

**LAWRENCE ALCOHOL AND DRUG ALLIANCE**  
**MINUTES**  
**April 24, 2012**  
**5:00 P.M.**

**Present:** Mark Ubry, Lawrence Township Police Department  
Steve Groeger, Lawrence Township Recreation Department  
Tonia Moore, School Representative  
Laura O'Mara, Homefront  
Kelly Nitti, Camp Fire Boys and Girls  
Laurie Wilson, Project Graduation  
Ken Dunn, Community Representative  
Melody Powell, PEI Kids  
Carol Chamberlain, Chairperson

**Absent:** Richard Monacchio, Community Representative  
James Kownacki, Mayor, Council Liaison

**A. Introductions**

A new community representative, Ken Dunn, was present at the meeting. The members present introduced themselves and the program they were representing.

**B. Review of Minutes**

The minutes from the March 27, 2012 meeting were reviewed. Mark Ubry made a motion to approve the minutes. Steve Groeger seconded the motion. The minutes were approved.

**C. Grant Activity Reports**

LMTI - Tonia Moore reported LMTI will be having a fundraiser at Cafe Domenico on May 3, 2012. The Spring Fest was successful, although the funds raised were only about \$60.00.

For conferences, teachers were offered lunch and dinner delivery from Cafe Domenico. Eleven teachers took advantage of the lunch delivery. An estimated \$25.00 was raised by this activity.

The Third Grade Letter Writing project was coordinated by the LMTI students. The letters were distributed to graduating seniors at the senior breakfast on April 20th, prom day. Tonia Moore said the seniors appreciate the letters the third graders write about staying safe on prom night.

Camp Fire Boys and Girls - Count on Me Kids is currently being presented at Lawrence Elementary School.

PEI Kids - The programs were completed in January. PEI Kids representatives are now doing exit interviews and a program review based on the responses from the students.

Project Graduation - The Mr. LHS Fundraiser was well attended. LADA brochures were distributed and all contestants signed an agreement to be alcohol and drug free.

The parents of Project Graduation hosted the senior breakfast on senior prom day, April 20th. Laurie Wilson distributed Alliance information at the breakfast. The police conducted a simulated DWI crash. The event was attended by the LHS seniors.

The next Project Graduation meeting is May 1, 2012. There will be 282 graduating seniors this year. Volunteers are needed for the night of Project Graduation.

DARE - St. Ann's fifth graders are in the sixth week of the DARE program. LIS students are in the seventh week of DARE. The graduation dates will be available at the May meeting.

Community Awareness - Two upcoming events are the St. Lawrence Bike Rodeo on Saturday, May 12, 2012 and the Memorial Day Parade on May 19, 2012. Volunteers are needed for the bike rodeo. Groups are welcome to walk in the Memorial Day parade.

**D. New Business**

Grant Reporting Requirement - Carol Chamberlain issued the grant reporting requirements which the county distributed in early April. Receipts are now needed for all cash match items. Time sheets are needed for all consultant and personnel hours.

**E. Next Meeting Date**

The next meeting date is scheduled for May 22, 2012.

**F. Adjournment**

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 5:55 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Carol Chamberlain  
Chairperson