

**Attendees:** Kristina Drum, Kyle Houser, Ambrosia Branson, Sara Ruholl, Robert Estep, Bobbye Scott, Cindy Hanley, Corey Blair, Allyssa Houser, Julie Pohlman, Jack Weber, Adam Lovell, Norm Wilson, Nicki Hanks, Kristin Davis

*Minutes*

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**Agenda Item:** Introductions of attendees

- Most excited about for FY25:
  - Kristina is excited about new partnerships in Clark County.
  - Kyle is excited to have his baby boy in September.
  - Sara is excited about lots of graduations happening next year.
  - Cindy hopes for more services in the community.
  - Corey is excited to see how much more the stigma is lifted.
  - Ambrosia is excited about upcoming events for CCCRC!
  - Julie is excited about all of the ROSC councils across the state being together in Chicago.
  - Kristin is excited about the implementation phase and vision they saw for their prevention program.
  - Norm is excited about new staff getting caseload built up and adding to the team.
  - Jack is most excited about growing the recovery community in Clark County.
  - Robert is excited about helping people in recovery.
  - Bobbye is excited about picking up the pace in Clark County and getting support from small businesses.
  - Adam is excited about election year.
  - Allyssa is most excited about having her baby boy in September.

**Spotlight speaker** – No spotlight speaker

**Deliverables - Strategic Plan:**  
(Goals F & G)

**Goal F:** Collaborate with the County Jails to identify gaps and barriers to incarcerated individuals seeking recovery. (1-3-year goals).

Objective 12: Assist in implementing a ROSC Council Recovery Navigator in the jail to provide a recovery-orientated education series to incarcerated individuals.

- Clark County  
Kyle is providing educational groups and resource folders are being distributed to inmates.
- Cumberland County  
Kyle has resource folders being distributed to inmates  
We hope that the Cumberland County Sheriff can connect with the Clark County Sheriff in the future to hear about how the inmates are benefiting from Kyle's groups in the Clark County jail.

**Input from council members:** Sara states there is a 911 committee in Cumberland County and suggests we contact them as they may be able to advocate for educational groups inside the jail. Sara also suggests Sheriff Brown in Clark County contacting Sheriff Maroon in Cumberland County about how well the educational groups are going in Clark County.

**Goal G:** (Both Counties): Enhance the recovery capital in Clark and Cumberland Counties by supporting the efforts being made by ROSC Council. **(3-5+-year goal).**

**Objective 15:** Explore Recovery Housing options for both counties.

- Clark County & Cumberland County

At an upcoming council meeting Jonathan Burns from HRC will explain what is going on in Edgar County pertaining to recovery housing.

**Upcoming Events:** Kristina and Kyle will walk in the Spring festival parade this Saturday handing out bookmarks with their contact information.

**Plans for Fiscal Year 25:** In July we will participate in Crazy Casey Days. On July 26<sup>th</sup> we will host a Community Narcan Training with the Chamber and will be partnering with HRC for this event. After the training we will have an informational table set up at the Farmers Market. We will promote our communication campaign on social media, in the newspaper, and on the radio. In August we will host our Annual Candlelight Vigil in Greenup and our focus for the communication campaign will be overdose awareness. We have a potential opportunity to host a Hidden in Plain Sight Event. In September we will have our Annual Recovery Picnic. Kristina will set up an informational table at Autumn Fest in Marshall and drive in the parade. The communication campaign will focus on Recovery is Possible! In October we will participate in the Trunk or Treat in Toledo and advertise Drug Take Back Day on social media. In the month of November, we hope to set up shop at Love's in Greenup to hand out hygiene kits and provide showers for those in need. We plan to have a drive to meet the needs of our schools. In addition, we will have a can opener drive and possibly collect paper plates and plastic silverware.

**Subcommittee Update:** Our Drug Court Panel will be held on June 10<sup>th</sup> from 5pm to 6pm at The U of I Extension Building in Marshall. We encourage everyone to be in attendance. If you have any questions about what a Drug Court is send them to Kristina or Kyle. The next subcommittee meeting is on May 28th at 4:30 over Zoom. Kristina will send a calendar invite with the agenda.

**Reminders/Tasks:**

- Please Sign the MOUs and return them to Kristina Drum.
- Kristina will schedule additional opportunities to educate the community on the ROSC Concept.
- Who do we need at the ROSC Council meetings, and how do we get them here?
- We are planning events for the next Fiscal Year, such as the panel events. Council members are encouraged to participate in the planning to ensure their success.

**Next Meeting:** June 11<sup>th</sup>, 2024 4:30 p.m. at The Forsythe Center & Zoom

**New Facebook Page:** Please go like and follow The Clark/Cumberland County ROSC [Clark/Cumberland County ROSC Facebook Page](#)

# Clark/Cumberland County ROSC Subcommittee Meeting Minutes

May 7<sup>th</sup>, 2024  
4:30 pm  
Zoom

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**Attendees:** Kyle Houser, Donnelle Darling, Eddie McFarland, Sara Ruholl, Adam Lovell, Andy Riggs, Bobby Scott

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**Agenda Item: Introductions and Updates**

**Overview:** The subcommittee continued making plans for the Clark County panel that is taking place on June 10<sup>th</sup>. Planning for the Annual Recovery Picnic has begun.

**Clark County Panel Discussion:** Kristina started by informing the council that they have not secured a location for the panel, but she is waiting to hear back about New Rivers Church in Marshall. Sara says she will cover the cost and deposit at Marshall's U of I Extension building. Kyle will call and reserve the building tomorrow, and Kristina will update the flyer with the

location and send it out. The following individuals have agreed to be panelists: Andy Riggs, Jack Weber, Sheriff Rutan from Crawford County, and possibly Fred Chin, the Jail Administrator of Crawford County and a member of the AOIC Board. Andy has contacted Fred, and the Sheriff has agreed to speak with Fred about being a panelist. Kyle asked everyone to think of questions for the panelists. Sandwiches, chips, and water will be provided; chips and bottled water are left over from our last panel event. Sara has additional bottles of water and chips if we don't have enough. We moved on to discuss our annual recovery picnic and begin discussing a location. Sara suggests we host the picnic in Greenup to ensure we are hosting events between both counties. Others suggest Casey is the best option since it is somewhat in the middle. We will check on a few things before deciding on the best location for the picnic. This year, we think one speaker will be sufficient for the event. There is a formula to determine how many people will show up, and this can be used to determine how many prizes we should have. This year, we will scale things down a little; not everyone will need to win a prize.

**Next Meeting: May 28<sup>th</sup>, 2024 via zoom**

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4:30 pm

Zoom

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**Attendees:** Kristina Drum, Kyle Houser, Sara Ruholl, Adam Lovell, Bobbye Scott

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#### **Agenda Item: Introductions and Updates**

**Overview:** The subcommittee finalized plans for the Clark County panel that is taking place on June 10<sup>th</sup>. Planning for the Annual Recovery Picnic continued and we began planning our annual Candlelight Vigil.

**Clark County Panel Discussion:** We have secured a location and food is covered through a donation from one of the ROSC Council members. Kyle has the questions for the panelists, but needs to add Sara's questions. Kyle will contact Andy to inquire about Fred Chin's participation in the panel.

**Recovery Picnic:** We decided on the first or second Saturday in September for the Recovery Picnic. Kristina will call the City of Casey to reserve the Lion Pavilion at Fairview Park in Casey. We decided 20 adult prizes will be sufficient for the picnic and should have them collected by the second week of August. We will all be thinking about what activities we will have for the kids. HRC is donating the kid prizes for the picnic.

**Candlelight Vigil:** This year we will host this event in Greenup. Kristina will call the Village of Greenup to reserve a pavilion. Sara provides the name of the person to contact. Kristina stated we need to find a speaker for the event. Potential speakers would include a person who has experienced an overdose or a family who has lost someone to an overdose. Kristina will reach out to a couple that attended last year's Candlelight Vigil to honor their daughter and son.

**Narcan Education in the Community:** Sara asked us what we are doing to combat the stigma surrounding Narcan in the community. We discussed ways to educate community members and shift the mindset from Narcan enabling drug use to Narcan being an emergent response. In addition, many people are alive, in recovery, thriving, and are here today because of Narcan. Bo suggests we continue to showcase these individuals to spread awareness. Sara suggests an article in the newspaper that reads, "Did You Know that Narcan is an emergent response?" If you would like to continue this conversation, call this number. We also discussed sharing facts about substance use disorder in the newspaper each week. Sharing the QR code to our jotform in the newspaper was also discussed. Kristina suggested a possible panel on why everyone should carry Narcan.

**Press Release for Yard Signs:** Kristina will start working on a press release for the yard signs.

**Contributors:** Sara stressed the importance of always listing and recognizing community members and contributors for events on flyers, etc.

**Next Meeting: 25<sup>th</sup>, 2024 at 4 p.m. via zoom**