

Meeting of the:
Rockaway Township Substance Abuse Alliance
May 22, 2019

Attendees:

Leslie Wexler	Lil Wexler	Todd Silverman
Marty McParland	Mary McAloon	Manny Friedlander

Meeting Called to order at 7:10 by Les.

Minutes from previous meeting were read and approved by Todd, seconded by Lil.

Treasurer's Report: All accounts reconciled. All bills paid to date.

Old Business: No updates on the Senate / Assembly Bill.

New Business

Website: Todd cleaned up home page removed old current events.

Programming:

- Project Pride spoke to the 8th grade on 5/21. They had four excellent speakers, all with quite a story. Next year's program date is set for May 20, 2020.
- Celebrity Day is on Thursday May 30. Breakfast at 7:00 and then into the gym by 8:00. Special presentation in memory of Tim Bassett. His family and friends will attend. We have 18 celebrities attending. 9:00 celebrities begin speaking to the children in the classrooms. Celebrity vs. Student/Teacher basketball game at the end of the day.

Tricky Tray: Went very well and we had about 250 people. It was a profitable event.

Public Session: Marty suggested starting a small scholarship at each High School that we would sponsor in Tim's memory. Students that are following a career path in alcohol and/or drug counseling will be invited to write an essay to apply for the funds. Details to be discussed but we all agreed to move ahead with it for the next school year.

Meeting adjourned at 7:35 pm.

Next meeting: Thursday June 13, 2019 at 7:00 p.m. in the Copeland Middle School library.

Due to a scheduling conflict, June's meeting is a week early.