

Manitowoc Crime Prevention Committee Meeting May 4, 2017

- 1) Roll call: Sgt. Bruce Jacobs, Christel Ericson, Vicki Wetenkamp, Wendy Smith, Steve, Czekala, Nancy Boeck, Ralph Kramer, Rita Muench, Steve Kleifeldt, Amy Schoepp, Jackie LeBre, Mary Schilder, Miranda Check, Joan Verhelst  
Excused: Payton Meyer, Melia Prange, Kelly Becker, Sandy Keil, Christma Hockhammer,
- 2) Minutes Approved: First by Rita, second by Bruce
- 3) Treasure Report: First by Steve, second by Amy
- 4) Request for Public Input: No public input.
- 5) Membership Matters: Still no High School representative from Roncalli High School. New member, Joan Verheist from Human Resource Department at KI, Katie Wilsman has resigned; Annie Short will take her place.
- 6) TRIAD Update: The larger than normal group met in May. The original members are in their 90's, picking up new members. Summer picnic, a 25 year tradition, is in July. Green Bay has formed a TRIAD group. They will support seniors on physical, mental and economic abuse.
- 7) High School Members Update: Chrystal reports usual truancy issues at Lincoln, Payton reports thru Bruce that Valders had a student who threatened to shoot someone at school, Manitowoc County Police handled the situation.
- 8) SRO Update: Dave Remiker reports Safety Patrol Picnic coming up in May. Youth Academy held as a part of Summer School will begin in June. It accommodates 30 Junior students. Lincoln, Wilson, and Washington have some gang, Latin Kings and Glo Gang, activity. They're at odds at school by threatening and provoking, fighting each other. Outside school they steal, drink, break curfew, etc. Curfew for ages 16 and under is 11:00PM school nights, 12:00PM weekends. Consequences at school may be suspension, citations, arrests.
- 9) Citizens Academy Alumni Update: Three police officers gave a presentation on the Dale Tenhaken memorial namely the event or reasons for the memorial. It was an emotional evening for all.
- 10) Manitowoc County Youth Diversion Program: No Report
- 11) Healthiest Manitowoc County Substance Abuse Prevention: Katie not present. Bruce reports prevention week is coming up. A Facebook live presentation will be held on May 17<sup>th</sup>, beginning at 8:00AM.
- 12) City Council Update: Steve Czekala reports new members were welcomed to the board and old members leaving were thanked for their service to the city.
- 13) CPC Activities/Projects/Scams: Bruce reports that scams continue to be a problem for everyone. Be aware! The gas station/credit card scam is the newest one for Manitowoc. WalMart and others continue to call the police department with concerns for citizens who may be caught up in a scam. Bruce continues to work with the community on this problem.

Old Business:

- 14) Walmart gave \$1,000.00 to the Police Dept which in turn was given to the Crime Prevention Committee to support prevention causes in Manitowoc County.
- 15) Nancy Boeck thanked those members who worked at our table for Healthy Kids day at the YMCA. A packet of safety information was handed out to each family.
- 16) Dates to Remember:  
Next Meeting June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2017 at 6:30 PM.  
Safety Patrol Picnic on May 17<sup>th</sup> at Silver Creek Park, !0:00 AM to 1:30 PM.  
Fallen Officer Memorial Service will be held May 15<sup>th</sup> at 2:45PM outside between City Hall and County Jail buildings.

Meeting adjourned: First by Wendy Smith; Second by Jackie LeBre

Minutes submitted by Nancy Boeck