



## PDPC minutes 9/27/17 Pembroke Public Library 6 pm

**In attendance:** Gina Boutwell, Mike Cogburn, Cindy Wengryn, Erin Obey, Steve Kirby, Ginny Wandell, Allison Kelly (called in)

The meeting was called to order at 6:07 by Mike, the motion was seconded by Gina and all were in favor

Ginny moved to approve the August meeting minutes, this was seconded by Erin and all were in favor.

**Financials:** PTAD has \$76,081 in the bank. This includes all but a few outstanding commitments to the pumpkin patch and the new banner. The pumpkin patch earned approx. \$1800

Mike Cogburn was selected this week as the **New England Patriots Difference Maker of the Week**. This was posted in local papers as well as posted on the Patriots website and in their weekly publication. Mike is invited to participate in the awards ceremony for all this year's PDMs on December 31 at Gillette Stadium.

**Requests:** none

**Updates:**

Pembroke tree lighting 12/3 Sunday, we will set up a table and have pamphlets, etc

New England Village Wellness Fair 10/14, Cindy will set up between 10-12

Drug story theater—feedback was that it was good for the 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> graders, not so good for the 11-12<sup>th</sup>.

Mike will be meeting with Carolyn Huntington, the volunteer who agreed to help with the website

Youth Health Connection—annual prevention of underage drinking and substance use conference  
Attended by Cindy, Mike, Joanne, and 5 senior students. Dr. Sharand spoke. There was a panel with students from 3 different high schools discussing marijuana use. Cindy and Mike attended breakout session on evidence based programs. Cindy will bring a copy of Caron's programs. Joanne attended Here and Now—leading us to our future.

3 Pembroke teachers interested in helping PTAD in the schools, Amy Motta PHS, Lara San Giovanni Hobomock, and Joelle Glynn Hobomock. Not sure what it will look like. Maybe start with a project.

Social norms—Cindy to reach out to Merielle Paul working with Plymouth Coalition to get more info on their social norm program from last year. Will need to run by Erin. Would like to start at the 5<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> grade level/student council or PCMS level. Erin Obey to reach out to wellness ambassadors at PCMS.

Sarah Cloud—Director of Social Work at BI/Deaconess Plymouth, has 2 kids in Pembroke Schools. Will come talk about what Plymouth schools are doing with prevention in 5<sup>th</sup> grade if we want her to. Erin Obey to reach out to superintendent of Plymouth Schools.

YRBS—will be done this year, Mike requests to present to parents in a graph form with school committee approval.

Mike will write a thank you to our sponsors.

Mike motioned to end the meeting at 6:42 pm, Cindy seconded and all were in favor.