

**Together For Jackson County Kids  
Leadership Team Meeting Minutes  
Wednesday, September 2nd, 2009, 10am  
Jackson County Health & Human Services Office, Conference Rm. Main A**

**Present:** Monica Lobenstein (UWEX), Michelle Schoolcraft (DHHS), Kristi Hanson (DHHS), Karla Gearing (DHHS), Brody Bayus (VISTA), Sara Sexton (VISTA), Lisa Hodge (DFC)

Meeting was called to order at 10am. Leadership Team members discussed all issues on the agenda. Minutes from the previous LT meeting were approved.

**Quarterly Meeting, October 15<sup>th</sup>--** Leadership team decided at this meeting that the next quarterly meeting would take place on Thursday, October 15<sup>th</sup>, 11:30am-1pm, UWEX. Tracy Herlitzke, from CESA #4, will present data from the Community Readiness Survey to the group and we will finish with discussion on what to do with the data we have. Lunch will be served.

**Backstrom's Speaking Event** – The Backstrom's will be here on Thursday, October 22<sup>nd</sup>. They will speak at ACHM High School at 11am and BRF High School at 1:30pm. TFJCK will pay there travel expenses including hotel, meals, mileage, etc. Lisa will contact Tina Gilbertson at the High School with details, date, and time and also the Lunda Theatre for reservation and media needs. Each event takes approximately 50 minutes.

**Red Ribbon Week (Oct. 23-31) activities-** Sidewalk chalk/movie event with anti-drug messages on sidewalk, red balloons, and a movie afterward. We are also meeting with all High School principals in Jackson County to discuss getting students involved with RRW activities, with prizes for the winning class/grade. The Backstrom's will be speaking the week before RRW also.

**End of year spend down-** Some items that have been purchased are more Clickers (2 sets), a baby CO monitor, Early Warning Signs booklets, VISTA cost-share for next grant year, pre-paid ads for TFC advertising, tobacco billboard, laptop for VISTA

**Meeting topics for LT in October** –Backstroms, RRW, quarterly meeting in October, new grant year

**Miscellaneous-**

- **Teen Center at UWEX-**Brody and Sarah are creating a plan to present to county committee(s).

**The next Leadership Team meetings –**

**Wednesday, October 7th, 2009, 10am, DHHS Building**  
**Wednesday, November 4<sup>th</sup>, 2009, 10am, DHHS Building**

Meeting adjourned at 11am  
Minutes respectfully submitted by Lisa Hodge