

NORTH COASTAL PREVENTION COALITION
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8:00 a.m.

Minutes of the General Membership
Thursday, April 13, 2017

Oceanside Civic Center
Community Room
300 North Coast Highway
Oceanside, CA 92054

Attendance

Craig Balben, Oceanside Resident/NCPC President
Ray Thomson, OHS/NCPC Vice President
Nannette Stamm, VCC/HPC NCPC Secretary
Cheryl Mast, City of Vista/NCPC Board Director
Ray Pearson, Carlsbad Unified School Board/NCPC Board Directors
Dale Walton, McAlister Institute/NCPC Board Director
Maria Yanez, City of Oceanside/NCPC Board Director
Erica Leary, NCPC Program Manager/VCC
Rosalina Herrera, San Diego County Office of Education
Malcolm Warfield, Carlsbad Police Department
Frank Stalzer, Vista Sheriff's Department
Debal Acquaro, SD County HHSA North Coastal
Amy Caillouette, Oceanside Boys & Girls Club
Barbara Gordon, San Dieguito Alliance
Fatima Ashaq, VCC/NCPC
Nancy Rocha, VCC/Tobacco Control Programs
Lauren Pallasigui, VCC/NCPC
Carmela Muñoz, VCC/NCPC Prevention Specialist
John Byrom, VCC/NCPC Collaboration Specialist
Debbie Obregon, VCC/NCPC Administrative Assistant
Youth Coalition Members:
 Jennifer Lopez
 Lilibeth Leon
 Ashley Luis
 Felice Moran
 Anabel Ojeda
 Alex Carronsco
 Angel Jaramillo

I. Welcome and Introductions: Craig Balben, President.

The meeting was brought to order at 8:15 AM.

II. Approval of Meeting Minutes: March 9, 2017:

Meeting Minutes were accepted into the record as presented.

III. Treasurer's Report: Aaron Byzak, Treasurer.

Aaron was absent; Debbie Obregon reported the following report:

- General account: **\$2152.14**
- Youth Coalition: **\$338.57**
- GoFundMe #1 Account: **\$400.69 (youth coalition)**
- GoFundMe #2 Account: **\$90.75 (420 Remix)**
- Eastside Neighborhood Assoc: **\$2500.45**

REMINDER: Membership Dues for 2017 are still being accepted: \$50/organization or \$25/individual. Debbie can provide invoices/receipts as needed. Thank you for your ongoing support.

Youth Coalition Fundraising: Erica Leary reported that the NCPC GoFundMe Campaign #1 was established to raise funds for youth coalition members to attend annual FNL/YDI Camp; Campaign #2 was established to specifically support 420 REMIX. At the preceding board meeting, members approved redesigning Campaign #2 to support more general fundraising to support various youth coalition prevention activities and events throughout the year. The board is hoping the broader campaign design will encourage more and ongoing contributions. Board approval is required for using any of the funds collected through the campaign, and the overall goal will continue to be support for annual 4200 REMIX efforts. NCPC members are encouraged to share the campaign information with their social media contacts.

IV. Youth Coalition Update: Update moved to the end of the agenda (see below); students were asked to wait outside while the general members previewed the 420 PSA/Video entries and voted on the prize awards.

V. 420 REMIX Updates:

Boomers! Event: *John Byrom* reported that volunteers are still needed; a sign-up sheet was passed around the group. The go-cart race with drivers from each law enforcement agency will take place at 4:30PM; a winner's trophy has been donated by AA Trophy in Carlsbad. All group leaders have been informed about event overview/entry protocol/youth and parent resource tables.

PSA Contest: *Fatima Ashaq* reported that over 1600 online votes were recorded for the PSA entries - thank you to all who sent in submissions. NCPC staff was very impressed with all entries - everyone did a great job, all were very creative and unique. The top four online entries were previewed by the general members and members were then invited to do a preliminary vote via a live polling APP which was followed by the official vote. The following winners were announced – **Congratulations to all:**

- 1st Place Award - \$250: Marijuana Man (Angel Jaramillo, Oceanside High School)
- 2nd Place Award - \$150: No Drugs/No Way (Boys and Girls Club of Oceanside)
- 3rd Place Award - \$100: Marijuana Madness (Students from Bonita High School)
- 4th Place Award - \$50: Beauty and the Addict (Drawing): (Claire Mattson & Kat Jennings, Valley Middle School)
- Click here [LINK](#) to view winners:

IV. Youth Coalition Update:

Oceanside High School/*Be the Resistance* Club members shared a PowerPoint presentation highlighting their on-going prevention efforts and activities. They provided a recap of some of their activities including Sticker Shock Campaign, Underage Drinking Forum, attending local city council meetings, participation at the annual FNL/YDI (Youth Development Institute) Camp, and an exciting trip to Sacramento to attend Youth Quest and speak with local legislators (flight back was delayed and diverted overnight to Phoenix). NCPC thanked the teens for taking time during spring break to attend the meeting and congratulated them on their work in support of NCPC's mission and prevention goals. Angel Jaramillo, one of the presenting teens, was awarded the first place prize for his 420 PSA contest entry, "Marijuana Man." Outstanding job Angel – Congratulations!

VI. Announcements:

Barbara Gordon, San Dieguito Alliance: Spanish Marijuana Forum, Thursday, May 11, La Colonia Community Ctr, 6-7:30PM.

Maria Yanez, City of Oceanside: Saturday, April 22, *OPD Public Safety Fair and K-9 Trials* at El Camino High School; five Easter Egg Hunts scheduled for around Oceanside; Día del Niño events scheduled for April 19 in Crown Heights Neighborhood (4-7PM), and on April 29 in the Eastside Neighborhood/Balderrama Park (11AM-3PM).

Amy Cailhouette, Boys and Girls Club of Oceanside: Mother's Day Pancake Breakfast, Saturday, May 13; Summer Camp Programs for grades K-12 starting June 12 through August 9; Congratulations to Julie Hernandez, Oceanside B&G Club Youth of the Year.

John Byrom, NCPC: Rx Drug Take Back Day, April 29 - North County drop off site at TCMC and other sites around the county.

Malcolm Warfield, CPD: CUSD will host "Parents and Prevention" Workshops starting May 2 (every Tuesday for five weeks) with a different subject topic each week; open to CUSD parents and community residents.

Rosalina Herrera, SDCOE: Summer Youth Leadership Camp in Julian, only \$50/student, includes registration, food, lodging, and transportation – July 17-20; UCSD Youth Conference, August 9-11.

Marijuana Dispensary Workshop Oceanside/Medical Marijuana Dispensary Bans in Vista & Carlsbad – Erica Leary:

Oceanside City Council held a public workshop on April 4 to address how the city will deal with Prop 64 and the ban on pot dispensaries. At the workshop, Councilmember Lowery suggested a resolution to form an ad-hoc committee to look further at regulating medical marijuana in Oceanside (cultivation, dispensaries, delivery). The council will be considering the resolution at their April 19 council meeting.

Vista City Council members will address the city's medical marijuana ban at their meeting on April 25, and the city of Carlsbad will also consider an ordinance to change the city's municipal code to ban commercial marijuana activity and regulate cultivation at their meeting on April 25.

VI. Adjourn:

Meeting adjourned at 9:15 am. **MEETING LOCATION CHANGE FOR MAY:**

Next scheduled general membership meeting is Thursday, May 11, 2017, 8-9 a.m., [Oceanside Senior Center Community Room 455 Country Club Lane, Oceanside, 92054](#). Contact Debbie if you have any questions.