

**Raymond Coalition For Youth ~ Meeting Minutes**  
**August 14, 2025 ~ 9:00 – 10:30 am**  
**In Person at Raymond Baptist Church Basement**



**Present: 23 Members**

<b>School</b>	Nataly Medrano, SAU 33
<b>Youth Serving</b>	Pam Baker - RCFY Program Coord Pam Turcotte, RCFY Finance Coord Celeste Clark, Executive Dir. RCFY
<b>Youth Action Members</b>	Alice Perreti Ethan Harmon Parker Ankiewicz Branson Ankiewicz Corrina Lombard Evan Havey Marissa McGlynn Kaylee McGlynn, RCFY YA Alum
<b>Government/Municipal</b>	Kristen Buckman, Dudley Tucker Library Bill Gannon, State Senate Brian Nadeau, State Rep
<b>Substance Prevention</b>	Jamie Paolini, The Ridge
<b>Medical</b>	Annalise Poirier, Lamprey Health Care
<b>Service Organizations</b>	Kathy McCarthy, Rotary and RCFY BOD
<b>Volunteers</b>	Jim Tuttle Dennis Garnham Marcia Garber
<b>Parents</b>	Peter McGlynn Alex McGlynn

Welcomes, Introductions, Announcements were made.

Members of the Middle and High School Youth Action Groups presented their Film Projects that were aired at the Film Festival in Portsmouth, NH. All films can be viewed on the YouTube Page.

The Middle School film was on vaping and the dangers of vaping. Though vaping is an issue in the school due to easy availability and how portable vapes can be, they feel that the majority of students do not vape.

Their concern is getting the word out about the dangers of vaping to adults as well as students.

If adults in the home are vaping then don't make it accessible to younger members of the family. We need to educate adults on the dangers and potency of these products.

The High School film was on underage drinking and the consequences for both the young person as well as parents/guardians when they are caught. What is the process when the police are involved and what are the consequences, both personally and financially. A big thank you goes out to the Raymond Police Department for their assistance in this project.

Celeste then introduced Kaylee McGlynn who presented her overview and possible legislation on the drug Xylazine or its street name Tranq. This unscheduled drug was intended for use by veterinarians and not for human consumption. This drug is being added to Fentanyl and has a very negative impact when taken illegally. There is no known antidote and it reduces the effectiveness of Narcan when it is being used on a person suffering an overdose.

At this time it doesn't fit into any schedule and has no regulation. It comes mostly from Mexico and China and is cheap to buy, anywhere from \$6 to \$20 a Kilo. To know more about Xylazine you can get information on the [CDC.gov](https://www.cdc.gov) website.

Other Updates:

- Basketball Court update
- Save the Date! Prevention Summit, Oct 24, 2025
- Discount Cards available for \$10
- Summer Fun Series
- Legislation ( Marijuana from Schedule 1 to Schedule 111)

**Thank you for joining us today, being an RCFY advocate, passing along the information learned today, and encouraging others to learn more and get involved.**

Next Meetings: **September 11, October 9, November 13**

**Mission Statement:**

The Raymond Coalition For Youth empowers the community to promote positive youth development and reduce youth substance use and suicide risk.

***Promoting Positive Healthy Choices for our Youth!***

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