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102 W. MARKET STREET, SUITE 205
BLUFFTON, IN 46714

CITIZENS AGAINST DRUG ABUSE Minutes
December 10, 2020 CHANGE TO JANUARY 14, 2021
11:30 – 12:30 PM
4-H Community Building

Attendance: Kari Adams (Bowen Center), Vicki Andrews (Wells County Government/Southern Wells Schools), Jinny Broderick (Park Center), Adam Carroll (Loving Shepard Ministries), Angie Dial (FCS), Janet Haney (Region 3 DMHA), Stacy Herrold (Bluffton Middle School), Molly Hoag (Purdue Extension), Angela Hulvey (Norwell High School), Holly Morgan (Norwell Middle School), Stephanie Tucker (Ossian Police Department), Christine Walker (Grace & Mercy), Hattie Wondercheck (Helping Hands Pregnancy Resource Center), Mayor John Whicker (City of Bluffton).

New Members: None at this time.

Members shall be either employed in, reside, in or serve Wells County.

Candidates for membership are eligible after attending three (3) CADA meetings.

A member in good standing must attend a minimum of four (4) meetings per year.

Conflict of Interest Statement: Members and guests may sign the document when CADA meetings resume in person.

Grant Program Reports or Resource Presentation:

Norwell High School (Angela Hulvey): The high school conducts 5 random drug screens each week at a cost of \$24 per test. From August 2019 through March 2020 (until COVID resulted in school closures), 112 students were tested. Of those students, 107 students tested negative and 5 tested positive for either nicotine, THC, or both. Upon retest, 60% of the 5 students still tested positive. The program focus is on deterrence and education.

Presentation of Minutes: Minutes from December meeting were presented and approved as written (motion by John and seconded by Vicki).

Treasurer's Report: The duties of treasurer are currently being transitioned from Greg Werich to Vicki Andrews.

Checking Account Balance - \$ 3,395.93

Memorial Fund - \$ 2,810.00

Drug Free Community Fund 2020 - \$20,544.07

Drug Free Community Fund 2021 - January posting \$2,059.13 / 2021 balance \$2,059.13

Unfinished Business:

- **Grants Committee:** The committee consists of: Molly, Deane', Jade, Vicki, Jinny, Hattie, Holly. Molly will email the committee to set up a meeting (possibly early February) to review forms and set dates for the 2021 grant cycle. The new grant due date will better reflect the new CCP due date (April 1) to avoid the delay in distribution of funds like last year.
- **Harm Reduction Committee:** The committee has not met recently due to COVID. The committee may meet soon to determine if/when the event cancelled in August 2020 may be held. Members may also get together to assemble Harm Reduction kits soon. Due to COVID, some of the supplies have been impossible to get; however, Jade was able to obtain some items recently from SHIP Happens.
- **Comprehensive Plan Committee:** The CCP is due April 1, 2021. If major changes are needed, a committee may be assembled to give input on the annual document.

New Business:

- **Landmark Recovery:** APC recently approved to rezone the shuttered Signature Health Care from R-1 to R-3 to allow the facility to function as an in-patient substance abuse facility. Angie has obtained a phone

number for Edward Huminick, APC's contact for Landmark Recovery. We will make contact to introduce CADA and to welcome them to the community.

Member sharing /Community Concerns and Trends:

- Janet: Client Consultation Boards throughout the 9 county region have begun meeting. There has been a good response and good ideas are coming for the collaboration. Contact Janet if you are interested in participating.
- Stephanie: OPD is finishing an office remodel. Otherwise, things have been fairly slow in Ossian as everyone is still learning how to do life during the pandemic.
- Angie: FCS offices have recently reopened after a brief closure over the holidays. Many services are still conducted virtual for now.
- Molly: WRAPP has recently completed a Needs Assessment in the community. The response was better than last time. When the data is ready, it will be shared and may be useful in completing the CCP for CADA.
- John: Reiterated the need for the in-patient substance abuse facility and noted that since APC has approved the zoning request, it will now go to Bluffton City Council for approval.
- Vicki: Shared her appreciation for the work towards bringing the in-patient substance abuse facility to Wells County and commended Landmark Recovery for utilizing an existing building for a new use.
- Hattie: Helping Hands has been busy. Parenting In Progress classes have been so popular that classes have been added to the schedule.
- Kari: Bowen Center continues to offer in-person and telephonic services to clients in Wells County. Staff is growing to meet the needs.
- Angela: The school continues to be focused on COVID to ensure safety of the students and staff.
- Jinny: Park Center continues to offer in-person and TeleHealth services. Due to TeleHealth services, Intensive IOP's are now available without driving to Fort Wayne.
- Adam: There is currently 1 female in the residence; 2 have moved on to more permanent placement. Vaping continues to be a concern.
- CADA of Wels County Facebook page... like, share, follow!

Minutes submitted by Angie Dial

**Next Meeting: February 11, 2021 @ 11:30
4-H Community Building**

Adam Carroll – President / Molly Hoag - Vice President / Deane' Holderman – Secretary / Vicki Andrews - Treasurer



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4-H Community Building

Attendance: Deane' Holderman (Wells DCS), Valerie Runyon (Wells Probation), Molly Hoag (Purdue Extension), Angie Dial (FCS), Adam Carroll (Loving Shepard Ministries), Jeremy Heckel (Wells County Sheriffs), MJ Tipton (Bluffton PD), Stephanie Tucker (Ossian PD), Steve Pastore (Wells Probation), Christine Walker (Grace & Mercy), Betsy Collier (WOW)

New Members: No New members

Grant Program Reports or Resource Presentation:

- Betsy Collier – Wells On Wheels. They received \$1500 in CADA Grant Monies. These monies went toward free transportation for Substance abuse counseling and recovery groups in Wells County. They had 512 trips at a costs of \$24.83 per trip with a total of \$12,712.86. Monies were used towards these transportation expenses. \$2 each way for cost to clients and \$5 each way for Ossian. They also provide out of county for \$25 - \$50 a trip with a 50 mile radius. Hours are from 6am through 6:30pm.
- Steve Pastore – Wells County Probation - drug testing for adult probation services. They used the funds to offset fees for drug tests for clients and have a flat rate for their services. They experienced difficulties in 2020 with drug testing due to Covid. They reduced their totals by 50% but it is expected to get back to more frequent testing and face to face testing with moderate to high risk clients with more frequency. They did utilize the full \$1500 to offset the costs of screens. They utilize both instant screens and saliva screens. Cordent is currently their provider for processing drug screens.

Presentation of Minutes: Minutes from January meeting were presented and approved with corrections.

Treasurer's Report:

Checking Account Balance - \$ 3,395.93
Memorial Fund - \$ 2,810.00
Drug Free Community Fund 2020 - \$20,544.07
Drug Free Community Fund 2021 - \$4056.03

Unfinished Business:

- **Grant Committee Update** – The committee has not met as yet and it TBD. Anyone interested in participating in the committee. A committee meeting will be scheduled early March.
- **Comprehensive Plan Committee update** – The current plan is due April 1st for 2021 monies. 2/25 at noon at FCS check the schedule. Anyone interested can contact CADA to attend or participate.

New Business:

- **Annual Recognition Luncheon** - CADA usually plans an annual luncheon but was skipped last year due to Covid. Discussion was around having the luncheon in June when it can be an outdoor event. We will continue to discuss and plan for having a committee if we schedule.

Member sharing /Community Concerns and Trends:

- Adam – Loving Shepard Ministries - offers counseling and foster care for young woman and foster parents. They also provide counseling in the community.
- Molly – partnerships with Grace & Mercy in regards to smoking cessation. Purdue extension is offering a training for extension educators that will provide more information about substance abuse and resources and how they can play a role in their communities. Molly is on the team for reviewing the training information that will be provided to educators.

- Valerie – Wells Probation – attended first regional council meeting. They are looking at community trends that can be reported to DMHA.
- Grace & Mercy – they have 4 children at the home and are getting ready to accept another mother and family. They will have a play area and grandparents room for visits and services. They are also developing and arts & crafts room. They have an opening for employment for weekend staff.
- Betsy – WOW are in need of drivers. They periodically have clients that appear intoxicated on alcohol, but they would continue to transport unless there is a safety issues. 1 regular drivers for hire endorsement is needed to drive once hired.
- Angie Dial -- FCS – Jade is in need of some volunteers to assist with for kits for harm reduction and ABL

Minutes submitted by Deane' Holderman

Next Meeting: March 11, 2021 @ 11:30



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March 11, 2021
11:30 – 12:30 PM
4-H Community Building

Attendance: Vicki Andrews (SoWells), Deane' Holderman (Wells DCS), Valerie Runyon (Wells Probation), Molly Hoag (Purdue Extension), Angie Dial (FCS), Christine Walker (Grace & Mercy), Betsy Collier (WOW), Stacy Herrold (BMS), John Whicker (City of Bluffton), Hattie Wondercheck (Helping Hands), Kastan VanDeman (Helping Hands), Angela Hulvey (Norwell HS), Jinny Broderick (Park Center)

New Members: Chris Walker from Grace & Mercy was voted in as a new CADA member

Grant Program Reports or Resource Presentation:

- 2 programs to be presented in April

Presentation of Minutes: Minutes from January meeting were presented and approved with corrections.

Treasurer's Report:

Checking Account Balance - \$ 3,395.93 which includes the memorial funds
Drug Free Community Fund 2021 - \$5917.78

Unfinished Business:

- **Grant Committee Update** – Grant Committee has met and has established the new timelines for submitting applications for CADA. April 30th the new grants are due and the grant committee will be reviewing prior to the May CADA meeting. They would be submitted to the county commissioners meeting for approval and the City Council meetings in May. The new grant applications will be sent out to members in the next week or so. There were a few changes but the maximum grant amount will remain at \$1500 per grant.
- **Comprehensive Plan Committee update** – The Committee has also met to update the CCP. There are some updates to the plan with Covid updates. Angie will be collecting data for the plan. If you have been asked to send data, please get this to Angie as soon as possible.

New Business:

- **Recovery Video Update** – Quinn, who made the previous videos is also making one more video for us. The next video will be updating the 11 stories previously done. The next video will cost \$800 to complete which will be from the ABLBH CADA funds and is also requesting an additional \$50 from CADA to complete. 2 of the 11 are no longer in recovery. 1 is a recovery coach, 1 completing drug court, 1 is training recovery coach and others are actively participating in other outreach. ABLBH is starting childcare at the meeting again. There is one video that has not been released as yet, but is going to be released shortly and put on the CADA Facebook page. A motion was made to provide the \$50 from CADA and was voted in and passed by members.
- **Region 3 DMHA update** – Valerie Runyon has been appointed to this position. She is involved in meeting with DMHA representative and speaking to local needs. The information is used to provide help in counties which could mean more programs and funding in the future. It is not clear at this point how this will work.

Member sharing /Community Concerns and Trends:

- Grace & Mercy – They have had mag locks installed so if there is an incident they can lock down the facility. Residents have key fobs for access. Please contact her for tours to see the facility if you are interested.
- DCS Wells – new staff and uptick with reports and cases.
- Helping Hands - Hattie Parent Nurturing curriculum is starting – Parenting in Progress open to all families and new parents. There is no cost for the program and anyone can refer them. DCS can refer or client can call themselves. Can be new parents or with parents with older children. The program runs 16 weeks. Contact Kylie to get more info.
- Stacy Herrold BMS – vaping is becoming a bigger problem since the first of the year. They have confiscated vapes and then site students. He would be interested in having someone come in to educate about the dangers of vaping if there was someone local that would be interested in presenting to the schools. Vape pens can look like a lot of common items.
- Vicki – she shared that there are mental health needs for our kids in the community over the last year. Mental health of teens has been her focus. She visited jail in an outreach in regards to teens. She stated that a lot of things have been put on hold for outreach programs at the jail. Hoping to keep community awareness for the needs.
- She has seen more increase in positives for vaping with the teens and also increase in THC use.
- Valerie – they are open as normal and seeing clients and also drug screening. They are working on focusing on more high need clients. There is more incentives for positive growth and achievement for probationers. This is utilized for adults and juveniles. They can do more things in house without going back to court.
- Park Center – They are opening back up for in office visits. Substance abuse groups remain virtual. They are getting positive responses. MAT program includes suboxone and vivitrol. Park Center/Parkview affiliate. They are becoming Parkview Behavioral Institute and she is sharing how to contact Bluffton office.
 - 260-481-2700 new client - 2 week except for MAT client which would be a 2 day turn around. MAT treatment includes the medication as well as the behavioral treatment curriculum.
 - 260-481-2734 to reach the Bluffton Park Center office directly
 - Ginny stated that used to be a mobile bedroom that was utilized to educate parents on where things can be hidden by teenagers as a parent resource. This may have been provided through IU health back in 2019. Prevention starts in the home and with family.
- Discussion about other curriculum that might be brought to the community for teens
 - Catch.org - Catch my Breath – in.gov website
 - Tall Cop – Hide in plain site this might be something that could be done regionally or funded to bring a program
- Discussed that CADA could support a curriculum or program to bring to the county and schools as prevention activities. The memorial funds could be used. Vaping is more prevalent with girls and may be an appetite suppressant. Instagram is more commonly used and snapchat which advertises a lot. Then nicotine in vaping is more potent and a different chemical.

Minutes submitted by Deane' Holderman

**Next Meeting: April 8, 2021 @ 11:30
4-H Community Building**



LCC Meeting Minutes

Coalition Name and County	CADA of Wells County
Meeting Date and Time	April 8, 2021 / 11:30-12:30 pm
Meeting Location	4-H Community Building
Minutes Drafted Date	April 8, 2021

Attendees
<p>Attendance: Vicki Andrews (SoWells), Deane’ Holderman (Wells DCS), Valerie Runyon (Wells Probation), Molly Hoag (Purdue Extension), Angie Dial (FCS), Christine Walker (Grace & Mercy), Betsy Collier (WOW), Stacy Herrold (BMS), John Whicker (City of Bluffton), Hattie Wondercheck (Helping Hands), Kastan VanDeman (Helping Hands), Angela Hulvey (Norwell HS).</p>

Meeting Notes (Old/New Business, Decisions, Agendas)
<p><u>New Members:</u> No new members</p> <p><u>Grant Program Reports or Resource Presentation:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> FCS – Angie Dial summarized their grant funding with their teen program. They had \$790.50 in grant monies and spent \$810. They sent one youth through Signals Class due to substance abuse. They also utilize the Detours Program which has multiple training components and all youth that go through court complete. They also utilize Freedom from Tobacco for youth. Bruce Holland is the instructor for these classes and connects well with the youth that attend. Any youth can be referred to these classes. <p><u>Presentation of Minutes:</u> Minutes from March meeting were presented and approved with corrections.</p> <p><u>Treasurer’s Report:</u> Checking Account Balance - \$ 3,395.93 which includes the memorial funds with no changes Drug Free Community Fund April Deposit - \$3324 Drug Free Community Fund 2021 - \$9242.73 total</p> <p><u>Unfinished Business:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Grant Committee Update – Three grant applications have been submitted. All grants need to be submitted by 4/30 and they can be mailed to courthouse or dropped off at the 4H and the grants committed will review the applications next month. Comprehensive Plan Committee update - Angie has submitted the competed plan with all information requested. Annual Recognition Luncheon decision - Discussed looking at August 12th CADA meeting to reserve the 4H Space. Categories are for volunteer, friend and professional. Consider Bruce Holland for nomination. <p><u>New Business:</u></p>

- **End of year Comprehensive Plan Report for 2020** - We are needing to report out as to smart goals.
 - 1st goal – drug and alcohol arrests for juveniles will decrease by 1% for the year – it was an increase
 - Could be due to having more time on their hands with covid
 - 2nd goal - drug and alcohol arrests for adults will decrease by 1%. – alcohol decreased by 4 % but drugs increased by 4%.
 - High level of relapse due to covid and upticks in drug use.
 - Less or no access to recovery meetings
 - 3rd Goal - Oral drug screens for DCS will decrease by 1% - also saw an increase.
 - Not the same support virtually
 - Same as above due to covid issues and stress

Next year may want to look at charges files as opposed to arrests for data collection

- New Rehab facility – conversations in community about pros and cons. Some do not want it next to them. Adam stated that it was interesting to hear what the thoughts were being discussed. Discussion was about perceptions about living next to the facility and it impacting real estate values.
- John Whicker, Major - New Substance abuse facility company came to present at city council and he has contact information

Member sharing /Community Concerns and Trends:

- Adam – Loving Shepard – still looking for family to foster at the farm. They are still providing therapy services to families. They are also beginning to talk more about marijuana use.
- Angie – her last 2 intakes were in regards to vaping at school. They get the disposal vapes and getting them at school. The disposables don't have a charger to be found and are less conspicuous. They can be bought for \$10.
- Valerie – Probation – they started their incentive program and have had success with clients winning incentives. They have had 3 winners so far. There is more interest with their clients to participate. She had requested a hearing for positive progress with court for a client. They are still seeing more meth and some fentanyl.
- Continuing to have positive drug tests at school for tobacco and THC>
- ABLBH - back to in person meetings and now counseling center at church. Other opinions about substance abuse center is that we don't need it.
- Stephanie Tucker, Ossian PD – They had a group of Burmese arrested in Ossian that lived in Fort Wayne. selling marijuana and vaping supplies
- DCS is switching over to Cordent for Drug screens and drug testing

Minutes submitted by Deane' Holderman

**Next Meeting: May 13, 2021 @ 11:30
4-H Community Building**



LCC Meeting Minutes

Coalition Name and County	CADA of Wells County
Meeting Date and Time	May 13, 2021 / 11:30-12:30 pm
Meeting Location	4-H Community Building
Minutes Drafted Date	May 13, 2021

Attendees
<p>Attendance: Vicki Andrews (Southern Wells/Wells County Government), Adam Carroll (LSM), Betsy Collier (WOW), Angie Dial (FCS), Jeremy Heckel (WCSD), Stacy Herrold (BMS), Molly Hoag (Purdue Extension), Angela Hulvey (NHS), Valerie Runyon (Wells County Probation), Marijean Tipton (BPD), Stephanie Tucker (OPD), Christine Walker (Community Care), Mayor John Whicker (City of Bluffton), Janet Haney (DHMA/Region 3), Andrea Dimond (Grace & Mercy), Jannella Stroncsek (City of Bluffton), Jinny Broderick (Park Center), Tammie Thompson (Wells DCS).</p>

Meeting Notes (Old/New Business, Decisions, Agendas)
<p><u>New Members:</u> No new members</p>
<p><u>Grant Program Reports or Resource Presentation:</u> ABL-BH (Jade)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The person to present was not able to be present and will present at the following meeting.
<p><u>Presentation of Minutes:</u> Minutes from April meeting were presented and approved.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> motion John Whicker/second Vicki Andrews
<p><u>Treasurer’s Report:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Checking Account Balance - \$ 3,395.93 (\$ 585.93 available / remainder are memorial funds) Drug Free Community Fund May Deposit - \$ 3,250.60 (\$ 12,493.33 to date balance for 2021)
<p><u>Unfinished Business:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Annual Recognition Luncheon - Email nominations for the event (volunteer / professional / friend of CADA) Angie asked for volunteers to add to the existing committee (Jade/Kari/Deane’/Molly/Betsy/Christine)
<p><u>New Business:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Grant Committee Update - The budget and requests for grants was discussed. Each request and the recommendations for what to grant was presented. John Wicker made a motion to fund the requests as recommended by the Grants Committee; Stephanie Tucker seconded the motion, and it was unanimously approved by the board.

Member sharing /Community Concerns and Trends:

- Angie Dial, FCS is hiring for Healthy Families and Family Restoration.
- Janet Haney, the request sent to DMHA was viewed as well done and it is unknown if we will get any money.
- Christine Walker, alerted the team that they are seeing some positive tests for LSD. She introduced Andrea, who is taking over her position at Grace and Mercy. Christine will be filling the position of the director of Community Care.
- Andrea Dimond, she is new to the area and is excited to be in Wells Co.
- Janella, trying to find out what the trends are in the community.
- MJ Tipton, meth is still strong in the community, and starting to see some LSD and cocaine, and Fentanyl. There are a lot of overdoses when they are mixing them.
- Jinny Broderick, Park Center is hiring case managers and therapists. Will officially be under Parkview as of August 1st, 2021. The MAT services will be not double booked to assist with supplying families in need, Suboxone and Vivitrol. The expansion will not start until end of May. There will be an addictions specialist starting the end of May.
- Vicki Andrews, discussed the positivity of post prom on our communities' kids, especially due to all of the issues with Covid.
- Betsey Collier, they are hiring drivers and in need of employees.
- Molly Hoag, Purdue Extension developed videos on the opioid issues. To find them search Purdue extension, opioid videos.
- Adam Carroll, still having youth discussing vaping and Meth.

Minutes submitted by Tammie Thompson

**Next Meeting: June, 10, 2021 @ 11:30
4-H Community Building**



LCC Meeting Minutes

Coalition Name and County	CADA of Wells County
Meeting Date and Time	June 10, 2021 / 11:30-12:30 pm
Meeting Location	4-H Community Building
Minutes Drafted Date	June 10, 2021

Attendees
<p>Attendance: Jinny Broderick (Park Center), Adam Carroll (LSM), Betsy Collier (WOW), Janet Haney (DMHA), Jeremy Heckel (WCSD), Stacy Herrold (BMS), Molly Hoag (Purdue Extension), Valerie Runyon (Wells County Probation), Mayor John Whicker (City of Bluffton), Janet Haney (DHMA/Region 3), Andrea Dimond (Grace & Mercy), Deane Holderman (DCS), Chris Walker (Community Care), Angie Dial (FCS).</p>

Meeting Notes (Old/New Business, Decisions, Agendas)
<p><u>New Members:</u> No new members</p>
<p><u>Grant Program Reports or Resource Presentation:</u> none were presenting</p>
<p><u>Presentation of Minutes:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Minutes from May meeting were presented and approved.
<p><u>Treasurer's Report:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Checking Account Balance - \$ 3,395.93 (\$ 585.93 available / remainder are memorial funds) Drug Free Community Fund June Deposit - \$ 1,452 (\$ 13,945.83 to date balance for 2021) <p>No changes since May</p>
<p><u>Unfinished Business:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Grant updates – Molly – Just need to adjust as there was \$.03 that was recommended to be moved to the CADA coordinator. Motion to move and approved. Molly will be on the agenda for the Bluffton City Commissioners 9am and Wells County Council 7pm on July 6th for both meetings as to the grant recommendations and approvals. Both meetings are held at Government access building in the basement conference room. Annual Recognition Luncheon - Email nominations for the event (volunteer / professional / friend of CADA) Angie asked for volunteers to add to the existing committee (Jade/Kari/Deane'/Molly/Betsy/Christine) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> We are still in need of nominations in all categories but have had some suggestions. Some suggestions were made and others can be emailed to CADA.

- The proposed date for the luncheon is August 12th at 11:30am. The committee is planning on meeting in June for planning.

Member sharing /Community Concerns and Trends:

- Brickhouse/Loving Shepard Ministries/Adam Carroll – continuing with their programs. They are still looking for foster parents and families for their programs. They also have a third residence in the works close to Grant/Wells County Border for a future foster home.
- Molly – The 4-H Fair is scheduled this year and will be July 17th – July 22nd. The event is open to the public the year.
- Park Center – starts under Parkview umbrella starting in September. They are now certified CCBHC, which allows them 24 hour crisis center at Lake Ave location in Allen County. They would go to this location instead of the emergency room and eventually where CIT would take clients in need. MAT clinic will be increasing hours open in the late summer.
- Discussion about getting Narcan – Where is there training and availability? Can contact Jade at FCS for information
- Regional Coordinator – Applied for funding related to stimulus, but amounts are currently unknown, more info to come for the future.
- Molly – Received a sponsorship form for a booth at Street Fair. We have received tickets from the Chamber for the 4h fair dinner. Please contact Molly if you are interested in any tickets.

Minutes submitted by Deane' Holderman

**Next Meeting: August 12th 2021 @ 11:30
CADA appreciation Luncheon
Loving Shepard/Brickhouse Farm**



LCC Meeting Minutes

Coalition Name and County	CADA Wells County
Meeting Date and Time	August 12, 2021
Meeting Location	Wells County 4 H Park
Minutes Drafted Date	08/12/2021

Attendees
Deane' Holderman (Secretary/DCS), Betsy Collier (WOW), John Whicker (Bluffton Mayor), Valerie Runyon (Wells County Probation), Jinny Broderick (Park Center), Sherrie Onveybu (Park Center), Molly Hoag (Purdue Extension), Adam Carroll (LSM), Stacy Herrold (BMS), Stephanie Tucker (Ossian PD)

Meeting Notes (Old/New Business, Decisions, Agendas)
<p><u>New Members:</u> No new members</p> <p><u>Grant Program Reports or Resource Presentation:</u> None presented.</p> <p><u>Presentation of Minutes:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minutes from June meeting were presented and approved. <p><u>Treasurer's Report:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Checking Account Balance - \$ 585.93 available(remainder are memorial funds unchanged from June \$2810) • Drug Free Community Fund June Deposit – July \$1431.22, August \$1135.09 (\$ 16,512 to date balance for 2021) <p><u>Unfinished Business:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Luncheon Update – Moved CADA Luncheon to tentative date of October 28th at 11:30am. Luncheon was postponed as there were only a few signed up. The event would still be held at LSM. Nominees have been picked with 2 in each category. This would be instead of the normal meeting date and time in October. Dates will be confirmed and sent out to members ○ Grants monies have been mailed out. There is one presentation still needed from the last year. <p><u>Member sharing /Community Concerns and Trends:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • New position for Legal Clerical and Jade now working at place of Grace • Betsy – They are still in need of drivers. They also have an occasion of having impaired riders, but would prefer to transport them. They would not refuse them unless • Park Center – Mat has begun their second day and are full. They have attendees that are coming from outside of Wells. They have a new Addictions therapist And also have open positions

- Stacy BMS - Homeless population is expanding and seeing more at the BMS. They will set them up in a hotel through their programs and getting families help and resources in the community. BMS will be putting on a vaping presentation. Tentative date for sometime this fall. Stacy will be sharing more information when available.
- Molly – Mental Health First Aid Purdue extension has staff trained in this program. There was discussion about using the memorial funds toward some training for schools or school program or convocation around substance abuse. There is a component for training individuals that work with youth. Getting some volunteers from programs. Churches etc. They are opening up a training in November in Adams County on December 2nd and the flyer was shared. There is a cost of \$20 per person. 9 – 4p,
- Adam LSM – Support group for adopted moms on Tuesdays at third Tuesday at August 17th. Adam will forward the information is anyone is interested in signing up. There are three young woman in the foster care home providing a structured setting.
- Stephanie – asked about donating a booth at Ossian Days if anyone from CADA would be interested. Sept 16, 17, 18th
- The Luncheon committee will meet again at 11:00am Sept 9th prior to the CADA meeting. Please join if you are interested,
- Ginny – asked if there was any news about the treatment center and it's progress opening up. No one had an update.

Next meeting will be September 9th at 11:30



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Meeting Date and Time	September 9, 2021
Meeting Location	Wells County 4 H Park
Minutes Drafted Date	10/13/21

Attendees
Deane' Holderman (Secretary/DCS), Betsy Collier (WOW), John Whicker (Bluffton Mayor), Sherrie Onuegbu, (Park Center), Molly Hoag (Purdue Extension) , Jeremy Heckel (Wells County Sheriff), MJ Tipton (BPD), Hattie Wondercheck (Hands of Hope), Jonelle Stronzyk (Bluffton City Council), Stacy Morrison (BHS), Stephanie Tucker (Ossian PD), Angie Dial (FSC), Andrew Enderle (NMS)

Meeting Notes (Old/New Business, Decisions, Agendas)

New Members: No new members

Grant Program Reports or Resource Presentation: None presented.

Presentation of Minutes:

- Minutes from August meeting were presented and approved.

Treasurer's Report: (same from

- Checking Account Balance - \$ 585.93 available (remainder are memorial funds unchanged from June \$2810)
- Drug Free Community Fund June Deposit – August deposit \$1802.66 (\$ 18314.402 to date balance for 2021)

Unfinished Business:

- Luncheon Update – CADA Luncheon to tentative date of October 28th at 11:30am. Luncheon was postponed as there were only a few signed up. The event would still be held at LSM which is located behind Walgreens. Nominees have been picked with 2 in each category. It was decided to formally move the CADA October meeting to the date of the luncheon on the 28th. The flyer is finished and distributed. Please make sure to call and sign up. RSVP by October 22nd.
- Food Donations for luncheon would be the same as before. If you are unable to donate items due to the change, please contact CADA. The list will be sent out again to CADA members.

New Business –

- Officer Nominations – please submit names for any officers for the next year. Anyone is encouraged to submit names. This is an annual commitment. Officers slate will be in November and elected in December.

Member sharing /Community Concerns and Trends:

- Molly – Mental health first aid training for adults who are working with youth. This training will be in Adams County. December 2nd at the Adams County 4H fairgrounds.
- Deane’ – legal clerical
- Betsy – need drivers and also have a fund raiser at street fair
- Andrea - Grace & Mercy – Ground Zero in Huntington, there were three overdoses in Huntington and these were for fentanyl being sold as Xanax or other prescription pills.
- Naloxone boxes in Harford City – has there been a discussion locally about Wells having something similar.
- MJ – vaping still popular in schools and there are THC vape cartridges. Some states require markings on these but others are unmarked. There are difficult to identify.
- Andrew – interested in trends at the schools here. He came from Huntington schools and is getting familiar.
- Stacy – discussion about vape pens can’t really distinguish nicotine from THC
- Discussion about where you can get info about vape pens and what they look like. Darts Dab pens, vape cartridges, some can get easier to get due to surrounding states being legal.
- Angie needs teen court volunteers – please let her know if you are interested. She shared applications.
- Also a reminder for those who receive funding, please remember to get on the schedule to submit your grant reports for the year. Please let Angie know when you would like to present your grant report at a CADA meeting
- Vapes – kids say that they buy the disposables, are the THC disposable? Yes probably.

Next Meeting date CADA Luncheon October 28th at 11:30 at LSM
Please rsvp by 10/22nd!!



LCC Meeting Minutes

Coalition Name and County	CADA Wells County
Meeting Date and Time	December 9,2021
Meeting Location	Wells County 4 H Park
Minutes Drafted Date	12/09/2021

Attendees
Deane' Holderman (Secretary/DCS), Betsy Collier (WOW), Molly Hoag (Purdue Extension) , Stacy Morrison (BHS), Angie Dial (FSC), Adam Carroll (LSM) , Andrea Dimond (Grace & Mercy), Stacy Herrold (BMS), Angela Hulvey (NHS), Valerie Runyon (Wells Probation), Chris Walker (Community Care), Autumn Trice (Aspin)

Meeting Notes (Old/New Business, Decisions, Agendas)
<p><u>New Members:</u> No new members</p> <p><u>Grant Program Reports or Resource Presentation:</u> None presented.</p> <p><u>Presentation of Minutes:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minutes from September meeting were presented and approved with spelling changes. <p><u>Treasurer's Report:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Checking Account Balance - \$ 585.93 available (remainder are memorial funds unchanged from June \$2810) • Drug Free Community Fund June Deposit – August deposit \$1802.66, October \$829.30, November \$1731.11, December \$1664.59 • \$ 22,539.80 to date balance for 2021 (this is an increase from 2020) <p><u>Unfinished Business:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Recognition Luncheon Update – turned out well, was attended well and the venue was appreciated. Pictures were posted on CADA's Facebook page ○ 2022 Officer Elections – Molly can continue as vice president, Deane' can continue as secretary. We are accepting information for president and treasurer, Adam would be willing to stay on as president. Motion was made to keep current officers and voted in. ○ Grant cycle begins in April 2022 so Grant reports are needed if you received \$\$ from 2021, Brickhouse and Grace & Mercy, Bluffton HS are scheduled to present in January meeting.

New Business

- 2022 CADA Meeting Schedule presented. October 13th was presented as a potential for the 2022 CADA recognition luncheon from 11:30 to 1pm with the plan to have at LSM venue. Adam will check the date for availability.
- **Harm Reduction Committee** – prior to covid was meeting with outside members and working on getting harm reduction resources in the community. The health department could get supplies to utilize the kits at that time. The discussion was around getting a committee started again to talk about these concerns. An email will be sent out to member and others that may be interested. Discussion about having an educational event.
- **Memorial Funds** – discussion about their use and reforming that committee. Greg has an idea about how to utilize these funds and making a presentation in January 2022. There was also a discussion about providing programming for youth in the community.
- **Wells County Probation** – They received a letter from a client Jack Hewitt, He stated his interest in sharing his story when he returns to the community from his incarceration. He has interest in mentoring or recovery coaching. Valerie shared his letter. CADA will respond by letter with invitation to participate with CADA when he is available.

Member sharing /Community Concerns and Trends:

- Adam LSM/Brickhouse – continues to see issues with vaping among youth.
- Molly – has information for slides for tobacco use and vaping which indicated that trends are going down for youth and all ages.
- Molly - Landmark Recovery will have a grand opening on December 20th and hopefully will be able to present at an upcoming CADA meeting in January meeting.
- Valerie is now certified in MRT, they will be starting to utilize that around Moral Recognition Therapy in probation services in April 2022. This will be utilized only for adults at this time. There will be a \$25 cost for the book. There might be minimal fees also.
- Community Care has their Cookie Walk Fund Raiser for Grace & Mercy coming up this Saturday on 12/11/21 at the arts center.
- Valerie, Wells Probation - There is a way to fake a urine screen for methamphetamine. MJ has a powerpoint that also has educational information about current drug use.
- Angie – stated Bluffton Regional can no longer provide a tobacco cessation curriculum and is looking for some new resources. FCS is looking for evidence- based curriculum's that are available.
- Stacy shared “catch my breath” is a curriculum for anti-nicotine that is available through the Dept of health website.

Next Meeting date January 13th, 2022 at 11:30 at Wells County 4H Park