

Parent Meeting Agenda
April 23, 2024
WebEx

Attendees: See attendance sheet

Start: 1:01PM

End: 1:48PM

Community Meeting

1. *How are you feeling? (Emotion)*
2. *What is your goal for today? (Future)*
3. *Who will you ask for help? (Support)*

Meeting Rules:

- Respect others' opinions and suggestions.
- Listen with an open mind.
- Allow participants the opportunity to speak and finish their thoughts.
- Begin/end meetings on time.
- Be attentive at the meeting (limit cell phone use, avoid "side-bar conversations", stay focused).

Service Area Training- Summer Camps, Mel Curtis, Moshannon Valley YMCA; Kindergarten Transition, Christal Hayward

Mel Curtis from the Moshannon Valley YMCA discussed a free summer lunch program for children. Food will be given for 5 days. Locations include Philipsburg Elementary School, Osceola Mills School, Moshannon Valley HS, West Branch School, Wingate Elementary, Mt. Top Elementary, Snyderstown, Marion Walker Elementary, Continental Courts.

The YMCA is offering a variety of free camps. The mobile unit will be providing a cooking opportunity for ages 11 and up. They will learn to cook meals in the crockpot and get to keep the crockpot.

Starting June 10th, the YMCA will be at Cold Stream every Monday. Feeding children, Penn State Medical Mobile Unit will be there giving free exams. No need to sign up.

Mel discussed several summer camps available to ages 11 and up, teaching children to make salads, pick fruit and make yogurt cups. Food Tasting, Body Impact Program, trying new fruits and vegetables they have never had. Offering camps at the farm-planting vegetables, learn about healthy foods, no costs. Leadership camps. No Cost. Sponsored by a foundation. Tabytha discussed that CenClear owns 400 acres of land that we call the farm. CenClear has partnered with the YMCA among other entities to expand the farm to offer more events/activities to families, free of charge. Looking to offer free family movie nights. Mel suggested following the farm on Facebook. He discussed a bee pollination station being put in, a sensory garden, horse stables are up, no horses yet.

The YMCA is partnering with Diamondback to offer children's cooking classes.

Center Reports-None

Committees Updates

Health/Nutrition-No updates

Interview/Personnel-Tabytha discussed joining the committee. Heather shared her experiences with this committee.

PBIS Leadership Team-5/6/24 at 3:00PM. Tabytha discussed what PBIS is, how we implement it in classroom, rewards, etc.

Old Business

PBIS Training (Sean)-None

New Business

Delgrosso Day (6/19 & 6/20)-Tabytha discussed that CenClear board of directors offers this event to program families. Each center is assigned a specific day to avoid overcrowding the park. Information will come out on Class Dojo, must request discount coupons on the link provided. Policy Council offering a sun safety training and providing free sunscreen and aloe vera.

Parent Training Interests-Summer camps for children that are 5 and under, Kindergarten Transition

FEI-Tabytha discussed what CenClear is part of the Federal Enrollment Initiative. That we must be 97% enrolled. There is an FEI team that is looking at several areas such as reducing enrollment for HS and EHS, transportation, saturation of services, staff retention.

Enrollment-Tabytha discussed that we are still accepting applications for next year. We have some classes that are full but are looking to build a waitlist. Tabytha discussed the parent incentive and encourage parents to refer others.

EHS assessment period, coaching, and transitioning to HS-Ashley Cali discussed the child assessment, our report card, which is used to help us plan, and how that information is used to train staff. Ashley talked about Lisa Clark, coach, who works with staff on professional development. Ashley talked about socializations and how they look different for each caseload. Ashley discussed EHS transitioning, if looking to enroll in a preschool program, encouraged to complete an application, tour a classroom.

Adjournment

Next meeting: