Mansfield Community Campus Partnership  
Friday January 23, 2009  
Mansfield Community Center Community Room  
3:00 pm

Minutes

Present: Ashley Hudd, Chris Casa, Jim Hintz, Morgan Miller, James Kodzis, John Jackman, Donald Richards, Seamus Keating, Garrett Cottrell, Meredith Zarithuy, Samuel Greenberg, Brien Buckman, Ande Bloom, Kevin Grunwald, Chris Ferraro, John Sobanik, Jane Fried

1. Welcome and Introduction

2. Minutes
   - John Jackman and Jane Fried made motion to pass the minutes and they were approved unanimously

3. Central Connecticut State University
   - Julie spoke with Vice President of Student Affairs Dr. Laura Tordinit at CCSU, she stated that there were several factors that had been of particular assistance. The first was the enforcement of the state wide open container law and collaboration with the New Britain Police force
   - Kevin Grunwald discussed the Underage Drinking Grant that was used by police in off-campus areas
   - Central Connecticut State University’s Police Chief and Sgt. from New Britain looked at a Community around the University that was converted to student apartments. Known party houses were targeted for enforcement.
   - By getting involved and adding significant community policing to educate students about laws and enforce it they saw a huge reduction (75% less) in ER visits due to alcohol
   - Chris Barletta from State Police has been involved with Party Patrol. Successful to Partner with law enforcement. It was suggested that we invite Chris Barletta to our next meeting

4. Board of Trustees Meeting
   - Julie presented information from the Spring Weekend Review Committee
   - Julie will try to get a copy of the Attorney Generals comments out to the group as requested by John Sobanik
5. Legislative Agenda

- The group discussed legislative considerations that focused around idea #3, Mandatory Server Training. The group decided to promote this to the legislature.
- These suggestions will be reviewed again at the next meeting- Julie will review with Kevin outside of the group meeting.
- Does serving under 21 apply to apartments, or just private homes? This is a question to be covered at the next meeting.
- Julie was going to bring “Keeper of Unruly Houses” law to next meeting.

6. Other

- Julie/ Kevin will bring the Under 21 laws to next meeting.
- John Jackman & Sgt. Kodzis presented on Amendment of Police Ordinance, the changes will be presented to the Mansfield Town Council at the next meeting.
- Goals for the MCCP will be discussed at the next meeting.
- UConn’s Department of Alcohol and Other Drugs hired Beth DeRicco as the new Director starting February 13th.
- Kevin Grunwald will be filling in for Mayor Betsy Patterson until she returns.