

1/25/2020 Angel Network Grant Meeting

Present: Martha Clavoe, Andrea Vasquez, Georgia Meeter, Cindy Falk, Robert (Bob) Manasier, Patrice Perkins, Stephanie Ocegüera, May Leinhart, Callie Wright, Veronica Pokorny

- I. Introductions and various activities to help define our mission
- II. Grant Volunteers not present
 - i. Lauren Christman
 - ii. Beth Olearczyk- Lytel
 - iii. Lynne Mebust
- III. Bob explained how in Saratoga they used the Rec. program to raise money to help fund coaches, volunteers, etc... for after school activities.
- IV. May mentioned how we need to collect studies that give research to help site why we're looking for funding.
- V. Callie mentioned how she would like to see us build the Angel network in a structured, systematic way. She gave great examples of how the school, sport, et..could ask for people to send in an extra amount to sponsor a child or children
Small business sponsorship was also discussed.
- VI. Callie asked how we can best use Patrice with the time we do have her.
 - i. Amy Kukenberger@cooperstowncs.org (contact at CCS business office for data)
 - ii. Tim Hayes- President of School Board who Cindy mentioned
hayestimothy@gmail.com
- VII. Possible List of grants to apply to
 - i. Chobani
 - ii. Stewarts
 - iii. The Community Foundation of New York- Cindy please forward that information onto Patrice, Bob, Callie, May and me.
 - iv. Key Bank
 - v. Honda Foundation
 - vi. State childcare
 - vii. We are part of the Mohawk Valley for New York State

NOTES FROM THIS MEETING AND PREVIOUS MEETING

Angel Network has \$50,000, they are a 501c3, separate from schools yet can take use of printing thru BOCES, our goal is to raise \$250,000.

Committees of Angel Network

1. Fund Raising Committee Chairs: May Leinhart and Callie Wright

2. Laundry for Love - Katherine "Casey" Murdock in Otsego County - Angel Network families can do
3. Clark Sports Center want to be able to offer educational classes after school. Stephanie is working with them. Resource Me is Stephanie's business and "Tinker & Fiddle" is one to check out.
4. Need Late Bus for all after school programs and sports.
5. My Neighbors Closet
6. Children need unstructured - structured time.
7. Children need after school cooking classes, lice kits, etc

Treasurer/Acct is Jessica Baker

We used to have CROP - Creating Rural Opportunities: snack, homework help, and play.

Georgia Meeter - she started something called "Up Beat". A place for children to hang out, get snack, play games, do homework especially available when there is no school - snow date or scheduled closings.

New Foundation in Otsego County - Community Foundation for Otsego County - new group beginning in 2019.