

Marion County Children's Alliance Monthly Meeting

Wednesday, November 3, 2010

Invocation:

Given by Ed Dean

Introductions:

Introductions were combined at the end during Roundtable.

Minutes:

No corrections to the August minutes and approved as written.

Coordinator's Report:

Mike Jordan addressed upcoming events. Dr. Jordan was also presented with a gift by Myrna Watkins. (Childhood Suicide Prevention at next Alliance meeting.)

Speaker:

Mr. Hackmyer introduced the speaker, Dr. David Lawrence of Children's Movement of Florida, who spoke of advocating for children and educational programs for children and funding of children's programs; to learn more about this movement go to www.childrensmovementflorida.org. Questions and Answers at the end.

Roundtable:

- * Youth and Family Alternatives; November is National Adoption Month
- * Adult Treatment Center did a couple car washes which raised \$1000.00; funds raised will be going to DV Center and for breast cancer awareness and treatment
- * Devereux Kids-Lola Gonzalez invited everyone to the International Gala
- * Interfaith will be sprucing up their rooms and asked anyone interested to adopt a room to redecorate. Call for more information 622- 8960
- * Arnette House will be hosting their Annual Arnette House Gingerbread Wonderland at the Silver Springs Festival of lights, contact Matt Matthews 622-6135
- * Pentecostal Full Gospel Worship Center will present a Business Workshop Nov. 12th and 13th Call 622-8960

The meeting adjourned at 1:03 p.m.

Future Alliance Meetings

Safe Kids	Thursday, November 4 – 9 a.m., MCHD
Family Violence Prevention	Monday, November 8th – 11:00 a.m., Sheriff's Office
M.C. Disability Alliance	Tuesday, November 9 - noon, ARC Marion
Faith Community Network	Wednesday, November 10th – noon, OPD
Mentoring Workgroup	Wednesday, November 17 – 11:30 a.m., Jail Admin. Conf. Room
Grant Advisory Workgroup	Thursday, November 18 – 11 a.m. OPD
Childhood Nutrition	Monday, November 22 – 9 a.m., Health Dept. Coleman Ctr.
Alliance Monthly Meeting	Wednesday, December 1 – 11:30 a.m., Jail Adm. Bldg.
CCASA	Monday, December 13, noon, OPD
Teen Pregnancy Prev.	Thursday, December 16 - 11:00 am Health Dept. Coleman Ctr.

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Board of Directors	Wednesday, January 5, Jail Adm. Bldg.
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