

Minutes  
Youth Services Advisory Board  
October 12, 2023

1) Meeting called to order at 4:05 PM

Attendance: Jaymee Miller, Nathan DeJackome, Brett Kelly, Nicole Tierney, Nancy Cavaleri, Cindy Mckinnon, Jan Zagorski (Call)

2) Minutes of the previous meetings approved as submitted

3) Audience of Citizens – None

4) Old Business

- a. Juvenile Review Board
  - i. No new cases
- b. Other Old Business
  - i. None

5) New Business

- a. Community Update
  - i. DARE
    - 1. Starts after holidays
    - 2. Cadets are doing very well
    - 3. Stuff a cruiser coming up on October 28
  - ii. Garden Club
    - 1. More involved in community
    - 2. Project to decorate little people's playground
  - iii. Suburban Women's Club
    - 1. Working to get more recruits from Berlin
  - iv. Lots of younger kids have mental health issues
    - 1. Kids as young as 10 years old are having issues with anxiety
  - v. Camperships
    - 1. Lots were given away this summer
    - 2. Numbers decreased from last year
  - vi. Summer Program
    - 1. Working to have more day trips
- b. New Initiatives
  - i. Include one youth from each grade at BHS on the Youth Advisory Board
  - ii. Possibility for organizing award dinners or scholarships
  - iii. Fundraiser Ideas
    - 1. Random acts of kindness ex. Have people buy a flower to give to a random person on Random Acts of Kindness Day
    - 2. Gift Cards ex. having people buy gift cards to donate to kids in need
    - 3. Craft Nights
    - 4. Competitions for kids ex. bake off
    - 5. Movie Nights at BHS
    - 6. Survey for new fundraiser ideas
- c. Other New Business - None

Meeting Adjourned at 4:27 PM

Respectfully Submitted by Nathan DeJackome

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