

Youth Services Board

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Dan Delmonaco

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Eileen Frowenfeld

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Jake Silverman

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Irene Morris-Nann Chairperson

Brenda Lewis

James Wallace-Council Liaison

-Meeting was called to order at 7:30 pm. The minutes were discussed and corrected: Brenda Lewis and Kathy Liss had been in attendance. The minutes were accepted by the committee.

-Chair Morris-Nann distributed the treasurer's report, Municipal Alliance DEDR funding report and the Drug Free Out Reach proposal that had been emailed for review by Steve Kitsko. We were pleased to note that our cash match had been reached after last month's successful Magic Show. We introduced purchasing a color copier for all the flyers, poster, etc. produced during the year. Everyone was supportive and Chair Morris-Nann said we will look into cost and usage.

-Chair Morris-Nann discussed up-coming training sessions for Footprints and Strengthening Families. Committee persons will learn the programs, help instruct in the schools and provide savings in the future.

-Chair Morris-Nann informed the committee that the agenda book will be the sole source of advertising for many sponsors and she provided ad requests for further distribution. She strongly urged the committee to include school and YSB policies in the agenda book for further student information. Board Representative Frowenfeld reminded the committee that all District Policies exist on line, but, she agreed that some relevant ones should be included.

-Dan Delmonaco, a student representative, briefly discussed the successful Youth Board meeting and plans for student attendance and assistance at the various projects throughout the year.

-We segued into a discussion of our sign project preceding prom weekend. Chair Morris-Nann distributed one submission for immediate consideration with the assurance that more designs were available.

-Brenda Lewis presented information regarding the Borough "Unity in the Community" day outlined to include a town wide walk of "Cultural Corners," brief speeches from various clergy members and a poster contest for all students. She told us "we" had volunteered to complete and distribute flyers for the event and the contest. Chairperson Morris-Nann agreed with the proviso we keep records to support our purchase of a color copier.

-Board of Education representative Frowenfeld outlined board activities: budget submission, school calendar, Student Arts Festival, "Take Back Day" and Spring break.

-Chair Morris-Nann proudly informed the committee that our grant had "passed" the first screening.

-The meeting was adjourned at 9:55 pm.