



Prevention Education in All Classroom Environments

Minutes from Wednesday, February 17, 2021

PEACE is a unique collaboration of school and community partners. We work together to promote prevention education in order to foster healthy and successful lives for youth.

Attendance:

- **Welcome and Introductions:** PEACE Coordinator, Amy Hawthorne opened the meeting - members introduced themselves.
- **Meeting Attendance:** Julie Datko, Kristan Warren, Katherine Branson, Felicia Robinson, Andrew (Drew) Rock, Brittany Shetler, Robin McNeal, Justin Plummer, Erica Wood, Jamie Fairfield, Katie Grandstaff, Amy Hawthorne

○ **General Meeting:**

- OLSD – Service Learning Projects – Katherine Branson shared that OLSD is coordinating a series of events through the Office of Diversity and Inclusion. In March, they will hold a service day of learning for families and students. This day will be held out in the community on March 27, 2021 and the students will be out in Delaware engaging in service. The students will learn how different issues impact the greater community and how different service organizations need “people power” to deliver those services. If your agency or organization would like to “host” or needs assistance from the student & family volunteers as they embark on their service learning project, please contact Katherine at Katherine_branson@olsd.us.
- PEACE Partnership Survey Results Review – Amy share the results of the PEACE Partnership Survey, the group discussed where the collaborative was doing well and what challenges were brought to light from the survey.
- PEACE Collaborative Moving Forward – From the PEACE Partnership Survey the group brainstormed ideas for moving forward.
 - An electronic directory was proposed as well as an outreach board to bring in new members. It was proposed that we need an elevator speech – related to prevention and what the collaborative does with a potential 1 page recruitment letter. It was also suggested that individuals on the collaborative reach out to their contacts for members that may be interested in joining.
 - Robin proposed that the website could house the directory, contacts, and calendar. Brittany volunteered to help and update the website with these additions.
 - Amy will also form a subcommittee to work on a new strategic plan. Justin, Erica, Robin and Amy volunteered to be a part of that subcommittee, Amy also mentioned that she will ask Kristin and a suicide prevention representative for their interest as well.
 - One suggestion from the survey indicated that the collaborative needed more supports in place throughout the year for our LGBTQIA+ students. Katherine suggested adding supports to families of LGBTQIA+ youth as well. This will be an ongoing conversation for the collaborative and Erica mentioned that Syntero offers “Celebrate You” group for LGBTQIA+ adolescents and “Celebrate Us” group for adults who are parents, family members and loved ones of LGBTQIA+ folks of any age.
 - Brittany shared information from the Youth Survey conducted by ODH Social Marketing Workgroup – More information can be seen on the next page. The workgroup is finalizing and “scrubbing” the data. At that time we will have an infographic tool to share.
 - The 2019-2020 Prevention Matrix is complete. Amy will pass information to Erica for graphics.
- Check In’s and Updates – None at this time
- Current Concerns – None at this time

Announcements:

- Felicia Robinson – Helpline received funding from the Women’s Fund of Central Ohio for the next TGIF Leadership Cohort. These funds will be used with other monies to begin this year’s cohort. Applications for the leadership cohort will be released soon!

Next Meeting: Wednesday, April 21, 2021 - 8:30 – 9:30 - Location: Virtual Meeting held via Zoom

Below are details from the ODH Social Marketing Workgroup - Ohio Youth Social Media Survey:

- Number of Ohio Youth Participants
 - 1,259
- Age of Participants
 - 12 years old - 14 participants
 - 13 years old - 90 participants
 - 14 years old - 179 participants
 - 15 years old - 323 participants
 - 16 years old - 305 participants
 - 17 years old - 246 participants
 - 18 years old - 102 participants
- To which gender did participants most identify to
 - Female - 759
 - Male - 454
 - Transgender Female - 2
 - Transgender Male - 4
 - Non-binary, non-conforming - 24
 - Prefer not to answer - 8
- What have participants experienced during COVID-19?
 - Offensive name calling - 24.20%
 - Spreading false rumors - 31.48%
 - Exclusion (purposefully being left out) - 33.46%
 - Harassment - 14.32%
 - Outing - 9.01%
 - Constantly asking where you are/what you are doing - 37.53%
 - Pressure to send inappropriate photos - 20.62%
 - Images shared without your permission - 12.96%
 - Fear about not replying back to someone quick enough - 44.57%
 - Unwanted photos or messages from strangers - 26.67%
 - Unwanted photos or messages from someone you know - 17.16%
 - Increase in depression - 55.19%
 - Increase in anxiety - 69.75%
 - Suicidal thoughts? - 26.79%
 - Lack of motivation to participate in outside activities - 65.06%
 - Other (please specify) - 12.22%
 - (detailed results will be shared within the next few months)
- Did participants get help with the experiences above?
 - Yes - 46.84%
 - No - 53.16%

More in depth detailed findings will be shared within the coming months. Currently the ODH Social Marketing Workgroup is working on analyzing all survey data.