

**SHAC MEETING:** October 28, 2015

**TIME:** 12:00 PM

**LOCATION:** Smithville Elementary Conference Room

**MINUTES:** Called to order by Sophie Weinheimer R.N.

Minutes reviewed. Motion made by Dr. Rock McNulty to accept minutes as read. Motion seconded by Candy Biehle and motion to accept minutes carried by unanimous vote.

Under old business Mrs. Biehle informed the committee of the approval of high school fundraising events on December 3, 2015, March 3, 2016, and March 4, 2016 for food items being sold during the school day that do not meet guidelines outlined in Wellness Plan. According to the Wellness plan, the high school principal can approve 3 dates in which food items may be sold by an organization or group for a fundraiser that does not meet State food guidelines during school hours. These dates will be tournaments that will be hosted during school hours.

Scharlene Scheler RN reported to the committee that the prescription roundup was successful in removing 12 boxes weighing a total weight of 234 pounds of prescription and non-prescription medications from resident's home in the Smithville area. These totals are up from last year and the program will continue in the future to help residents remove unneeded or expired medications from their homes.

Scharlene Schafer, Anna Murray, Judy Bergeron, and Sophie Weinheimer reported to the committee that the Community Health Forum held on October 26, 2015 was a huge success. More than 54 interested community members along with the wellness coach from the University of Wisconsin participated in group dialogue regarding available services in the area and areas of improvement. One of the goals of the forum was to open and promote better communication regarding resources in the area. Plans to include a forum at the high school were suggested to include teenagers in the dialogue of needs in the community.

Schalene Schafer informed the committee of a total of 195 flu shots given by Walgreens to SISD staff members and other members in the community.

SISD nurses gave an update of flu shots given thru the school nurse offices.

Under new business Darlene Tinkle from Smithville Lions Club spoke to the committee and SISD nurses regarding the Texas Lion's Camp located in Kerrville, Texas. Information was given to the SISD nurses to help identify students that would benefit from the camp. Students must submit an application either online or by mail and once

accepted may attend camp at no cost to the student. Local Lion members assist with camper's needs and transportation to and from camp if needed. The camp serves students with disabilities, diabetes type I, and have just added a camp for students with Down syndrome.

Janice Rogers commended the Lion's Club on their vision services. The Lion's club assisted a high school student with free vision exam and corrective eyewear to improve vision.

Under new business Esmeralda Vera and Catalina Berry representing Seton Health Steps spoke to the committee regarding services under their plan. Free breast pumps for first time moms along with booster seats and bicycle helmets for children are offered for clients in the Seton Health Step network. Esmeralda suggested a Catch Night in which they could set up at a location within a school function to have information available to parents and guardians of students. They also discussed their outreach with Catholic Services that would like to come to the SHAC meeting and discuss the services that they offer that might benefit the Smithville Community. These services are non-denominational.

Dr. Rock McNulty discussed the impact of the Hidden Pines fire on faculty, staff, and students of SISD. 47 students and 8 staff members were evacuated from their homes with 31 students that lost either their homes or possessions. Bastrop County Recovery group along with other volunteer programs have assisted and are currently assisting in helping these students and their families. Dr. Rock McNulty praised the communication of all entities involved and explained to the committee the orchestration of all aspects of ensuring students arrive and depart school safely during the fire. Judy Bergeron informed the board how lucky the community is to have a Food Pantry that services 140-150 families each week.

Richard Lowery informed the committee of the new garden constructed at the High School campus. The new Building and Trade class constructed the gardens and Mr. Gross's class is tending to the garden. Vegetables raised from the garden will be used in the High School cafeteria.

The AIM for SUCCESS program was discussed and due to an early decision will continue for the 2015-2016 school year. A date is yet to be determined.

Sophie Weinheimer RN informed the committee of the upcoming Snap Shot of the District will be held on October 30, 2015. Brown Primary, Smithville Elementary, and Smithville High school nurse's offices will have their TVFC audits in November.

Candy Biehle presented to the committee that the Nutrition department just completed their state audit that began in July. She stated this was very stressful for the nutritional

staff. Dr. Rock McNulty congratulated her on a job well done. These audits are done every three years and this is the second audit with no infractions.

Judy Bergeron informed the committee that in April is Texas Library Association meeting in which she will be presenting the feeding program in conjunction with the library reading program. This program is a cooperative program between SISD nutrition program and the Smithville Library.

Meeting adjourned at 1:35 PM