

City of Kenora Community Policing Committee Minutes

Wednesday, April 16, 2013 4:30 p.m. City Council Chambers

Present:

A/Chair Councillor C. Drinkwalter, Cst. D. Cain, Ralph Mosher, Wayne Ficek, Diane Pelletier, Kendall Trembath, Wendy Darling, Bill Richards (arrived late) and Joanne McMillin, City Clerk.

Regrets:

Trudy Cederwall

A. Declaration of Pecuniary Interest & the General Nature Thereof

 i) On today's Agenda;
 ii) From a Meeting at which a Member was not in attendance.

There were none declared.

B. Confirmation of Minutes N/A

> C. Deputations N/A

1. Receipt of Correspondence N/A

2. OPP Community Services Officer Reports

Dave mentioned the Bike Rodeos will be taking place during the middle two weeks of May which will be sponsored exclusively by Tim Horton's as done over the last ten years.

May 11, 2013 will be "Turn Over Your Drug Day" in the community which is an event involving the OPP Drug Unit, and the Northwestern Health Unit. Dave explained it is a nationally recognized event which provides assistant an opportunity for residents to clean out expired prescription drugs and to dispose of them properly. The OPP will be advertising in the media and placing posters throughout the community. It was noted this would be a good message for Ralph to take back to the Seniors Coalition to help get the word out.

ACTION

R.Mosher

3. Update: Safe Walking - Keewatin School Surveys - Deferred It was noted Judy Green, Transportation Manager from Dryden could not make today's meeting but hopes to be able to attend the Committee's May meeting to discuss this matter in more detail as there has been some conflicting information as to who makes the decision for the pick-up of students by the bus company. Some have been told the bus company tells the Boards where/who they will pick- up and in other circumstances it has been said the Boards direct the bus company. Rick Perchuk will attend the meeting for this discussion.	R.Perchuk
meeting.	
4. Other	
Dave mentioned there was a good turnout at the Facebook Internet Session at the Library last month with a lot of interest shown by the community.	
Joanne gave an updated balance report on the Committee's account as provided by Charlotte Edie, Treasurer.	
Dave mentioned the OPP will again be hiring Summer Students but not sure how many have been approved; most likely 3 but possibly 5 students again this year.	
Joanne was asked to send a thank you letter to the Lakeside Baptist Church for allowing use of the parking lot for sliders again this past winter. Dave advised he heard no word on any issues so this assistant by the Church has proven to be successful and safe for sliders.	J.McMillin
5. Next Meeting Tuesday, May 21, 2013 at 4:30 p.m. – Council Chambers.	
6. Close Meeting. The meeting was declared closed at 5:07 p.m.	