



Sonoma County ACES Connection | 09.26.18

General Assembly Meeting

Child Parent Institute

3650 Standish Avenue, Santa Rosa, CA 95407

Overview

- Network, share learning, and take action around ACES, trauma-informed efforts, and resiliency in Sonoma County

Agenda

Time	What	Why	How/Materials
3:15	[OPTIONAL] Snacks and Social Time	Make new connections and deepen old ones.	Thank you, Grace!... and, happy birthday!
3:30	Settling in... <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ritual • Mindfulness moment • Brief introductions 	Let's ground ourselves in this space and time.	Circle format; Grace (Mindfulness); Jessica (Welcome and Introductions, with favorite childhood book/movie)
3:40	Shared Learning Experience	Engage in a shared learning experience related to the Sonoma Community Resilience Collaborative.	ACES and Asset-Rich Environments, Nancy Vogl and lead attendees through exercises designed to generate thought around what in our own lives has demonstrated some of the assets that were developed in our experiences.
4:00	Business Items: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Treasurer's Report • Host for October Meeting • Other Business 	Shared knowledge and input.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Michelle provided the Treasurer's Report in the absence of a Treasurer. • Steering Committee Vacancies: Treasurer, Policy Committee Co-Chair, Co-Chair of Steering Committee, At-Large Member. • Grace announce ACES Conference Scholarship Recipients. • A wildfire anniversary event will be held 10/6/2018 11am - 2pm at Shiloh Regional Park in collaboration with CPI and the town of Windsor. The event is free to the public. • 10/27/2018 QueerComing at Monroe Hall in Santa Rosa from 6pm - 9pm. • Parent Voices will hold their Leadership Academy at Via Esperanza. The Leadership Academy teaches parents about how to give public testimony, using social media and holds a Day of Advocacy. Dinner is provided and is



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			<p>free to the public.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Violence Prevention Month is April.
4:10	Transition Time	Allows for bio breaks and/or for folks to join the meeting at this time.	On your own...
4:15	Community of Practice	Let's strategically network, share and leverage resources, and make public information and events related to our collective work and mission.	Group (as desired)
4:30	<p>Invitation to Action</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Subcommittee Shareout ● Other 	For those interested, let's take action on the things we care about most.	<p>Committees:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Alison for Policy: Allison proposed to the group to support easy policy activity to gain a group consensus for policy platform. The policy group would watch state legislation and decide on policies to support or oppose and then track and send out email blasts to the general assembly email listserv. The policy committee would track 3 to 5 top legislative priorities. Another option is to lean on the 4CA existing priorities. Alison invited 2 to 3 more individuals to join the Policy Committee to meet once a month approximately one week before the Steering Committee meeting meets. The general assembly does not object to the Policy Committee existing and to move forward. Alison also shared how to join 4CA. Join as an individual or get support from your agency to join as an organization. ● Remy for Education: The Speaker's Bureau is still active. Nancy spoke at The Living Room, 2 schools and 4C's (in English and Spanish), Rotary Club and Health Initiative received ACES presentations. There is also a request for a presentation for bus drivers.
4:50	Resilience Moment	The power of story to inspire!	Brulene shared a story dear to her and her sister called <u>The Pink Elephant with Golden Spots</u> .
5:00	Adjourn	Next Session: 3:15pm/3:30pm - 5:15pm on Wednesday, October 24th @ CPI	



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	<p>[OPTIONAL] Subcommittee Meeting Time</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Name● Policy● Education● Training● Online Presence	<p>Allow time and space for subcommittee members to meet.</p>	
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