

Princeton Alcohol and Drug Alliance
Regular Meeting by videoconference
May 6, 2021
APPROVED Minutes

Open Meeting – Notice of this meeting was published on the municipal website.

Attendance:

- Gary De Blasio (Alliance Coordinator)
- Holly Arana (Princeton Police)
- Jean-Carlos Arenas (Princeton University Inter-Club Council Advisor)
- Madeline Chia (CHSB – Princeton Day School)
- Filomeno Cuino (Corner House staff)
- Schuyler Kean (Princeton University Inter-Club Council President)
- Tracy Kindelsperger (Corner House staff)
- Riva Levy (Corner House staff)
- Diana Lygas (Princeton High School)
- Courtney Navas (Alliance Chair)
- Hannah Van Dusen (CHSB – Princeton Day School)
- Dwaine Williamson (Princeton Council)
- Jean Woodman (Corner House staff)

- I. Alliance Chair Courtney Navas called the meeting to order at 12:03 PM.
 - a. Introductions: The Alliance welcomed Schuyler Kean, 2021 – 2022 President of the Inter-Club Council at Princeton University.
 - b. The minutes of the March 4, 2021 meeting were approved as presented. Motion Holly Arana, second Riva Levy, approved.
- II. Update from School Representatives:
 - a. PHS – Michelle Simborski – Prom was held last Saturday. Michelle will forward the price on getting some IndieFlix films as a fall program. Maybe could offer as a program with all the schools, police, CH, maybe Health. Q on Graduation – Michelle doesn't know yet but they are going to try to hold it outside, as distanced possible.
 - b. No Hun, PDS, or Stuart representatives were present today.
- III. Update from Princeton Public Library – no representatives available today.
- IV. Update from Princeton University – no representatives available today.
 - a. Student Life – no representatives available today.
 - b. ICC: Jean-Carlos reported that, per agreement with the University, the eating clubs are still closed, but they are looking into a reopening plan in the fall. This will be a joint plan with Office of Student Life and other councils. Schuyler noted the University has not signed off on a fall reopening but the clubs are developing an action plan around GICC guidelines. Officer corps have been trained in accessibility, public safety, and health with University Health Services. The expectation is that clubs will be open in the fall because Princeton University is mandating vaccines for the fall. The desire is to balance activities that are integral to student life with safety.
- V. Update from Princeton Council Liaison and Law Enforcement
 - a. Princeton Council – Dwaine Williamson
 - i. Bernie Hradovic has started as the municipal Business Administrator.

- ii. The Cannabis Task Force has begun to meet. Dave Errickson is representing Corner House. Dwaine will find out if there is a Princeton University representative.
 - iii. A task force will be appointed to study whether Princeton should create a community center. Princeton's Master Plan includes one and there some residents who want one. Dwaine noted, if a community center were to open, it would not be in the PFARS building and adjacent housing. The task force will look into health, public safety, and neighbors' concerns.
 - iv. Dwaine summarized the five current Affordable Housing projects. Harrison Street and Franklin Avenue will focus on "inclusionary" housing (market rate and affordable units). Other sites are Bennett Road, Herrontown Road on the former SAVE site, and an expansion of Princeton Community Village.
 - v. Council has approved the PADA application for 2022 – 2023 program funding.
- b. Police – Det. Holly Arana
- i. It was a quiet month for the police report. Courtney reported a 40-youth post-prom party with alcohol this past weekend but Holly has not yet received the report on who was present.
 - ii. The Student Academy will be held August 16 week with opportunities for middle school and high school students. Check the Princeton Police Facebook page for more information.

VI. Student Leadership Programs – Hannah Van Dusen, Madeline Chia, Riva Levy, Fil Cuino

- a. Hannah – The Corner House Student Board hopes to host an outdoor movie night before the end of the school year. Hannah has been creating a video about the Seniors to Seniors program. A face-to-face event for the senior students and adults is planned for June. CHSB students will present part of the program at the Corner House benefit on June 4.
- b. Riva thanked the CHSB for making this year special despite the pandemic. Awards Night on May 25 will mark end of program year, and will include the \$1,000 Harriet Robertson Leadership Award. Orientation for the 2021-2022 students will be held June 1. Prevention programs will have 30 CHSB and 50 total members of TAG and GAIA. All prevention programs have been maximized for the 2021-2022 year following the past year's challenges, students' desire for connection, and the belief that as many students as possible have an in-person experience. The Leadership Retreat will be held in-person August 3-5 at Community Park and the Princeton High School Auditorium. Riva looks forward to seeing alumni of the prevention programs as chaperones at the Leadership Retreat.
- c. Fil – Students have taken advantage of tutoring at Community House and it has really helped their grades. Several students have received SYEP employment offers. A representative from Rider talked about the EO program for disadvantaged students who choose to attend New Jersey colleges. Last week therapist Ebony White gave a presentation to students on the importance of good mental health, including a coping skill activities. Fil and Rho will follow up with students to remind them about using these skills. They are looking forward to celebrating the students' hard work and dedication at the May 25 Awards Program. Two Outreach students will receive a Marian Levine Scholarship of \$1,000 each. Students are looking forward to returning to outdoor

activities this summer. Dean Khristina Gonzalez of Princeton University and Charlotte Collins of the Community House will be collaborating with the Outreach programs.

- VII. Board of Health – Kathy Stillo was unable to attend but had previously reported by email that the Health Department is focusing on vaccine clinics and education to address vaccine hesitancy or reluctance, and Health is tracking the success of those programs.
- VIII. Old Business
- IX. New Business
 - a. June 4: The Corner House Foundation will host a garden party fundraiser on June 4, honoring Leah MacDonald and the Princeton Police. It will include live jazz to honor the memory of community leader Jim Floyd.
 - b. The PRIDE Picnic will be held on June 5, 6:00-8:00 pm, outdoor celebration.
 - c. September 25: Corner House Foundation will host a 5K run/walk fundraiser on Stuart’s course. The Foundation would love to have students and eating clubs participate. Contact Tracy Kindelsperger for more information or to volunteer.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:36 PM. Motion Holly Arana, second Riva Levy, approved. The Alliance wished Madeline and Hannah the best of luck in their college careers.

Upcoming Meeting Dates

- No meetings in June, July, or August
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- October 7
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Respectfully submitted,

Jean Woodman, Secretary to the PADA.

Minutes approved 10/7/2021



PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Princeton Alcohol & Drug Alliance (PADA) will hold its regular meeting on Thursday, May 6, 2021 at 12:00 noon via videoconference using the following:

<https://zoom.us/j/92363814085>

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The agenda to the extent known has been posted and formal action may be taken.

Gary De Blasio

Alliance Coordinator

April 29, 2021

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May 6, 2021, 12:00 noon
DRAFT Agenda

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- I. Call to order: Courtney Navas, Alliance Chair
- II. Introductions and welcome to guests
 - a. Public comment – 3 minutes per speaker
- III. Approval of April 1, 2021 minutes
- IV. Reports from School Representatives
 - a. Princeton Public Schools
 - b. The Hun School
 - c. Princeton Day School
 - d. Stuart Country Day School of the Sacred Heart
- V. Report from Princeton Public Library
- VI. Report from Princeton University and Eating Club Representatives
 - a. Campus Life
 - b. Inter-Club Council
- VII. Report from Princeton Council Liaison
- VIII. Report from Law Enforcement
- IX. Reports from Corner House Student Programs
 - a. Corner House Student Board
 - b. Prevention Programs Coordinator
 - c. Outreach Coordinator
- X. Report from Board of Health
- XI. Old Business
 - a. Revised Alliance funding announced
- XII. New Business
 - a. Cultural Competency
- XIII. Adjournment

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