

Promise Partners Committee Meeting Notes
Youth and Family

COMMITTEE: Youth and Families
MEETING DATE: January 8th, 2018

CHAIRPERSON: Jessica Rayment
LOCATION: Promise Partners

PRESENT:

Sonya Fittje (Boys Town Iowa)
Kristina Jenson (HFS)
Theresa Cooley Daniel (IWCC)
Bobbette Beedle (WCCA)
Grace Tunning (Family Inc.)
Clarrissa Newman (Lakin Campus)
Carol Waters (Pott Co Extension)
Liz Addison (Family Inc.)
Velma James (Catholic Charities)

Katie Carroll (Children's Square IHS)
Rhonda Newman (Project Everlast)
Tiffani Pinkerton (HFS)
Jessica Rayment (Promise Partners)
Colleen Winey (Head Start)
Misty Graevy (HPS Tobacco)
Emily McDermott (WCCA FADSS)
Alisa Michaelsen (Parent Partner)

Introductions and Announcements:

Jessica Rayment (Promise Partners) –There trainings coming up. “A Look at Human Trafficking in Iowa” 3/20 8am-5pm, IWCC-CB, cost \$50 registration/questions contact jen.foltz@iowa.gov. “Compassion Fatigue/Self-Care” on 2/19 at 2pm at Project Harmony in Omaha and “Working Together Across Cultures” 3/20 at 9am at Project Harmony

Sonya Fittje (Boys Town Iowa) Common Sense Parenting classes will start in January at United Methodist Church, classes are now full. She had some parents register who attended the Parent Café. They are looking for individuals or groups to provide the meals for the parenting classes. The classes run 7 weeks and start at 5:30, they need enough to serve around 30 people. Please contact Sonya for more information.

Carol Waters (Pott Co Extension) – There are daycare trainings coming up. She handed out information on Science of Parenting and the Iowa Cares Hotline (legal, stress and financial information given on hotline).

Clarrissa Newman (Lakin Campus) - handed out 82 backpacks of meals to kids over the holiday break. They contained lunch and breakfast for 3 days. They will be doing this again over the Easter break.

Liz Addison (Family Inc.) – Give Kids a Smile will be on February 1st. They will also be hosting a Story Walk.

Grace Tunning (Family Inc.)- Dr. Seuss Night will be February 28th from 5:30-7:30pm

Alisa Michaelsen (Parent Partner)- they are looking for referrals for Parent Partners and parents.

Teresa Cooley-Daniel (IWCC) – Has flyers on programming as needed.

Guest Speaker – Sgt Cory Woodward – CB Police Dept.

- Iowa legislation recently passed CBD oil for medical purposes
- Individuals are not able to get high from the amount of THC that is allowed in the oil.
- Individuals need a medical card prescribed from their doctor. Their condition has to meet legal requirements. The dispensary is at 36th and 9th Ave.
- Vape stores are selling CBD oil without THC in it.
- The Drug Recognition Enforcement (DRE) has different tests to determine if an individual is driving impaired
- CB PD has 3 K9 officers that are drug and bite dogs

NEXT MEETING:

Next Committee Meeting: Tuesday, February 12, 2019 3:00-4:30pm – Promise Partners Conference Room, Iowa School for the Deaf Campus – Careers Building

Next Steering Committee Meeting: Tuesday, February 5th, 9:00AM, at Mad Ox Bakery

Meeting minutes will be posted at www.promisepartners.org

Youth & Family Committee Purpose Statement:

To support and encourage the well-being of all youth and families through education, networking, and collaboration in Pottawattamie County.