

KPBSD
Drug Task Force Teleconference
Thursday, May 13, 2010
3 PM

Teleconference participants

Sean Dusek – District Office
Ginny Epenshade - Community
Tim Daugherty – Community/Coach
Amanda McDowell – Student
Terry Martin – KPSAA
Alan Fields – Principal
Jesse Bjorkman – Teacher

Introductions

Purpose: We are looking into this issue due to a request of the School Board to conduct drug testing of students by the Soldotna High School Site Council. Our task is to develop a recommendation on drug testing for the Board to consider. We are looking at the issue of drug testing students that participate in co-curricular activities. It was mentioned that the testing could include Middle School students or testing could include all students who drive to school. These options will be considered at our next meeting.

Reminder: Everyone in the group represents a larger constituency and is asked to solicit input from the groups they represent. This input should be brought forth electronically and/or at the meetings. A bigger perspective is needed to help make a good recommendation.

Pertinent Information: Information and research will be sent out electronically on Monday, May 24, 2010. Please conduct research on your own (Terry will be gathering information from AASA) to share with the group. If you believe there is more information needed after Monday please let Sean know so that we can try to have it available electronically or at the next meeting.

Schedule Future Meetings:

Meeting Dates:

May 27th from 9am to 3pm (lunch will be provided) at Soldotna HS – we will review and discuss information, develop our options, develop further questions to research and plan on seeking further input from the groups we represent

June 7th from 9am to 3pm (lunch will be provided) site to be determined – we will synthesize all input and information to develop a recommendation for School Board review. We will determine if further meetings are necessary.