

Fairfield Township Citizens Police Academy Alumni Association

Meeting Minutes for September 6, 2011

Present: Connie Johnson, Donna Baynes, Elmer Harbron, Linda Merrill, Pam Weisbrod, Craig Goley, Margie Glover, Peggy Wilsman, Carol Franz, Dawn Alcorn, Roger Alcorn, Kevin Seymour, Matt Becknell, Anita Snyder, Mary Alcorn, Brain Gish, Chris Kresnak (guest), Stephanie Burkhart (guest)

Meeting Location: Fairfield Township Police Station, 6:30pm

Pledge of Allegiance was honored.

Treasurer's Report

Current Balance - \$5832.39

Picnic Update from Sgt Souhrada: There are 65 people signed up for the picnic. Total includes adults and children. Money collected to help fund picnic is \$250. There will be hamburger, hot dogs, potato salad, baked beans, chips, soft drinks and water provided. People can bring a cover dish or dessert if they like. Games will be provided (corn hole, hillbilly golf, squirt guns for kids). Picnic will begin at 1:00pm. If it rains, the picnic will be moved to the overhang at the police station.

If you plan to attend the picnic:

- This is a nonalcoholic event so please do not bring alcohol beverages
- Bring a lawn chair(s)
- If you have a portable cover that we can use, please bring it
- If you have a cooler that we can use for keeping drinks cold, please bring it

Guest Speakers: Stephanie Burkhart and Chris Kresnak from the Diversion Control side of the D.E.A. spoke on how the D.E.A. operates and cases they investigate. The D.E.A. is responsible for enforcing controlled substances laws and regulations for the U.S. They prevent the diversion of controlled drugs. Stephanie and Chris spoke about the trial and investigation dealing with an illegal pain management clinic in Portsmouth, Ohio.

<http://www.justice.gov/dea/pubs/states/newsrel/detroit052307.html>

<http://caselaw.findlaw.com/us-6th-circuit/1090020.html>

http://www.msnbc.msn.com/id/42977873/ns/us_news-crime_and_courts/t/pill-mill-doctor-convicted-causing-deaths/

Old Business

Vacation Home Checks: There are homes to be checked. If you have time available to do a home check, please contact Donna at drbaynes@fuse.net. If you are new to doing home checks, you can ask to come along with two other members who do them regularly.

Project R.A.W.C.: No ride alongs reported. If you are interested in doing a ride along with an officer, contact Commander Oler

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New Business

Station Update from Anita:

- ❖ Two new CPA classes will begin in September. The regular CPA class will begin September 20th. The second CPA class is for the Social Security Administration group and will begin September 22nd.

Due to the CPA class being held on Tuesday evenings starting September 20th, **the CPAA meetings will be moved to WEDNESDAY evenings for October, November and possibly December.**

Upcoming Events:

- **Safety Fair at Bridgewater Falls, Sept 17th from 11am – 3pm:**
Volunteers are needed for this event. There will be a CPAA tent present. Please send an email to cpaa@fairfieldtwp.org and to moler@fairfieldtwp.org with "Safety Fair" in the subject line if you are interested in helping out with this event.
- Seat Belt Survey – coming up in October. No date has been set. The seat belt survey involves going to 4 locations around the township and conducting a visual survey on the usage of seat belts. This detail requires 8 volunteers assigned to it (2 volunteers per location). Send an email to cpaa@fairfieldtwp.org and to moler@fairfieldtwp.org with "Seat Belt Survey" in the subject line if you have an interest in doing this detail.

Motion made by Matt, second by Peggy to adjourn meeting.

Action Items from Meeting:

Connie will send out notices for picnic and Safety Fair volunteer interests.

Next Meeting: **Wednesday, October 5th 6:30pm at the station**

Potluck will be offered at the October meeting starting at 6pm. We will be grilling hamburgers. Members can bring a covered dish or dessert.