

Door County Partnership for Children and Families Quarterly Partnership Meeting Minutes

September 15, 2023 @ 8:15 a.m.
Community Foundation – Rock Island Room
222 N 3rd Ave – Sturgeon Bay, WI

The mission of the Door County Partnership for Children and Families is to promote resilience, strength, and social-emotional well-being for the families in our community.

Attendance: Rebecca Paulsen (DCPCF), Chad Welch (DCPCF), Cori McFarlane (DCPCF adhoc co-chair), Beth Chisholm (DCDHHS), Beth Lokken (DC Library), Callie Krauel (DCMC), Candis Dart (Extension), Joe Krebsbach (DCDHHS), Milly Gonzales (HELP of Door County), Josh Oberndorfer (YMCA), Shauna Blackledge (DC-Public Health), Kashoua Yang (NERC), Paul Salm (Extension), Helen Bacon (City Council), Kris Miller (Cradle to Career), Dori Goddard (DCDHHS)

1. Chad – Chad is finishing Triple P program training. He is offering Parent Cafes, Triple P programs and Screenagers in partnership with Sevastopol School through April 2024. These are in person sessions, once a month at Sevastopol school and are open to the public. (Flyer attached)
2. DCPCF program updates
 - a. Dolly Parton Imagination Library – 739 active and 649 have graduated
 - b. Block Party – the group brainstormed places and events to hold block parties.
 - c. Community Connections – family referrals are down this year. Rebecca will be doing outreach.
 - i. Rebecca has completed 238 diaper/wipe requests since January 1, 2024. Milly suggested a possible free resource for diapers/wipes. Rebecca will follow up on this.
 - d. Welcome Baby program – Welcome Baby is running at a 67% success rate of families identified as positive screens enrolling in Healthy Families. Data Report is after the minutes.
3. DCPCF Executive Committee update – committee will be completing a strategic planning session in October. Cori McFarlane is stepping into a co-chair role beginning October 1st. She will co-chair with Mary Ellen Smith.
4. Next meeting date: **Friday – December 15, 2023 @ 8:15a.m.**



Agency updates and other information shared:

Door County Library: Library Card Signup Month is in full swing. If you have a card that has expired, or need a new card, please come see us. It only takes a few minutes to update your card or get a new one, and you can enter the raffle for fun Library Merch.

Door-Tran: Door-Tran will hold a Transportation Resource Improvement Partners (TRIP) meeting on Wednesday, October 11, 2023 via zoom. All are welcomed & encouraged to attend to hear what is happening in transportation and let us know your needs.

Boys & Girls Club: Teen Time is being held at the club on Wednesdays from 6:00pm-7:00pm and Thursdays from 6:00pm – 8:00pm. This a free program and open to children in 6th grade and up. Children must enroll in after-school membership to participate. Call 920-818-1046 for more information.

Resilient Door County: Vision Board discussion night focusing on vision, direction, engagement. Community Foundation – Peninsula Room, Tuesday, September 19, 2023 from 6:30pm – 8:30pm. Question – rebecca@unitedwaydc.com