South County Bridges

TO A DRUG-FREE COMMUNITY

Coalition Meeting Agenda | May 3rd, 2024 @ 12:30pm
Edgewater Public Library & via Zoom

➢ **Welcome & Introductions** Please sign in & help yourself to lunch!

➢ **Capacity Building Brainstorm**

  ○ If we were to create a PSA about the coalition, what information would we want to include? Who would be the target audience? How would we get the message out there?

  ○ What are possible barriers to coalition meeting attendance?

  ○ Community Sectors & Outreach *(listed on back)*

➢ **DOH Grant Strategies** - The end of our fiscal year is right around the corner!

  ○ **TIPS Training -** Brainstorm: How can we hold trainees accountable??
    ■ Trained 59 participants from 16 establishments over 4 sessions

  ○ **Narcan Training & Distribution**
    ■ Trained 34 participants, distributed 101 boxes

  ○ **Needs Assessment - Listening Sessions**

➢ **Upcoming Events**

  ○ **May 15th South River High ELL Family Night 5-7pm**

  ○ **June 7th Listening Session 12:30** (in place of regular coalition meeting)

  ○ **June 18th at Pip Moyer, Annapolis** - see flyer for details

➢ **Announcements**

12 Community Sectors Brainstorm:

Who do we have? Who do we need? How can we reach them? What is our ask?

1. Parents- *School PTSO meetings,*

2. Youth- *SADD Chapters*

3. Businesses- *lots of restaurants, water-businesses*

4. Teachers- *South River HS, Kristin Canevazzi*

5. Law Enforcement- *Southern District supports as they are able (not enough staff continues to be a barrier for officers' community engagement)*

6. Media- *social media—how can we better use social media platforms to target youth?*

7. Youth-Serving Organizations- *church youth groups*

8. Religious or Fraternal Organizations- *Joy Reigns Church, Chesapeake Christian Fellowship (Davidsonville, NNO host)*

9. Healthcare Professionals- *Bay Community Health*

10. Civic or Volunteer Groups- *Deale Elks Lodge; Community Alliance of South County*

11. State, Local, Tribal Organizations- *Department of Health*

12. Other Organizations with a focus in substance misuse- *Joy Reigns has investment in recovery homes for mothers & children (?); BCH become ORP*