



# Southern Rockingham Coalition for Healthy Youth

c/o Sanborn Regional High School  
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**DATE: November 14, 2023**

**TIME: 9:00am - 10:30am**

**LOCATION: ZOOM**

**PARTICIPANTS:** Charlotte Scott (TRMS); Kelley Binette (TRMS); Caitlin & Melissa (Fremont School Counselors); Dave (Camp Lincoln); Maggie Devlin (CLM); Laurie Ota (CLM); Kacie Snyder (New Futures); Jane Kowalski (Atkinson Parent); Bob Mailloux (Hampstead Middle School); Kim Gordon (SUD Coordinator Behavioral Health); Tim Lena (TRHS)

**CALL TO ORDER: 9:06am**

**REVIEW OF MINUTES:** Review October 2023 minutes

Motion: JK Second: RM

**COALITION UPDATES: 9:08am**

- New “Veterans” Power Packs are now available! This was done in memory of Jeffrey Zajak whose family donated funds this year
- Library Partnerships - met with folks to discuss how to engage on films and such
- Staying Connected With Your Teen - is having the final class tonight. Thank you to NH Teen Institute for organizing!
- Governor’s Youth Advisory Council - have a student rep from TRSD and SRHS
- Screenagers Movies - low attendance on Vaping Under the Influence; improved attendance on Mental Health - they have offered the student version of vaping so it can be shown in schools
- Regional Athlete Summit with 6 schools representing (Deb Hult presented)
- Red Ribbon Week was a success all around!
- Gizmo update - Pollard is reviewing; Ellis is reviewing; Bakie is reviewing; Atkinson Academy hasn’t responded, offered last year also with no response. (AFSP can provide books)
- Take Back - 500lbs collected (participated in Crush the Crisis at the new Plaistow ER)
- Attended Plaistow Pumpkin Decorating Festival - large parent reach of elementary age at this event. Did parents pledge to talk with info on how to talk about drugs at every age. YMCA kids carved SoRock Pumpkin through Camp Lincoln.
- SRHS Booster event - Ice Hockey Craft Fair - well attended - Charlotte with have a table
- Community Appreciation Event on 11/30/23

**SUSTAINABILITY AND BUDGET REPORTS: 9:10AM**

- Sponsorship with Exeter Hospital for more Power Packs and possibility for more to address senior population in January.
- \$250 from Kennebunk Savings to help with power packs as well, would have been more but they have no location in our towns.
- Youth Well - new non profit organization offering small grants to schools and community organizations - proposal for \$8500 to support more screenings of Screenagers, parenting materials and some Gizmo book support
- Town Funding - Atkinson is asking SoRock to be a Citizens Petition - our support from them is questionable; we are asking for all hands on deck to collect signatures of registered voters in Atkinson
- 50K from the State Budget is in the contract phase and expected to be released soon (reimbursement model)
- Bruins Jersey raffle is under way...
- Partnering with SCPHN to do a gift card drive through early December
- Danville - in budget; Fremont - in budget; Plaistow - in budget; Kingston - may be reduced amount but in budget; Newton - in Human Services warrant; Hampstead - warrant article (anticipated town support) standard return to the warrant after 3 years. Sandown - in budget for their standard reduced amount due to default budget.

## PROJECTS AND CAMPAIGNS:

- See updates

## PARTNER UPDATES: 939am

- Fremont / Ellis - kids now have their own email accounts!! Red Ribbon Week was great at Ellis. The town will be discussing whether or not to continue to send their kids to Sanborn. Both Pinkerton and Epping are on the table.
- New Futures - things are quiet right now but will be picking up in January; attended Screenagers
- CLM - trying to increase outreach to towns to update on program changes and educate on NH Rapid Response;
- TRHS has entered into an MOU with CLM to offer mental health services to kids; hosted the regional training for several schools with Deb Hult; will be attending a Dover Y2Y next week; SOS being presented to English classes
- HMS has had Ed Gerrity in recently- they've created street signs for motivation; Chaos & Kindness coming Monday; Hampsted put on a wonderful Veterans event
- TRMS - participated in RRW; doing SOS with TRHS
- YMCA Camp Lincoln - Dave (director) will be taking on Whitney's position until she is replaced. He will attend SoRock meetings and facilitate the Leaders Club youth group. Connected him with New Futures for Youth Advocacy training. Homeschool program is running; December vacation camp is getting ready.

WRAP-UP: 10:15AM

MOTION MADE BY CSCOTT TO ADJOURN THE MEETING; ALL IN FAVOR

NEXT MEETING: TUESDAY, December 12, 2023

TIME: 9:00am - 10:30am

LOCATION: SANBORN HS / ZOOM