

## CCFW Meeting Minutes

**Date:** March 4, 2020      **Time:** 3pm – 4pm  
**Location:** Moreau Community Center      **Next Meeting:** April 1, 2020 @ MCC

**Facilitator:** Kelly Stevens  
**Recorder:** Amber Danaher

**Attendees: Name**

Brandy Richards
Jenn Rich
Becky Robarge
Kelley Haggerty
Emily Cicardi
Molly Conover
Tim Cooper
Kelly Stevens
Amber Danaher

**Sector**

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Youth Serving Organization
Schools
Healthcare
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Topic	Discussion	Decisions/Actions to be Taken
<b>Northeast Problem Gambling Resource Center</b>	March is Problem Gambling Awareness Month. Guest Speaker, Brandy Richards spoke about the resources available for people affected by problem gambling. The Northeast Problem Gambling Center help-line is answered by one of 2 individuals in the 15 counties they serve (Amy McBride or Robin Fetterman). Treatment is often made available to callers within 1 week of a request. Clinicians are vetted by the Resource Center so only the best are selected to treat patients with gambling addiction. Appropriate in-patient treatment centers remain difficult to find as most in-patient addiction	Gambling Disorder Screening Day is March 10 <sup>th</sup> . For information about Problem Gambling Awareness Month and tools you can use in your community visit: <a href="https://nyproblemgambling.org/resources/pgam/">https://nyproblemgambling.org/resources/pgam/</a>

	centers cater to substance abuse. There is a very successful gambling in-patient treatment center in Queens, NY that serves as a model for care. If you or someone you love is struggling, please visit <a href="http://NYProblemGamblingHelp.org">NYProblemGamblingHelp.org</a> to connect with resources in your community.	
<b>Available Training</b>	Introduction to Bridges Out of Poverty is scheduled for Tuesday April 14 <sup>th</sup> from 12pm – 4pm at the Moreau Community Center. No cost, 30 seats remain open. Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACEs) is scheduled for Wednesday May 13 <sup>th</sup> from 9am – 4pm at SUNY Adirondack’s Wilton Campus. CEU and CASAC credits available. No cost, lunch provided, 80 seats available.	To register for either training, contact Kelly Stevens @ <a href="mailto:ccfw-coordinator@preventioncouncil.org">ccfw-coordinator@preventioncouncil.org</a> or 518-581-1230 ext. 3616
<b>Youth Coalition Updates</b>	Amber Danaher recapped the youth participation and events from the Adirondack Thunder Game on 2/23/20. Amber invited kids to a Youth Coalition meeting on 3/5/20 at Moreau Community Center to get the Youth Coalition started. Prom is May 23 <sup>rd</sup> (Memorial Day weekend) at the Saratoga Hilton. The after-prom party will be held at Saratoga Strike Zone from 11pm-1am (10:30p – 1:30a set up and take down). Transportation back to South High after the event is being explored.	Volunteers are needed for After Prom, contact Amber @ <a href="mailto:ccfw-youth@preventioncouncil.org">ccfw-youth@preventioncouncil.org</a> to sign-up.
<b>PFS Updates</b>	Rx Takeback day is April 25 <sup>th</sup> from 10am – 2pm. We will likely be at Moreau EMS and Wilton Town Hall again this year. Radio ads featuring Sheriff Zurlo have been secured to promote this event. Spectrum digital ads featuring Superpower Your Parenting have been secured for May – September. The digital ads are designed to reach a broader audience than in the past. Alex is coordinating with local police to set-up DWI check-points for Memorial Day/Prom weekend and Compliance Checks for mid-summer.	
<b>CCFW Updates</b>	Kelly recapped the Non-Profit of the Night event with the Adirondack Thunder. CCFW raised \$1,085 in 50/50 and ticket donations. The cost of the event was \$2,000 and was a successful marketing event for the Coalition. Volunteers were greatly needed and we will be looking for more involvement from the Coalition next year. The Executive Committee voted to sponsor Big Brothers Big Sisters at the “Strike” level in the upcoming Bowl for Kids’ Sake fundraiser. The committee also voted to sponsor a hole at the Moreau Community Center’s annual golf tournament this summer.	

	<p>Kelly communicated Coalition staff updates effective 3/2/20. Kelly has assumed the role of Community Outreach Manager for The Prevention Council, the position formerly held by Justin Hamm. In her new role, Kelly will continue to serve as the Coalition Coordinator with added responsibilities. The transition will be seamless for the Coalition.</p>	
<p><b>Open Discussion</b></p>	<p>After the meeting, Jenn Rich voiced concern over bullying in the SGF elementary schools, specifically among fifth grade students. The Coalition paid staff cannot pursue bullying in elementary schools due to the parameters of the DFC and PFS grants, however the Coalition as a whole is not bound to these same parameters. If anyone is interested in sharing their concerns, researching programs and/or forming a sub-committee on bullying, please contact Jenn Rich at the Moreau Community Center. We will add this topic to the agenda for the April 1<sup>st</sup> meeting.</p>	<p>Contact Jenn Rich:  <a href="mailto:jabare@moreaucommunitycenter.org">jabare@moreaucommunitycenter.org</a>  or call 518-792-6007</p>
<p><b>Next Meeting:</b></p>	<p>April 1<sup>st</sup> at the Moreau Community Center 3pm – 4pm</p>	