**Members Present:**

**Name: Organization: Sector:**

Ellen Genrich Boone County Health Dept. Local Government

Debbie Jarvis Community Parent

Alyssa Lazzerini Boone County Drug Prevention Coalition Program Director

Jessica Jordan Boone County Drug Prevention Coalition Intern

Justine Barber Boone County Probation Local Government

Steve Tallacksen Boone County Sheriff Law Enforcement

Mike LaScola District 100 School

Melissa Bucalo Youth Services Network Youth Serving

Tom Hay Thomas T. Hay Religion

Jen Jacky YMCA Civic

Jessica Perillo Rosecrance Substance Abuse

Barb Sager North Boone District 200 School

**Guests or Other Community:** **0**

**Agenda Topics Covered**

1. **Introductions:**

* All members went around the table to introduce themselves in case of new members have not met everyone.

1. **Announcements:**

* Ellen reported that the Applebee’s Flapjack fundraiser will be the 29th of February.
* Ellen reported an update on the death trends related to vaping, there are now 42 reported deaths and over 2,172 cases nationwide as of 11/18/2019.
* Ellen reported that Alyssa, Amanda and herself worked with Tricia Smith on amending the tobacco ordinance that was passed earlier this February in order to clean up the language so it is completely enforceable at all levels. After it goes through County Board this week, the schools in Boone County will be able to enforce fines in the same way as Belvidere. Alyssa will be sending emails out to the schools with the new changes.
* Ellen & Alyssa reported that after going through the budget and receiving a new DFC award, there may be unspent funds that may allow more coalition members to attend the CADCA Leadership Forum in February 2020 from the 2nd-7th. Members are encouraged to reach out to Alyssa or Ellen if they are interested in attending.
* Alyssa reported that the Youth Leadership Council will be starting November 20, 2019 and the meeting is set for 6pm at North Boone High School. The meeting was rescheduled from last week due to email complications.
* Alyssa reported that a coalition meeting change (Day of the Week) will take place. The days that are being looked at are the second Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday of the month. Alyssa will create a doodle for everyone to vote on and the change will begin in January of 2020.
* Alyssa reported that for the next meeting we will be having a holiday party, so feel free to bring items if you would like. Also, at the next meeting we will be doing evaluations to discuss how the year went. Members will also receive new Coalition Involvement Agreements.
* Jessica Perillo reported that Rosecrance Belvidere location is opening a Substance Abuse outpatient adolescent group. The open house will be in mid-December and everyone is welcome to attend.

1. **Home Town Christmas:**
   * Jessica will be the contact person for putting together the Home Town Christmas décor and the planning. All the details for this event, will be in the email Jessica will be sending out this week.
2. **Marijuana Position Paper:**

* As a group member went through the paper and made minor changes. A final copy will be sent out, when it is completed.

1. **Treasurer’s Report:**

* The balance hasn’t changed, besides the $30 that were spent for Hometown Christmas to purchase the tree from the 4-H Federation.

1. **Behavioral Taskforce:**

* Debbie updated anyone who were not aware of the new grant that the taskforce received. The taskforce is also in the process of hiring staff for that grant so they can start the first phase of implementation.

1. **Adjourn:** Meeting was adjourned.

**Next Meeting Date and Time:**

December 16th, 2019 at 3:30-4:30 PM

**Location:** 1204 Logan Ave. Belvidere, IL 61008- Conference Room

**Questions?** Contact the Boone County Drug Prevention Coalition Program Director, Alyssa Lazzerini at 815-547-8388 or by email at [BCDPC@boonehealth.org](mailto:BCDPC@boonehealth.org) .