

METH TASK FORCE MEETING NOTES

May 4, 2006

Present: L. Burgess, S. Kibler, E. O'Connell, V. Simon, D. Walker, J. Weaver, and S. White

- K. Greenwood and S. Smith, both from SEABHS, were contacted. S. Smith was interested in participation with the Task Force but unfortunately could not attend due to her work schedule this month.
- Community presentations continue to be well received. Presentations have been given at the WMS Family Night, EuroFresh, and Willcox teacher's in-service. The Calvin Terrell presentation had a positive impact, especially on the students. There is one presentation scheduled for May, thus far.
- J. Weaver states the Coalition would like contact information for the Task Force and he will provide.
- Further discussion on inpatient treatment of meth addiction will be deferred until SEABHS can provide more information or attend. **D. Walker will follow-up with SEABHS contacts.**
- Discussed drug testing in the Willcox school system and what to do with positive drug screens. Random drug screens can not have punitive academic action taken against the student. **S. White will follow-up with Dr. Roberts and the committee's progress.**
- D. Walker reports that SSMC would like to hold sports physicals this year. Discussed how to incorporate meth education into the physicals. Suggestion was made to have the students view the mandatory sports physicals, as well as, the meth presentation, on the same day. **S. White will follow-up with the coaches and D. Walker will follow-up with office manager, Nita Buckner, to see how this can be organized.**
- S. White reports that the grant proposal is on hold at this time. There is also another potential grant that she will follow-up on to see if there is enough time to submit a proposal.
- L. Burgess suggests that SSVEC also offers grants and **she will follow-up with that possibility.**
- The ad in the TAG Teen Magazine is reviewed. M. Lucke is providing the PSAs on the radio. D. Walker reports that PSAs are running in the movie theater. **D. Walker will follow-up with the movie theater to see if they would run the Montana and/or Partnership commercials.**
- **E. O'Connell will look further into court mandated treatment and bring materials to the next meeting.**
- All future meetings will be held on first Thursday of the month at 12 noon.