

**Safe Kids Frederick County
Minutes, March 9, 2017
Dublin Roasters**

In Attendance:

Angel Bivens	Nancy Boyd	Roslyn Morrissey
Lynne Phillips	Ron Raineri	Judith White

Introductions, Announcements & Thanks

- There was confusion when we arrived at DR this morning, even though Nancy had sent a reservation request to Serina, who had responded and asked for room selection. The person at the counter stated there is now a \$5.00 charge to reserve a room, which had not been communicated in prior messages.
- Nancy thanked everyone for attending. She announced \$150.00 check IMO Emilie Crown was sent to Safe Kids Montgomery County. Nancy also shared the Tribute and Celebration of Life from Emilie's memorial service.
- Nancy stated a donation was received from Ron's sister-in-law as in previous years. It was sent to FMH and Tammy Norris sent it to Nancy. Thank you letters were sent. Ron stated that the check was actually sent by his niece, since his sister-in-law lost her fight with pancreatic cancer in December. Members expressed their sympathies.

February Minutes

After a motion by Judy and seconded by Lynne, members approved the February minutes.

Families Plus closeout and FCHD/FCDFRS pickup – Nancy reported

- Organized, consolidated & purged equipment at Logistics 2/10
- Picked up extra van key from FCB and gave to FCDFRS 2/14
- Closed out SKFC/FP account at FCB (\$3,487.72 transferred to FCHD)
- Van transfer still in process
- Contract between FCHD/FCDFRS and SKW still to be signed. SKFC cannot participate in any SKW grants until the contract is signed.

Grant Reports

- Received \$1,000.00 from Kiwanis Club of Suburban Frederick Community Foundation Fund 2/14. A thank you letter was sent.

CFR Board

- One teen death due to opioid overdose.

SKMD/SKW Updates – Nancy distributed

- SKMD March 1 meeting updates
- Public Fire and Life Safety Educator Seminar, 3/25

- SKW 2017 Editorial Calendar/safety events
- February Children's Product Recalls
- Healthy People 2020 Injury and Violence Across the Life Stages and Latest Data
- Flyer from SECAC's Annual Resource Fair, 3/18

Program Reports

- **Vehicular Heatstroke Campaign** – Nancy reported: 1 death 2017
- **Child Passenger Safety** – Nancy reported:
 - Individual appointments (4)
 - Distributed: 1 infant, 2 convertible
- **Fire Prevention** – Judy reported:
 - NFPA Safety Source newsletter offers
 - winter season video from Sparky
 - free Sparky trivia app
 - safety info sheet on electrical fires
 - new wild-land safety educational materials for grades 6-12 taking them on a virtual field trip
 - Frederick County Homebuilder Show, March 18-19 at the Fairgrounds – Fire Prevention committee will set up a booth for both days.
 - FCVFRA Fire Prevention committee has started a safety newsletter available on the website
 - Wednesday, March 1, 11:00 PM ABC News featured Home Fire Hazards
 - Co. 4 Citizens Truck will be on East Patrick Street April 1, 6-9:00 PM distributing safety information
 - MFRI seminar March 25 in College Park
 - Mid-Atlantic conference September 26
- **Poison Prevention** – Angel reported:
 - Whitney Pennington is MD Poison Center's new social media person. She has begun more interaction with the Poison Center Specialists and with local media. A Poison Help PSA was distributed.
 - Poison Prevention Week is March 19-25, 2017. Angel has received some response from FC school nurses since Nancy reached out.
 - PPW packets went to all EDs and Pediatric EDs. Angel has received many requests from Baltimore County.
 - Text POISON to 797979 and the poison center number will be programmed into your phone. Then Siri will be able to auto dial.
- **Safe Routes to School** – Nancy reported
 - The Frederick Bicycle Coalition will have a Bike to School event with Hillcrest ES on May 26. Shayne & Nancy met with staff 3/7. We discussed having the educational/rodeo during 4th grade PE classes set up on one day. They have 152 fourth graders. The

celebratory ride will be Friday from Hill St. Park to the school with a ceremony after school.

- Peter, Kiwanis Club of Suburban Frederick is in the process of submitting a grant for matching funds to purchase bicycles and or more helmets.
- Waverly ES is also interested in having an event around the same time. Initial meeting scheduled March 14.

Upcoming Events

- March 17, AACF Baby Shower
- March 19-25, Poison Prevention Week
- March 20-24, April 24-28, and May 1-5, CPST training FCPSTF
- March 24, CSSC, 12-3:00 PM, Lowe's, 5611 Buckeystown Pike, Frederick
- April 23, CSSC Brunswick VFD, 12-3:00 PM
- April 29, Frederick Children's Festival, 10:00 AM – 3:00 PM
- May 26, Bike to School Day, Hillcrest ES
- June 3 Planting Hope - CANCELLED

Organizational Sharing:

- Nancy will be out of town April 11-15. Coalition members agreed to meet on April 6.
- Roslyn stated she would check for a FMH location for the April meeting.
- Roslyn stated she will assist with the April 23 event in Brunswick.
- Ron & Roslyn stated availability to assist at the Children's Festival 4/29.

Next Meeting
April 6, 2017
LTBA

Please let Nancy know if you would like to host any coalition meeting.