

**Rockaway Township Substance Abuse Alliance Meeting
November 16, 2023**

Attendees:

Leslie Wexler
Joe Jackson
Marty McParland

Lisa Wexler
Tanya Shields

Todd Silverman
Manny Friedlander

Meeting Called to order at 7:07 by Les.
Minutes approved by Lisa and seconded by Todd.

Treasurer's report reconciled.

Website: Todd has been keeping the website up to date. Lisa will send the updated explanations of the 4 phases.

Project Positive Choice for 2023-2024 School Year:

7th grade: November 15, Dennis Fastiggi spoke to the 7th grade that went really well. The students were very receptive to him and his message. The kids had a lot of great questions and were very well behaved.

8th grade:

Phase 1: November 29, Kevin Wilkins

Phase 2: January 3, Anthony Doran

Phases 3: May 10, Aimee Quinn

Phases 4: May 30, Celebrity Day (dinner May 29)

In the spring, Dennis Fastiggi's gym will be hosting a fundraising, and we will be the recipient of the proceeds.

Bingo: Planning for 2024, dates we are talking about are October 19, 26 or November 16.

Lisa suggests that we reach out to Jon Sinclair about coming back to speak. He was very well received by the students last year and was extremely inspirational.

For December we aren't going to be meeting due to the holidays and everyone's busy schedules.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:45pm.

Next meeting: Thursday, January 18, 2023, Copeland Middle School

HAPPY HOLIDAYS TO EVERYONE