

## Clark County Department of Family Services

## **Communications Workgroup**

Minutes for Friday, 15 Dec. 2017

## **Present**

Joe Rajchel, DFS
Sha'Londa Adams, DFS
Rebecca Lucente, DFS
Caleb Orton, DFS
Denise Parker, DFS
Madison Sandoval-Lunn, DFS
Shannon Earls, DFS

- Caregiver Courier
  - January issue review
    - Angel Tree Recap (Joe)
    - Women in Metro Gift Distribution (Joe)
    - "Why I foster" series (Sha'Londa to reach out to Oscar, Cindy and Foster Parent Champions for positive foster parent stories)
    - Independent Living article (Rebecca)
    - Annie E. Casey (Denise)
    - Grace Point Church Respite (re-run)
    - CCSD Holiday dates
    - Foster One Recruit One recap from MaryAnn's event (story and flyer) (rerun)
    - January Banner (Joe) A thank you to foster parents
    - January Events (Joe to reach out to SAFY)
    - Trauma-informed care series (re-run)
  - February issue articles
    - Updated QPI Section (Denise)
    - February Events (Joe to reach out to SAFY)
    - Article on other ways to support foster care (Sha'Londa)
    - Independent Living Article (Rebecca)
    - QPI Conference Recap (Denise)
    - Education Spotlight (Joe to reach out to Dr. Murdock, consider rerun of last year's article)
    - Article on classes offered at the Center (Madison)

- Foster Club Awardees (Madison)
- Additional items
  - o Continually update Foster Parent Information sessions. (Joe and Sha'Londa)
  - o Mailing lists to be updated. (Joe and Denise)
  - Discussed how to have Caregiver Courier translated into Spanish. (Joe to review ideas with DFS Management)

## **Next Meeting**

Friday, 19 Jan. 2018, 9:30 – 11 a.m. Storey Room, DFS Central Location (unless otherwise notified)