



South County Bridges Meeting Agenda
March 4, 2022 @ 12:30-1:30pm
Southern Police District & via Zoom
35 Stepneys Lane, Edgewater

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1. Introduction & Greetings

- a. **Elections-** Still looking to fill positions of Chair, Treasurer, & Secretary; must be volunteer members from the community

2. Strategies

- a. **Capacity Building-** discuss 12 sectors**

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- ii. Make connection with Community Alliance of South County

- b. **Restaurant Partnership**

- c. **Narcan Training**

3. New Materials-

- a. **Mental Health/Co-Occurring Disorders -** Mindi Garrett
- b. **South County Bridges Informational Folders -** Leslie Beers

4. Recent Events

- a. “Coffee with a Cop” 2/18 materials distributed and made good connection at Edgewater Public Library; Elaine Saba agreed to take Bridges Bags/Prevention Toolkits regularly to give out to students who check out library books
 - b. SOS Parent’s Night 2/24
 - c. SOS @ Central MS 2/25
5. Upcoming Events
- a. SOS in the Community: “A Conversation About Mental Health” @ Arundel Christian Church, Tuesday March 15th 6:30pm - Katie Wargo & Leslie Beers
 - b. PCRC in April- A South County Bridges Presentation - Mindi Garrett & Leslie Beers
6. Prevention Blog Posts- Mindi Garret send to hdgarr01@aacounty.org
7. Additional Notes & Closing

~~Next Meeting April 8, 2022~~

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See you next time!!

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8. Introduction & Greetings- *Leslie Beers, Prevention Coordinator SoCo & ASAP; Mindi Garrett, Prevention Coalitions Coordinator DOH; Shelly Guy, AAPD PCRC; Danielle Daywalt, AAPD PCRC; Angel Traynor, Director of Serenity Sista's Inc., Coordinator ASAP & SoCo; Katie Wargo, Prevention Coordinator NLASA & WASP; Marte Birnbaum, Pathways; Justil Noel, DOH OMPP; Chelsea Neil, Pathways; Rayneice, Bay Community Health; **Total Attendance = 10***

- a. **Elections-** Still looking to fill positions of Chair, Treasurer, & Secretary; must be volunteer members from the community -*Please consider reaching out to neighbors, friends, family, anyone that may be interested in volunteering a small amount of time to participate in our coalition. Share SoCo's Facebook posts to help gain awareness.*

9. Strategies

- a. **Capacity Building-** discuss 12 sectors** *Contact Joy Reigns Church to see if we can host SOS/SoCo Informational Community Night there, date at start of April, Katie will find keynote speakers; connect with Elks for representative from DAP (Linda)*

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- ii. Make connection with the “Community Alliance of South County”- *meetings are every 4th Tuesday of the month, they are called Community Needs Meeting; at 11am; virtual and in-person? Waiting for confirmation from Rayneice source. CASC did agree to include SoCo in their resource guide.*
- b. **Restaurant Partnership-** *changed name to “Safe County Alliance”; logo is finished; manager/survey still pending approval; the survey will go out with the Compliance Check Congratulatory Letter to segue the restaurant partnership*
- c. **Narcan Training-** *market/advertise on social media, host a training open to the public at the library*

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- b. **PCRC in April March- A South County Bridges Presentation** - Mindi Garrett & Leslie Beers *- This will be in-person and on Zoom. PCRC will send link out a day or so before the meeting; please feel free to share link with South County network, all are welcome.*

13. **Prevention Blog Posts-** Mindi Garret send to hdgarr01@aacounty.org -*Blog posts can be about lived experiences, local events, articles, big events; the range is broad because many things can be related back to mental health care and Prevention! Blog Posts every Monday.*

14. **Additional Notes & Closing-** *SADD Conference is happening, date TBD (Justin Noel). Encouraging everyone to pay attention to social media posts (mainly Facebook) and share South County Posts with your own networks; this is a great way to raise awareness and gain capacity.*

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