

Barrington's Prevention

Coalition

Health & Wellness Committee Report-10/7/20

- 1. The BAY Team has wrapped up the 2-year State Opioid Response Grant. In finishing the grant, we are distributing 300 prevention bags to families, have mental health and wellness signs in visible locations, and have a supply of deterra and disposeRX.
- 2. During the summer we held a 2-week Virtual Olympics. The recap video can be found on our Facebook page.
- 3. Our East Bay Tobacco Youth Council will be holding a youth conference on 10/17 for new members in the region. There will be 12 youth in-person and we will facebook live the 2 training components-Taking Down Tobacco and Rise of Vaping.
- 4. Drug Take Back will be held on October 24th from 10am-2pm at the Barrington Police. This will be a drive-thru, no contact event.
- 5. The Day of Caring will be Monday, October 12th from 10am-1pm. This will be held at Barrington Town Hall and will be a no contact drive-thru food collection for Tap-In.
- 6. We will be distributing retailer education to those who hold a tobacco retail license. There has been an increase in sales to minors.
- 7. We have just completed our yearly Barrington Liquor Training for all who sell or serve alcohol. We will be working with Barrington Police to conduct compliance checks.
- 8. We recently held a Youth Awareness class. This class is for anyone under 21 with an alcohol offense. There were 5 youth from JHB in this class. There are another 5 from JHB and 3 from municipal court that must take the class. This is a huge increase in a short time frame. Please note, if you saw the picture in the Barrington Times of "The Camp" in the woods, that was only a small portion. I walked that site and it was well established. This was an area frequented by youth from town.
- 9. We are in the process of creating a mental health forum that will be housed on a website. Parents will be able to email questions that will be answered in a blog form by student assistance counselors, social workers.
- 10. Our next BAY Team meeting is Monday, 11/2, 9:00am-Zoom