



Monthly Coalition Report

Insight Alliance

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Upcoming Events

SEPTEMBER MEETING WILL START EARLY -- Be there by 2:45 if you can. We will start with a webinar about Alcohol Outlet Density and the community impact. This will be from 3 – 4 and have a short business meeting from 4 – 4:30.

Week of September 10th we will be doing our survey in the schools. We may need volunteers to serve as proctors. Let us know if you are interested.

September 4th 10am – Johnson City Senior Center (location to be confirmed), Neil will be hosting a group for Grandparents Raising Grandchildren at which ever Senior Center is open.

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* **Johnson City Neighborhood Partnerships (prev. Weed N Seed)**- PLEASE NOTE THE NEW NAME- The next meeting will be on Tuesday, August 28th starting at 11:30am at the Carver Recreational center. Lunch will be provided.

* **Red Legacy/Oxford House** - Weekly planning meetings for the Oxford House- Appalachia continue at the Insight Alliance office every Tuesday at 5 pm. House will open on Sept 1st. Still looking for additional people to live in the house. Especially need 1 or 2 with 6 months or more sobriety. Rent and expenses will be about \$100 / wk. Will post applications on our website.

Recent Events

* **August 15th- Youth Serving Organizations Sector Meeting** – 3 organizations and 3 (that could not make it).

Suggestion to add Boy Scouts (need contact). Shared ages served and activities they provide and what is new. Will provide highlights verb. Watch for the minutes and report from the meeting.

* **August 14th - Governor Hwy Safety Mtg.**- Sullivan County will have the first NO REFUSAL weekend road blocks for the region. There will be 7 separate road blocks From Sept 1-Sept 4th in Sullivan County. Booze It/Lose It Campaign starts Aug 17th-Sept 4th throughout state of TN. There are 613 fatalities in TN this year. 32 over from last year for the state count of those 613 fatalities 259 of those were not wearing seat belts.

* **August 10th and 11th- Umoja Festival - Officer Oasis** – Approximately 20 – 25 served each day.

* **August 4th- Coalition for Kids Health Fair** – Handed out 400 flyers – Talk About it.

* **July 27th Hands Across the Border Road Block** - Greene County had their 1st Roadblock on 11E. There were 5 DUI arrests with 588 cars being counted.

* **July 22nd- July 26th- CADCA Conference – Nashville** Christy and Jennifer attended all week.

* **July 21st- Health and Wellness Fair at the Farmers Market, JC** The turnout was pretty good despite the gray day and impending storms. 102 people came to the booth: 60 female and 42 male. Most of the participants were of the 45-64 year age group (50).

Check our website out for detail. **Calendar - for upcoming events and details – Announcements for special reports or further information on events past and future.** Watch our Facebook Page for weekly summaries of the numbers.
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