



**ITAC General Coalition Meeting Minutes
DFC #SP 080803-1
Wednesday, January 19th, 2022, 5:30pm
@Iroquois Senior High School Dining Room**

Date: 1/19/2022

Call to Order Time: 5:30pm

Adjourn Time: 7:30pm

Type of Meeting: General Meeting

Attendees:

Olivo Manuel (DDRO) (11), Heather Jacobs (BOE) (2/5), Karen Howard (Sen. Gallivan Office) (11), Julie Kelchlin (2/5), Mitch Martin (Sheriff’s Dept.) (7), John Bennett (KEDS) (12), Brittany Smorol (KEDS)(12), Mario Hernandez (KEDS)(12), Deputy Dan Wood (7), Vanita Jamison (Prevention Council) (12), Stu Woodside (7/9), Dawn Stover (2), Hanna Wittenrich (2), Rachael Kohlbacher (6/8), Jeremiah Kohlbacher (6/8), Sue Haskell (2), Bette Dehr (13), Alli Pelletreau (13), Renae Lauck (4), Alexis Langheier (5), Parker Cantie (1), Grace Mendolera (1), Connor Kramer (1), Veljko R (1), Cassidy Stover (1), Grace Every (1), Shawn Every (1), Josiah Field (1), Mason Thompson (1), Trent Werd (1), Owen Thompson (1), Joshua Sterlace (1), Jack Meiler (1), Samantha Gerlinger (1), Jasmine Donovan (1), Olivia Kuenzi (1), Alana Meiler (1)

Sectors

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| 1 – Youth (person <= 18 years of age) | 7 – Law Enforcement Agencies |
| 2 – Parent | 8 – Religious or Fraternal Organizations |
| 3 – Business Community | 9 – Civic and Volunteer Groups |
| 4 – Media | 10 – Healthcare Professional (Field of Substance Abuse (SA)) |
| 5 – Schools | 11 – State, Local, or Tribal Government Agencies (SA) |
| 6 – Youth-serving Organizations | 12 – Other Organizations involved in reducing (SA) |
| | 13 – ITAC Key Personnel |

Recorder Name: Alli Pelletreau & Sarah Sterlace

TOPIC	DISCUSSION
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****ITAC was able to hold a in-person “Snack & Chat” in place of our usual General Coalition meeting with special guest speaker Mario Hernandez at the Iroquois High School Dining Hall****

- Speakers:

- o We had the honor of hearing from Mario Hernandez, Kids Escaping Drugs Campus Director, who spoke on not only his personal journey but also choosing healthy life choices.

- John Bennett, Kids Escaping Drugs Face2Face Program Director, spoke on current drug trends.
- Alli Pelletreau, ITAC Director, was able to share some things that ITAC was doing and future events and information
 - Talked about Ice Skating and KEDS Youth Summit
- **Representation:**
 - There were 17 youth represented from Grace in Community Church youth group and from the school
 - There were 21 adults represented from the school, other coalitions, senator Gallivan's office, sheriff's office, and many others
- **What we had to offer:**
 - We had free pizza we bought from Delizia's Pizzeria, Antonio, Deputy Dan Wood and Stu Woodside picked it up and delivered it for us
 - We had a spinning wheel with various prizes (pencils, pens, gift cards, lanyards, stress balls etc.) (Blue tickets gave everyone a chance to spin, plus a few earned extra for interacting with the speaker)
 - We were able to give each youth \$5 Mighty Taco vouchers for showing up to the event (Red Tickets were given to the 17 youth that showed up and stayed for the presentation)
 - Lynn Kinsella from The Aurora Theatre donated 20 bags of their popcorn we gave out to those who filled out evaluations
 - We provided a table full of resources and information for parents, youths, and others to look at and take
 - These included information about marijuana, current trends, talking to your kids about drugs and alcohol and much more
- **Other:**
 - We collected a total of 16 evaluations of the speaker/event, and we had positive feedback and interest for more speakers in the future (see attached in your email)
 - Total Number of Surveys received- 16
 - Identified as:
 - Youth-6
 - Community Member-3
 - Community Member/Youth-2
 - Community Member/Youth Leader-1
 - Community Member, Parent-2
 - Community Member, Parent, Grandparent-2
 - We had sign-ups for people to be a part of ITAC or a slice committee
 - PSA
 - Billboard
 - Ice Skating
 - Youth Ambassadors

Respectfully Submitted by: Sarah Sterlace & Alli Pelletreau