

Date: Wednesday, February 06, 2008

Subject: Drug-Free DeSoto Task Force

Location: Board Chambers 11:00 a.m. 11:35 a.m.

Attendees: Superintendent Cline, Hrstka, Pella, Burns, Yost, Terry, Goodman, Spas, Story, Kurtz, Morgan, Mays, Keen, Barnwell

Step-Up to a Drug-Free DeSoto, March 22, 2008: Jason Story indicated we need to come up with the color for our t-shirt. If we have enough sponsors their names will be on the back for advertisement. Color, quality, and ideas needed today. Mr. Terry suggested a white t-shirt shows the color better. Jason Story mentioned the light blue color used with our logo and use black letters for sponsors names. Mrs. Burns said the more color the more cost. Lt. Mays has contact names for t-shirt vendor. Mrs. Burns and staff will handle the t-shirt purchase.

Cost of sponsorship is by donation.

Beef O'Brady

Sweet Bay (pending)

Awards

Medals, trophies, or plaques

Consensus:

Plaques for Sponsors

Medals for Walkers

T-Shirts

Baby Blue T-shirt 500 if costly, go with white t-shirt

DFD logo in red; Sponsors on back in color

Jason Story asked if we had other booths providing drinks. Mr. Terry and Mr. Bremer have met with Coke regarding water. Mrs. Burns will also contact Coke for a donation. Mrs. Burns suggested a nutrition booth, dental booth, possibly Sweet Bay, and others.

Sara reported eight teams have registered to date. Walk information is posted on WINK TV website and pending a few others.

Sheriff Keen and Curt Mays will contact EMS to ask for coverage. Principal Terry mentioned Billy Green might be interested volunteering. Lt. Mays has scheduled two SRO's to cover this event: Deputy Pra and Deputy Hay.

Ms. Spas reported the 2008 DeSoto County Fair was a big success. Our booth won 2nd place. If you donated items, please see Sara.

Task Force Member's Report:

Dottie Yost reported that each of the HOSA students that went to competition placed in the gold category.

Sheriff Keen is working on funding for gang information brochure.

Next meeting: Wednesday, March 5, 2008, at 11:00 a.m.