

Minutes of the Meeting of the Navarro County Early Childhood Coalition

Location of Meeting: The Scene on Beaton – July 28, 2022

Present at Meeting: 36 in Attendance

The meeting was opened by Rachel Gillespie, Program Director

Agenda for Meeting

The agenda for the meeting was distributed earlier through email.

Review of Previous Minutes

No minutes from the previous meeting

Consideration of Open Issues

Rachel G. – Program Director – opened the meeting.

Linda S., Co-Chair – presented a refresh of the Group Agreements and went over the 2022 Priorities.

Rachel G. - shared some information on the Special Events the (3) Safety Days

Infant/Child CPR Day- Fire Station – Wade Gilliam presented this event.

Safe Sleep – Grace Community Church - Lorie Stovall, AgriLife Extension Office presented this event.

Internet Safety – Grace Community Church – Dr. Lydia Bailey, CAC, presented this event

Childcare was also provided

Rachel G. - shared information on the Early Childhood Maps. Lynda S. wrote down questions. Pam C. went over some of the questions and explained some of the information. Smaller maps were passed out and additional information was shared. Planning another meeting to share more information with schools and community.

Marcos M. – with Clear Impact was at the meeting and spoke about the importance of keeping our kids healthy, safe and ready for school. There were some breakout groups who participated in some table conversations about health, safety and readiness. Group discussions were cut short due to time. Marcos wrapped up this session.

Sarah A. – with DFPS- gave a short overview of what PEI is

Rachel G. – reminded everyone of the Summer Movie night at the Corsicana Palace tonight at 5:30 PM.

Rachel G. – Talked about having a new Scavenger Hunt at the Fall Break in October.

Agenda and Time of Next Meeting

Parent Café – August 4th 10:00-12:00

Parent Advisory Board –

Navarro County Early Childhood Coalition – September 29th – 1:00 – 3:00

The meeting was adjourned by: Rachel Gillespie

Minutes submitted by: Barbara Wood
