

The Tobacco Free Partnership Of Clay County

Partnership Meeting, March 17, 2015, 2:00pm-3: 00pm

Orange Park Police Department

Topic	Discussion	Action
Welcome	Joseph O'Hern called the meeting to order at 2:10pm. O'Hern asked for the group to go around the room and introduce who they were and what agency they belonged to.	Members/Attendees Introduced Themselves
Old Business	Approval of the November 2014 meeting minutes.	Approved By General Consensus
New Business	SWAT Update: Clay County SWAT Clubs all had very successful events at each of their schools for "Through With Chew Week." SWAT youth set up materials before school began by placing informational posters all over campus to bring attention to "Through With Chew Week" and the dangers of smokeless tobacco. These posters also promoted the "Not A Replacement" Campaign by encouraging students to not be a replacement tobacco user for tobacco companies. SWAT youth shared facts and statistics on smokeless tobacco during their morning announcements as well as set up informative displays in their cafeterias. SWAT youth were also positioned before and after classes at the entrances/exits throughout campus to hand out information on smokeless tobacco and SWAT Club information.	

<p>Adjournment</p>	<p>Clay County Fair Update: Due to the required time to set up a booth at the fair the Partnership will not have a booth but instead will sponsor the fair and provide new and updated "Breath Easy Zone Signage".</p> <p>AHEC Update: Currently AHEC has classes at St. Vincents are the starting noon and needing to be filled. Jacquie Moreno of AHEC provided information for anyone interested.</p> <p>Special Presentation: Dr. Barry Hummel of "Go For It" provided an eye opening and engaging presentation entitled, "Smoking In Movies." The presentation discussed how youth are still being targeted by the motion picture industry by easily sliding tobacco use into movies.</p> <p>Adjournment: Meeting adjourned at 2:55p.m.</p> <p>Important Dates:</p> <p>Clay County Fair, April 2-11, 2015</p> <p>Tobacco Free Florida Week: April 26-May 2, 2015</p>	
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