

South Salt Lake
**Coalition for
Drug Free Youth**
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April 18, 2012 11:30 A.M.
Meeting Minutes

Columbus Community Center
2531 S. 400 E. Rm. 106 SLC, UT

Monthly theme: **Charity**
Next month: Caring

Attendance: **Alli Lachowsky**-SSL PD, **Ashley Babbitt**-SMC, **Cassandra Meyers**-Housing Authority, **Derek Hoffman**-Life Source, **Jamie Smith**-Bach Harrison, **Jason Nicholl**- SSL Fire, **Jennifer Allred**- SSL Mayor's Office, **Kitt Curtis**-SLCO Behavioral Health, **Jacci Graham**- Children's Service Society, **Merrilyn Day**-SSL Recreation, **Mikell Woodland**- SMC, **Morgan Marietti**- SSL Coalition, **Rob Timmerman**-SSL Coalition, **Sana Finau**-PAL, **Erikka Fisk**-Vista Health, **Lindsey Dunlap**-Vista Arts, **Shelly Pace**-Vista Grants

Excused: Terry Russo, Abbie Vaines, David Young

Welcome and Introductions:

Name, organization, and favorite thing about spring.

Announcements:

- Promise SSL Summit Tuesday, June 5th from 6pm-8pm at the Columbus Center
- July 4th 7:00 AM Get Moving SSL 5k Fun Run/Walk at Fitts Park, \$15
- Youth Services-For more information, please contact Michael Johnson at mkjohnson@slco.org or 385-468-4528 or visit <http://www.youth.slco.org/>
 - Real Deal Anger Management Course-A two week program beginning July 9th/M,W,F from 2pm-4pm.
 - Discovering Possibilities- A girl's only program beginning July 11th/M,W,F. Participants for both programs must be at least 13 years of age but no older than 17.
 - Strengthening Families- A 5 week teen/parent course beginning July 9th/M,TH from 6pm-8:30pm.
- PAL Mobile Food Pantry for families in need to get food- Every Thursday beginning June 20th
- May 23rd- PAL Donation Campaign- Goal: To get 100 donations to support program staff. To make a donation, please visit www.sslpal.org or call 801-834-0065.
- Summer Reading Programs for all ages- June 1st - August 31st. Sign-up at any Salt Lake County Library.

- Jacci Graham with CSS-Welcome Baby, Utah Parents as Teachers D: 801.326.4388, jacci@cssutah.org

Community Character Initiative: The CCI committee is beginning to meet to discuss the planning of the 2013 Character Initiative. If you are interested in participating on this subcommittee, please contact Ashley Babbitt at ashley@getbombshell.com.

JAG-ARRA Radio Replacement Project: Kari Cutler is currently attending the Efforts for Outcomes Database Training in Oakland California with United Way. This public announcement is a requirement for a grant that SMC and the SSL PD applied for. It is required that they read this announcement in two formal meetings. After Ashley Babbitt reads the announcement, the floor will be open to any questions that anyone may have regarding this. The grant was written because the police communication radios will be changing and the old database will no longer work. The funds from this grant would help the city of South Salt Lake to purchase and phase in these new radios for the SSL PD. If anyone has any questions regarding this, please contact Ashley Babbitt at Ashley@getbombshell.com.

Eat Together as a Family: This subcommittee has been working extremely hard to get things rolling and we are finally in the final planning stages of this program. 20 families have been invited to participate from the YCC, Housing Authority, LDS Church and Strengthening Families Program. This initiative has established a partnership with The Community Co-Op and will be giving each family a food share that contains nutritious fruits and vegetables for the week. The families will be invited to pick up their food shares from Fire Station 41 on Saturday, June 2nd. Along with the food shares, each family will receive 7 daily communication cards to use during their meal times. Each family will also be given a pre and posttest as well as a 1 month and 6 month follow up survey. If anyone is interested in learning more about this initiative, please contact Morgan Marietti at morgan@ssldrugfree.org.

SL County DD Task Force: This committee has been meeting regularly to discuss issues related to drugged driving and more specifically, designated drivers. They are working with bar owners and other organizations throughout the valley to design a program that recognizes and celebrates designated drivers. The committee is currently doing research on the effectiveness of designated driver programs that already exist. Committee members are also researching on whether or not designated driver programs increase consumption of those who are drinking. The next committee meeting will be on Tuesday, May 22nd from 12:30pm-1:30pm at Piper Down located at 1492 South State Street.

2011 Coalition Member Survey: **Morgan Marietti will be sending out a copy of the full survey report along with the survey presentation minutes as soon as she receives the final report from Bach Harrison. The coalition will host a strategic planning session with regards to the survey results at the June coalition meeting. **

Motion to Adjourn: Next Coalition Meeting Wednesday, June 20, 2012

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