August 2017

Health Education

Public Health announcements via social media (Facebook and Twitter):

Pequannock & Bloomingdale:

- ⇒ Health Department News—Immunizations
- ⇒ Safe food handling and preparation for summer months
- ⇒ Solar Eclipse Safety
- ⇒ Caregiver Café
- ⇒ Health Department News—upcoming events
- ⇒ Health Department News—National Childhood Obesity Month

Pequannock, Bloomingdale and Riverdale:

⇒ Mondays Campaign: Exercise for better sleep; Meatless Mondays—Singapore Vermicelli & Pumpkin seed Cannellini meatballs in tomato sauce recipes; Quit Smoking

Pequannock:

⇒ No recycling collection (Labor Day) & Flu Shot Reminder

Health Education Programs

August is National Immunization Awareness Month

Pequannock:

- ⇒ Monthly Board educational material on vaccines—infancy through adulthood
- ⇒ Sue & Jean presented a Power Point Presentation to Pequannock Disc Senior Group, "Adult Vaccines", approximately 20 in attendance.

Kinnelon:

Skin cancer screening held at Kinnelon Municipal Building August 24, 2017 6-8pm [actual 5:45—8:45 pm]

- ⇒ Total screened—31
- ⇒ Referred for follow up—3

Looking Forward:

- ⇒ "Adult Vaccines" program scheduled at Hearle Village in September
- ⇒ "Mental Health First Aid for Public Safety" in Bloomingdale in September
- ⇒ Mental Health First Aid for Public Safety" in Florham Park in October

Communicable Disease Section

Pequannock:

⇒ 1 case VPD=Pertussis—[closed as not a case]

Florham Park—two outbreaks

- ⇒ Kiddie Academy—8/7/17 to 8/25/17—Daily surveillance for coxsackievirus outbreak {HFM} Total affected 9 children/1 staff member
- ⇒ Villa at Florham Park—8/14/17—8/18/2017 Daily surveillance for GI outbreak Total affected 19 residents and 5 staff members

 Sue and Jean met with Director of Nurses and Administrator at the facility during outbreak to review protocol and control measures.

Home Visits/Welfare checks

Sue and Tim followed up on Della Ave., ongoing property abatement, progress made to the home.

Sue and Tim followed up on a New Bridge client, landlord complaint issues; referred to fire inspector.

August Food Handler Classes

Class	Number of Attendees	Increase in Pretest & Post- test Scores
Pequannock	5—Pequannock 1– Florham Park	18%
Florham Park	10 All Florham Park	19%

Animal Control

Riverbend Feral Cats: An on-site meeting was done with Christianne Smith ACO, Gina McConeghy, REHS and the property managers at Riverbend. We walked the entire complex to assess what maintenance issues had to be addressed to prevent the feral cats from entering the sub surfaces of the buildings. Lattice structures were to be installed to prevent the cats from going under the decks of the properties. The flood screens were also to be repaired, remounted or replaced if missing. All garbage cans were to be replaced to keep out wildlife, namely raccoons and feral cats. The head of maintenance was to be the responsible person to set the cat traps and call if cats were found in a cage. He would be responsible for bringing the captured cats to Pequannock when Christianne could not be in town. His information was forwarded to FP Police Department as a person assisting in the capture of the cats. Numerous traps were to be purchased by Riverbend, along with a camera system to address residents as well as trespassers who might be feeding the cats.

Complaints

Pequannock:

- ⇒ 475 Route 23—dumping debris behind strip mall—unconfirmed
- ⇒ Turnpike—several things broken in apartment—ongoing
- ⇒ Turnpike—debris in front yard—ongoing

Kinnelon:

- ⇒ Kinnelon Rd—stagnant water in pond—abated
- ⇒ Amira Ln—septic malfunction—ongoing

Bloomingdale:

- ⇒ Star Lake Rd—improper garbage storage—abated
- ⇒ 256 Rafkind Rd—stagnant water in pool—ongoing (Mosquito Commission treated pool)
- ⇒ Waterfall Ct—water seeping into garage—ongoing

Riverdale:

- ⇒ Wayside Pl—rodents/property maintenance—ongoing
- ⇒ Munn Ave—rodents—ongoing
- ⇒ Mead Ave—brush, debris, wood pile—ongoing
- ⇒ Mead Ave—housing, brush & debris—ongoing
- ⇒ Curtis St—rodents, stagnant water—ongoing
- ⇒ Macopin Ave—debris in yard—abated
- ⇒ Haycock Ave—rodents, debris, poison ivy—ongoing
- ⇒ Windbeam Rd—mosquitoes, poison sumac –ongoing
- ⇒ Arlington Pl—chickens—abated
- ⇒ Arlington Pl—rodents—ongoing
- ⇒ Hamburg Tpk—property maintenance– referred to L. Roetman
- ⇒ Morris Ave—property maintenance—ongoing

Education/Conferences

Gina attended 'Ageless Grace Neuroplasticity" earning 10.5 CHES credits

Two interns, one from Montclair State University and one from Rutgers University attended tours of Morris County Transfer Station, as well as a tour of a wholesale bakery.

Sue & Jean participated in a webinar, "Tick borne Disease Basics"

Sue & Jean participated in a webinar, "Communication Strategies & Recommendations for Flu 2017-2018 Season"