Donna motioned to accept the February meeting minutes, Mike seconded and all were in favor.

Financial: Our 501c3 application has been accepted!

We currently have approx \$57,000 in our account, includes most of the earnings from Casino night. Casino night brought in \$17,000 from sponsors, \$10-11,000 in cash from event, which was about \$5,000 less than last year.

Ginger Comeau and Gail Brown presented us with a \$1500 donation from New England Village. The New England Village residents had a performance of Wizard of Oz, and this was the money they earned at the event. They thanked us for what PTAD has been doing for the community and offered their help if we needed it in our future endeavors.

Requests:

Dare Camp—Rick Wall requesting PTAD sponsorship to send 15-18 Pembroke kids and counselors to Dare Camp again this year. The DA is pushing all the towns in Plymouth County to get involved. Erin Obey is in favor as well. Plan will be 6 kids to be nominated by their teachers from each elementary school that will be going into 5th and 6th grade. The cost will be \$925. Mike motioned to approve the spending for Dare Camp, the motion was seconded by Hank and all were in favor.

Casino Night recap—Scott reported that casino night raised \$21,900 total and \$6000 in annual sponsorships.

Updates:

Rick reported that he submitted a town warrant for funding for a school resource officer that would spend time at both the high school and middle school. It would also include getting the Dare program back in the elementary schools and middle school, and would cover the cost for training approx 6 current police officers to be Dare officers who would be able to share the responsibilities of the program.

There were no results of the student surveys yet.

Drug Theater—Cindy is working on some dates. Plan is to have the program at the school during the day and at night for parents. She had heard that the DA sponsored 13 towns to get this program so she is going to look into that.

Opioid training is next month, April 27. The board meeting will be at 5:30.

Gina and Jessica Spencer are working on collecting information about surrounding schools grad nite program and getting approval from Erin and Peg.

Mike met with Mike Tropeano from the school committee. He is very supportive. Interested to know what our wish list would be.

Mike suggested we put our 501c3 status on our printed materials and on the website.

Mike motioned to adjourn the meeting at 7:07 pm, the motion was seconded by Donna and all were in favor.

April meeting is at 5:30 in the library, to be followed by the Opioid Overdose Prevention education class.