

North Coastal Prevention Coalition
Serving the Communities of Carlsbad, Oceanside, and Vista Community Clinic
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Minutes of the General Membership – Video Conference via Zoom
Thursday, February 11, 2021

I. Welcome and Introductions: Aaron Byzak (29 participants joined the meeting.)

2021-2022 Board Election: Results from the selection of 2021 board officers (1-yr. term): **President:** Aaron Byzak, **Vice President:** Kristal Jabara; **Secretary:** Dr. José Manuel Villarreal; **Treasurer:** Nannette Stamm. Congratulations to returning board members: Ray Thomson and Dale Walton and new alternates: Scott Ashton, Ron Howard and Timothy Jackson.

II. Meeting Minutes Approval: *January 14, 2020.* Meeting minutes were accepted into the record as presented.

III. Treasurer's Report: Nannette Stamm provided the following report/account balances:

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| General Account: | \$1,254.56 | Youth Coalition: | \$3,287.87 |
| TCCM: | \$2,150.00 | SAMSHA: | \$630.00 |
| Walmart: | \$2,175.13 | TOTAL: | \$9,497.56 |
| ENA Total: | \$1,464.51 | | |

IV. Presentation - Brooke Tafreshi, North County Community Partnership Prosecutor, SD County DA's Office:

Brooke described the various levels of support that the DA's office can offer to schools, nonprofits and community organizations. She encouraged members to visit the DA's website <https://www.sdcca.org/> for more information on how the DA's office collaborates with community groups like NCPC. Brooke reported that her position is new to the DA's office; there are four Community Partnership Prosecutors in the North County Region.

Brooke shared details about various DA programs including [Families in Motion](#) and [Handle with Care](#). She emphasized that there are many more outreach opportunities for community groups and schools in North County. Brooke also reported that a North County Juvenile Justice Care Center will be opening in a few months.

Due to technical problems, Brooke was unable to share a PowerPoint presentation and DA video with the group; the links are included here for members to view: <https://www.sdcca.org/office/Community-Partnership-Prosecutors/#:~:text=The%20duties%20of%20the%20Community,that%20often%20have%20a%20nexus>

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCS4yTjZ_rHYyiOYkdF4QIHA

Brooke's presentation was followed with a brief membership Q&A session. NCPC members were invited to contact Brooke with any questions or concerns about North County and/or leave messages in the meeting Chat Box. Brooke can be reached at (619) 886-0006 or Brooke.tafreshi@sdcca.org

V. Program Updates - Erica Leary, NCPC Program Manager, reported on the following:

NCPC, in collaboration with OHS/Be the Resistance Club, will host a virtual Community Forum on March 23, 6 to 7:30 PM. Guest speaker will be Joe Eberstein with the Marijuana Prevention Initiative.

Erica shared One Choice data highlights from the 2019 San Diego County California Healthy Kids Survey which highlighted 7th, 9th, 11th grades and nontraditional schools. We are seeing students who have not used alcohol in the past month; One Choice data points out patterns among the likelihood of other substance use.

Rob Howard noted the need for more useful subsets of racial/ethnicity breakdown; Erica offered to look into it and report back.

VI. Group Announcements/Networking:

Dr. Villarreal: Reported on interview with Lt. Valdovinos from OPD to discuss Oceanside's Youth Program (OYP); links to interview below:

English: <https://youtu.be/oD2iAZLHHVY>

Spanish: <https://youtu.be/IPfOpSjblJU>

Rob Howard: Adult Advisor for the NAACP Youth Council; Email/call Debbie Matthews for more information at 760-453-5347 or email @ Debbie@uniqueetiquette.com regarding event scheduled for Feb 20th at 11 AM.

Kelly McCormick: If you would like YLHC information, please contact/email Kelly at kmcc425@yahoo.com.

Melissa Estelle: MADD is hosting a Social Media Best Practices workshop for teens featuring the Public Information Officer and Assistant Marketing Director from the California Office of Traffic Safety, Wednesday February 24th at 3:30pm. Registration at <https://tinyurl.com/MADDSocial>. Flyer to follow! Email Melissa for more information: Melissa.Estelle@madd.org

Judi Strang: reported on SDA's partnership Scripps Health Care and monthly meetings on medical and allied fields of prevention; 14 high school clubs participate. For more info contact Judi, San Dieguito Alliance for Drug Free Youth (SDA) @ JudiStrang@earthlink.net

Cecilia Arias: shared update about VCC's Tobacco Control Program and their work with Vista High School/Stay Woke Club to address their concerns with tobacco advertisement; next steps include speaking with city council members.

Aaron Byzak: shared TCMC update on vaccination clinics and available appointments.

John Byrom: working to add TCMC as an Rx Drug Take Back site for the next national drop-off event scheduled for April 23.

Kristal Jabara, SD Board of Supervisor's Office, encouraged members to contact her with any requests for a "Certificate of Acknowledgement" to recognize individual prevention efforts and accomplishments in North County.

VII. Adjourn: Meeting adjourned at 9:05 AM. Next scheduled NCPC General Membership meeting will be Thursday, March 11, 2021, 8-9AM.

Respectfully submitted Jose Villarreal, NCPC Secretary.