



SNAPS SA Coalition Monthly Meeting
Wednesday, March 30, 2022 @ 12:00pm
Via Zoom



"SNAPS-SA Coalition joins forces with partners throughout the community to address underlying issues related to underage drinking, and prescription abuse and misuse in our community. One organization, program, and department alone cannot solely be responsible for addressing these issues and thus collaboratively we strive to increase the resiliency of our youth in McKinley County."

Minutes

Call to Order: 12:05P.M.

I. Mission Statement

- Delphine read the revised mission statement and read it to the coalition members and mentioned that the website will be updated.

II. New Mexico Community Survey

- Delphine shared with coalition the number of surveys that were completed. Our online surveys for the week we collected 32, also how many winners we have had from the community that completed the survey. Also discussed our successful outreach efforts that was done at the flea market on March 26, 2022, by collecting 46 paper surveys and collecting 5 paper surveys from Ace hardware and lumber. All surveys were mailed out to our evaluators. Delphine also mentioned for next fiscal year we will talk to OSAP, Pire, and the state about the questions due to community members sharing their concern about the survey being too long and time consuming.
 - Delphine will send out another email for the NMCS
 - April 4, 5, and 6 will be located at Walmart
 - Goal to reach 300 Surveys, with 150 paper surveys and 150 online surveys.

III. McKinley County DWI Program

- Prevention Specialist Cheyenne, Danielle, and DWI manager Jennifer introduced themselves.
- Cheyenne mentioned that April is alcohol awareness month, and they have a few events planned. They will have their FB page active with new content and different flyers about the topic of alcohol. They have presentations lined up for the community, starting with the youth shelter on the second week of April. The next presentation will be the prom safety presentation first location will be Gallup High School on



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April 22, 2022, this includes taking the crash vehicle. April 23 they are having 10k, 5k, and 1 mile walk, flyers will be posted.

- Evidence- based programs
 - Botvin life skills with JFK every Friday
 - Girl's circle with the boys and girls club on Tuesdays
- Danielle discussed employee presentations that are being done for business in the community these presentations are aimed toward adults, and young adults. So far three presentations have been done. These presentations are going well because the first presentations audience mentioned that they didn't know what the consequences were when getting a DUI. These presentations are intended for reminders and the risk that are being taken when driving under the influence.
- Jennifer specified ongoing efforts within the community such as participating in DWI Checkpoints and providing food for the officers. Also visiting 29 chapters within the county that are being done quarterly, a 3-4 question survey is also being collected to find their community needs.
 - Alcohol Awareness Month: Calendar project – *Activities they like to do instead of drinking*. We have reached out to local artist from the school district. ***This is not a contest*** every student acceptable drawing will be included in the calendar.
 - VIP (Victim Impact Panel): is going well, these are once a month on the third Thursday. We have an average of 14 individuals participating in the class. We are also fortunate to have speakers volunteer and share their stories.
- Prom Safety Planning: We plan to do presentation with our high school and to share the crash vehicle that was involved in an incident, this vehicle is placed on a flatbed and has signs to share the background story. We plan to do this type of presentation for graduation as well.
 - We plan on dropping off the crash vehicle the beginning of the week and have student to look at the vehicle. Then we want to visit the school Friday to do a presentation for the junior and senior students.
 - We have Gallup high school on board for April 18 to drop off the vehicle and to do presentation on April 21, 2022. We are still trying to reach out to other schools for their prom dates.

IV. Drug Take Back



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- April 30, 2022
- Delphine mentioned that she wanted to collaborate with Tammy Houghtaling. This will be Delphine's first drug take back event and has been reaching out to the DEA's office to inquire details about flyers to start information dissemination.
 - Michelle mentioned that she reached out to the individual that coordinates the event. Nick will reach out within a couple of weeks to start planning stages. She also made it clear that we can reach out with any questions.
- Delphine also mentioned that she is in the process of training for Narcan with the train the trainer opportunities.
- Drop off locations on our website are updated and were confirmed.
- Flyers will be disseminated within the upcoming weeks.

V. Resources

- Watson included an opportunity to collaborate for upcoming events because he has a mascot that represents his rocknlife program.
 - Rocknlife program is geared for suicide prevention and substance abuse addiction, he has also used this platform to reach families that needed behavioral health assistance. He has traveled to tribal lands to inform individuals with resources.
 - Literature handouts including flyers that can be handed out during checkpoints
- Summer with NMSAS mentioned that April is Sexual Assault Awareness month. Her agency is planning several events in April. On April 2nd, they are collaborating with Rio West Mall to host a Clothing Closet. They will have a table there and T-Shirts sharing messages. On April 5th they are having a fundraiser with pizza 9 to help kick off sexual assault awareness month. On April 11th, they are holding the 1st Annual First Responders Breakfast and raffle at their downtown office. On April 21st, they will have an event called "Take Back the Night". They will meet at their downtown office about 5:30 p.m. and will march to the Court House Square. There will be speakers and a candlelight vigil. It will be open to the public and any other agencies who would like to participate. On April 23 they will have a free movie night at the El Morro Theatre Downtown Gallup, they will show "The Shack" @ 6:00pm with following discussion. April 27 is Denim Day to wear jeans for a purpose to support survivors.



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- Delphine also mentioned that she is planning on doing a presentation through our Facebook platform.
- SNAPS-SA is looking into different platforms like Instagram and Tik-Tok for our information dissemination and to reach our underage population.
- Michelle also mentioned that they do offer presentations related to health care and other topics. Programs are more than willing to reach out. Their area of focus is diversion of medication.
 - Presentations are offered in English and Spanish.
 - Can be virtual or in person.
- Daisy mentioned that cross posting can help to share awareness in the community especially with the weather warming up this gives programs more opportunities to be out in the community.
- Tammy mentioned that she is a reliable resource for the drug take back. MCSO are doing more checkpoints and they are doing presentation and more training with the state. If any program needs help for information dissemination, they can share on their Facebook page, or during checkpoints to drop off with the DWI Program.
- Kelly mentioned that if clients or staff needed COVID testing kits or N95 mask to reach out, they have plenty for the community.
- ShaQuilla Yazzie, Planner/Delegated Prevention Coordinator, we have eleven (11) Prevention Specialist located throughout the Navajo Nation; the services we provide is prevention education, trainings like QPR, curriculums like BABES, Fatherhood/Motherhood is Sacred, Linking Generations by Strengthening Relationships, and cultural presentations like the Navajo Wellness Model. You may search "NNDBMHS" on Facebook and Instagram for upcoming events and outreach efforts. They also have annual summits that are coming up this summer.

Adjourned: 12:42p.m.

Next coalition meeting will be June 29, 2022