

Safe Kids Sonoma County Coalition Minutes

Date: October 08, 2008

Present: Marsha Rozell, Beth Dadko, Desiree Poindexter, Barb Upham, Michelle Ramirez

TOPIC	DISCUSSION	ACTION/ BY WHOM/BY WHEN/FOLLOW-UP
Introductions and Announcements	<p>Marsha welcomed all and roundtable introductions and announcements were made. Attendance was poor and Marsha mentioned that 95% of the emails came back to her as ‘undeliverable’ – she will be deleting her groups and re-entering them.</p> <p>We discussed the Family Expo and the poor attendance. There was also a Cultural Diversity Fair that same weekend at the Finley Center.</p>	<p>Marsha will check with Lori M. regarding her ability to continue to attend meetings due to budget cuts at her office.</p>
Minute Approval	<p>Minutes were approved as is. Beth made a motion to pass, Barb seconded the motion. Passed unanimously.</p>	
New Info/Skill: Walk N Roll to School Report	<p>Beth gave us a report on the days events and showed a slide show of pictures from various schools that participated. The Bike & Pedestrian Action Team had 33 schools participate – up from 17 last year! Way to go team! Beth thanked Desiree and the Community Media Center for all of their hardwork in getting press releases out and notifying the media. The main media event took place at Kawana Elementary.</p>	<p>For additional information or resources – go to the SKSC website at www.safekidssonomacounty.org</p> <p>Beth also wanted to pass on 2 more informational websites: www.walkinginfo.org www.bicycleinfo.org</p> <p>She will try to add the links to our main website.</p>
Budget	<p>Marsha passed out copies of the budget at SRM. They are currently having trouble actually making the deposits because a number of the checks have the county address on them. Beth gave a report of the monies still held at the county under SKSC. The only group that had money was CPS (\$3800)</p> <p>Marsha applied for a \$5000 grant on behalf of SKSC through Speedway Children’s Charities. \$3000 would go to the Home Safety Team, \$1500 would go to the Bike & Ped Team and \$500 would be for incidentals.</p> <p>Marsha will look into applying for the Kids Plate Car Seat Grant for the CPS group.</p>	<p>Marsha will report to the group as soon as she knows anything from Speedway Children’s Charities.</p>

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<p>Action Team Reports</p>	<p><u>Bike & Pedestrian:</u> Walk & Roll to School Day today!</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The group received SRTS grant for non-infrastructure and infrastructure. • New storage place for Helmets – SRM! • The group discussed purchasing the POGO Printer – we will wait until the deposits are cleared at SRM. • The group discussed a plan to address bike helmet usage at High Schools – use SRO’s, <p><u>CPS:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • September 20 – 27th – National CPS Week • Saturday Sept. 20 – CSS Check up in Guerneville hosted by River to Coast Children Services from 10-2 (30 car seat checked, 22 given away, only \$65 in donations received) We are still having problems with technicians asking for donations. • Sunday Sept. 21 – CSS Check up in Santa Rosa hosted by Sonoma Co. Sheriff from 9-1 (8 car seat checked, 1 was 100% correct! None were given away) • Babies R’ Us in Marin City would like to host a CSS Check in November and would like us to staff it. <p><u>Home:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Healthsource will offer CPR classes at a discount and give a portion of the money to the Home Safety Team • The team had some new people attend the meeting last month: CPS, SRJC Foster Parents <p><u>Water:</u> No rep</p>	<p>Barb mentioned that CHP may be able to help.</p> <p>Marsha to send class & fitting station flyer to Michelle at Healthsource</p> <p>Barb gave Marsha the PIO contact for Marin (Mary Zeigenbein 415-924-1198)</p>
<p>Announcements</p>	<p>Michelle has a contact that is interested in becoming a CPS Tech. Marsha mentioned that there is a 1 day training available for expired techs.</p> <p>Barb mentioned that it’s a good idea to have cash at home (in a safe) and to keep windows & doors locked. Due to the economy, there are more break-ins then usual.</p>	<p>Marsha directed her to go to the safekids.org website since we are not having any classes in Sonoma County until summer of 2010</p>
<p>Next Meeting</p>	<p>Wednesday November 12, 2008, 2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. La Plaza Building A (phone 565-2463) 2300 County Center Dr., A212 Santa Rosa, CA 95403 (upstairs)</p>	