



*MINUTES 11/13/2013 Children's Cabinet of Seminole County*

MEETING CALLED BY	Tricia Teal-Chair
MEETING OPENED	9:35 a.m.
TYPE OF MEETING	Seminole County Children's Cabinet Monthly Meeting
LOCATION	Seminole County Sheriff's Department
NOTE TAKER	Corrie Kindyl – Cabinet Secretary
ATTENDEES	Amanda Tarulli, Desmond Taylor, Tricia Teal, Jennifer Vestal, Jennifer Bero, Karen Cino, Judy Creel, Steve Dalsamer, Jill Gentry, Dana Goblock, Kyler Hendricks, Chelsea Hilend, Jean Jeffcoat, Tracy Pellegrino, Verlese Pender, Phebe Powell, Mark Rehder, Sylvia Riofrio, MaryAnn Rosenbauer, Felipe Sanchez, Sulhely Sanchez, Krissy Todd, Shellonda Rucker, Corrie Kindyl, Meredith Williams, Dawn Wadle, Vicki Migacz, Nubia Cordoba, Judith Vlades, Judith Rossetti, Linda Torres, Jeanette Adamkawski, Curtis Campogni, Ray Larson, Michael Williams, Juanita Black, Kim-My Lac, Crystal Lilly, Suzanne McCullough, Kristen Ramirez and Carmen Guzman.
MEETING ADJORNED	10:45 a.m.
NEXT MEETING SCHEDULE (ANNUAL MEETING)	<i>Annual Meeting-Wednesday, December 11, 2013, 9:30 a.m. at Seminole County Sherriff's Office</i>

AGENDA TOPICS

WELCOME & INTRODUCTIONS
Tricia Teal opened the meeting and welcomed the cabinet and everyone introduced themselves.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:	
DISCUSSION:	September and October Minutes: Juanita Black moved to motion approval of August 2013 minutes. Seconded by Desmond Taylor. All in favor: Yes
PRESENTATIONS	
DISCUSSION:	Orlando Youth Alliance and Family Driven/Youth Guided Presentation rescheduled their presentation for future meetings.
FAMILY VOICE / FFCFL UPDATE	
DISCUSSION:	<p><i>The Federation of Central Florida holds a monthly meeting for Seminole County Families on the last Thursday of the month at the Seminole Early Learning Coalition, 280 Hunt Park Cove, Longwood, FL 32750 from 5:30 pm – 7:30 pm. Free dinner and childcare are provided.</i></p> <p>Crystal Lilly presented. The Gala went very well. The Halloween Party had 39 children participate. The Holiday Party will be on 12-5-13 from 5:30-7:00 pm at the Service Center.</p> <p>Verlese Pender has been promoted to a more supervisory position. Game Night became Family Game night turned out well with parents and siblings participating. On 11-22-13 their volunteer project will occur at the Rescue Mission. On 12-6-13 they will have their Christmas Around the World event.</p>
<i>Change Team Updates</i>	
Communications	
DISCUSSION:	<p><i>Communications Committee Meeting is held the Second Tuesday at Impower (new offices in 587 East SR 434, Suite 1021, Longwood, FL 32750) of every month at 11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.</i></p> <p>Tricia Teal presented. Lynn Whitcomb has resigned the position. We thank her for her service. Jeff Griesemer will take her position as chair now.</p>

	<p>Judy Creel presented. Pitch about communication, please be involved! Brochure distributed today at the meeting. Need more involvement in the website. Plan is each month will have a dedicated topic or focus. Suggestions welcome. Please visit the website is <a href="http://www.seminolechildren.org">www.seminolechildren.org</a> Policies and guidelines are being established. They would like info about stress management for December to post for December.</p>
<p>FACTS/SOC (Families and Communities Together &amp; System of Care)</p>	
<p>DISCUSSION:</p>	<p>Tracy Pellegrino presented. Discussion about Youth Coordinators.</p> <p>New Partner Youth Advocate Programs has been added. 10 slots for youth advocates to work in the WRAP Around process.</p> <p>Respite program continues to grow with partnership with Friends of Children and Families.</p> <p>Upcoming training for therapists working with Juvenile Sex Offenders will be held in December. 25 therapists will be trained (maximum number). There are openings available still, contact Dana for more information.</p> <p>22<sup>nd</sup> month of service delivery. Over 160 families have been served. Currently 62 families. 7 care coordinators as of this coming Monday. 6 family partners. 33 youth have been transitioned completing the entire WRAP Around process. 5 youth needed a higher level of care. Ages 5-22 if still in school, need at least 2 services, be in the system or at risk for involvement. Targeted group is the highest risk children that may need a higher level of care. 15% of referrals are from word of mouth.</p>
<p>Membership</p>	
<p>DISCUSSION:</p>	<p><i>Membership Committee Meeting is held the First Friday of every month from 9:30 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. at CBCCFL Service Center.</i></p> <p>Crystal Lilly reported. Please make sure you sign in for match and that your information is current! She has a list of change teams and descriptions to encourage involvement. She has copies of the membership agreements as well. Welcome packets for new members are now available.</p>

Research & Evaluation	
DISCUSSION:	<p><i>Research &amp; Evaluation Meeting is held the First Wednesday of every month from 1:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. at the Pathways Office (to change ASAP possible the CBCCFL Service Center) AND the third Wednesday of every month combined with Community Focus 9:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. at the Pathways Office. Special CANS meeting on the third Wednesday of the month at CBC Pelee Street Office.</i></p> <p>Corrie Kindyl presented. Discussion focused on CANS conference in San Francisco and the participants all spoke about their experiences and offered feedback. As part of our System of Care Transformation, we are committed to using this tool. More info can be found on <a href="http://www.canstraining.com">www.canstraining.com</a> website. 2 more live local trainings will be held before the end of the year and will be offered free of charge.</p>
Community Focus:	
DISCUSSION:	<p><i>Community Focus Meeting is held 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday of every month at 10:15 a.m. at the CBCCFL Service Center (Sanford Room).</i></p> <p>Tricia Teal presented. Family Voice discussed barriers for accessing services needed and focused on preventative care etc. Financial issues a primary barrier. Discussed Breaking the Cycle and National Adoption Month.</p> <p>Dana Giblock presented about the training for therapists to treat Juvenile Sex Offenders.</p>
New Business	
DISCUSSION:	<p>Jill Gentry presented about National Adoption Month. Seminole County will have at least 3 adoptions in Seminole County this month November 22, 2013. All are invited to attend this celebration. Since July 6 children have been adopted. In 2012 40 children were adopted during the entire year. Currently only 9 children available for adoption in this county.</p> <p>Tricia Teal spoke about the Survey. Several years ago the cabinet distributed a survey. We would like to update that now. Copies were emailed yesterday and hard copies are here as goal is to complete these today. Participation is strongly encouraged!</p>

Old Business	
DISCUSSION:	<p>Felipe Sanchez presented about the new 3<sup>rd</sup> posted in the series. He covered the history and reasoning of the first two posters. 205 of the new posters were distributed to the school system yesterday. Soon the entire program will be presented to the school board membership. Trainings will be offered in 2014 involving cultural awareness, cross cultural issues, and implicit/unconscious bias.</p>
Community Announcements & General Information Offered	
DISCUSSION:	<p>Chelsea Heiland CAPTF meeting is tomorrow at 930. Bring 250 copies of agency materials for resource bags. Friday bags will be distributed. Volunteers are welcome.</p> <p>Boys Town on 12-8-13 at 5:30 p.m. will host an Open House Tree Lighting Event.</p> <p>Attorney General's Office has a great presentation on Bullying and Cyber Safety for children. <a href="http://www.Myfloridallegal.com">www.Myfloridallegal.com</a> has more information.</p> <p>Phebe Powell spoke about the Safe Sleep Campaign. Pack-n-plays are being collected at firehouses to improve safety. 99 confirmed cases (deaths) so far this year due to unsafe sleeping conditions. 13 total in our local community. Bumpers are not safe! DCF website has more info. Also she has tip sheets for Bully Prevention.</p> <p>Henkels &amp; McCoy agency has 60 spots available year round and summer programs available.</p> <p>HOPE program offered a brief orientation as to their group and needs for the holidays. 350 families will be served.</p> <p>Project Bridge will have an Open House Friday at 1 pm in Orange County. New program. Call 407-276-5995 for more information.</p> <p>Ray Larsen spoke about the Children's Summit which was held last Friday. Goal to create a common agenda for the community. 3 main speakers. 50 table tops conversations were held. Goal of 400 in attendance met.</p> <p>Jennifer Bero presented on 12-5-13 Youth Mental Health/First Aid Training will be held. Details to follow soon via email. They can also offer in house trainings at your</p>

	site (max 25 and minimum is 5 participants).
ADJOURNMENT: 10:45 a.m. Motion to adjourned and seconded.	