

PACT 4 Families - Adolescent Services Committee
Wednesday, October 14th, 2009; 10:30 am to 11:45 am
Project Turnabout; Granite Falls, MN

Present: Annie Tepfer, PACT 4 Renville Co ATOD Coalition Coord. Lynette Braun, PET Program Coord.
Chris Sullivan, Renville County young adult Pete Van Der Puy, Central MN Christian School Superintendent
Tricia Buggs, PACT 4 Restorative Justice Coord. Virginia Sullivan, Renville County parent

Agenda Items/Topics for Discussion:

- Old business and updates
- Future agenda items
- Transition age youth 19-24

Discussion:

- Discussed the need or not to have feedback on the crisis cards. Having schools continue to print them in their handbooks or planners each year is financially feasible for the committee and PACT 4.
- The brain conference booth will have brochures from juvenile justice and Loren will be contacted to bring the poster board. The next meeting reminder will included a message asking committee members to bring materials for the booth to the November meeting. Crisis cards will also be included at the booth.
- Lynette has a concern about homeless youth who have to sleep in their cars. She discussed a community resource from San Francisco for the homeless youth to utilize during the winter months.

Action Taken/Recommendations:

- Committee will follow up on future agenda items and role of the committee.
- Reviewed mission statement.

Future Agenda Items/Unfinished business/Topics for further discussion:

- Promoting *Dads Make a Difference*. Sally Belgum-Blad spoke to committee about the program.
- Goodwill's Youth Innovations grant for transition-age youth.

Highlight Three Items to be shared at Collaborative meeting/brought to Board's attention:

- Sally Belgum-Blad spoke to committee about the *Dads Make a Difference* program. Committee is determining how to get the word out about it.
- Future agenda items.
- All committee members or those manning booths at the brain conference need to register.

Next Meeting Date/Location/Time:

November 4th / KCHHSB in Willmar / 10:30 am