

GUPPY (Green County United Prevention Professionals for Youth)

Mission: To provide awareness and support youth in our community

Vision: A community coming together to empower youth through promotion of healthy relationships and positive behaviors

Meeting Information

Monday, Feb. 5th 2024, 2:30-4:00pm

Green County Justice Center – Multipurpose Room

Minutes

- 1. Treasurer's Report The GUPPY account has \$818.24
- 2. Subcommittee Conversations & Reporting Out
 - **Mentoring**: Will be reaching out to Big Brothers Big Sisters and the YMCA to see what is currently in place. Discussed 1 on 1 mentoring and small groups.
 - LAUNCH: Working with youth in order to get their views on different topics. Working with the Mental Health strand of LAUNCH and have three MHS students working on a project to survey peers to collect data on their perception of social media and it's impact on mental health
 - Website: Discussed utilizing social media over a website as youth are more likely to use Instagram and other social media sites.
- 3. SAMHSA Partnership for Success Grant Better Brodhead is applying to this grant in hopes of hiring someone to help do more direct services with prevention efforts. GUPPY wrote a letter of support stating that we will help participate in planning outreach efforts, identifying prevention activities, and analyze data for evaluation purposes. If the grant is received it could help provide a school liaison that could help GUPPY re-engage and collaborate with schools on prevention efforts.
- 4. Suicide Prevention Programming See power point
- 5. Intentional Networking Better Brodhead and Public Health paired up and did a podcast interview about Delta 8. It will be posted on the Better Brodhead site

Upcoming 2024 Meeting Days: First Monday of every Month 2:30-4pm (No Meetings June, July or August) March 4th April 1st May 6th Sept. 9th (Second Monday due to Labor Day) Oct. 7th Nov. 4th Dec. 2nd