

**Children's Board Family Resource Centers in South County
MINUTES - Family Community Advisory Council Meeting
April 10, 2017**

In Attendance: Catalina Sanchez, Daisy Miron, Enrique Lopez, Miguel Fuentes, Mayra Delgado, Maria McCain, Claudia Joseph, Paulina Joseph, Maristela Hinojosa, Margarita Sanchez, Marta Rivera, Veronica Barrios-Monroy, Margaret Richlin, Cristina Villagómez and Jesus Soler

Agenda Item	Discussion	Action(s) to be Taken	Responsible Person(s)	Date Due
Approval of Minutes	All approved minutes	Voted/ approved	FCAC members	ongoing
Data Review	March Data reviewed	none	Cristina	ongoing
Topics for review from Partnership mtg.	Partnership Meeting took place on March 29 and information regarding programs available through the County Services was discussed.	Share information	Cristina	Every Quarter
Budget Update and Decisions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Balance: Currently budget is \$1,790.61. • Events for the following months are: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Mother's Day on 5/6- Mother's and children will be making cake pops ○ June- Hurricane preparedness: FCAC agreed to continue with a week of info sharing for families in the month of June and then having each person enter a raffle. If they invite a friend, their referral gets them another ticket into a raffle. FCAC agreed to get 3 baskets with items such as batteries, flashlights, games that do not need any electricity, food items, can opener, etc. ○ Summer Programming: We will soon begin to schedule the events for June and July. Will get together with the Sponsor a Program committee to begin planning. 	Provide ideas or input on activities	All participants	See calendar
Suggestion Box Review	None			
Center Programming and Center Appearance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentation of Hispanic Council: Maristela Hinojosa provided information about all topics HC covers. They include immigration, legal, provide transport within the area and information about double citizenship with the Mexican Consulate. Currently there is la Red De Padres Activos that meet once a week at Groves Apartments for parents to get involved with their children and their child's education. They also have a Veggie Van that sells healthy food for a \$1 a bag. They will come every 15 days by Bethune between the hours of 530-630pm. They also have lawyers for immigration with their first consult being free and 	Attend events and take part of services provided	Any interested	Contact for meeting dates

	<p>then they evaluate case and then meet with you in Tampa – it is representation at a lower cost than a typical lawyer. They also assist with Visa U- Domestic Violence, DACCA and Citizenship. They provide tutor for math and reading (small) at Reddick with computer use when FSA testing was taking place for 3rd grade students for 12 weeks.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Outreach - We will have an ACCESS representative at our center to assist clients who need to conduct an interview, etc. on April 11th. Outreach events for the month of April include the visits to local food pantries and libraries in our area. Attended the Wimauma Heart of Hillsborough event and was well attended. May vendors and families attended the event. • ACCESS at the Center: A representative of ACCESS will be at the center on April 11th from 10-5pm. Families that need help with their case are encouraged to come during the scheduled time. • Veronica from Beth-El informed us that on 4/11 @ 6pm, they would have their monthly community dinner and 4 immigration lawyers would be present. • Marta from Israel’s House @ Good Samaritan Mission informed families that their program is now on Mondays/Tuesdays and Thursdays from 430pm-7pm for counseling for children 13-22. On 4/22 they will be having an event to raise funds 12-330pm. • Margaret with the Ruskin Library announced that it is National Library week. They will be showing Mohana on Friday, Money Smart Week with Identity Theft and workshop on Retirement. They also have a new “Discovery Pass”- where families can get free access to several locations that can be reserved through your local library. Some locations are the Big Cat Rescue, Straz Center, Tampa History Museum, etc. Also, the Storytelling festival will take place on 4/22 from 10-4pm. • Maria with Suncoast Community Health Centers provided info regarding Behavioral health for children and adults as well as vision screenings and glasses on a sliding fee scale if person qualifies. She also assists with completion of Hillsborough County Insurance. 	<p>Continue outreach to community</p> <p>Attend center between 10-5pm</p>	<p>Gene/any FCAC member interested</p> <p>All</p>	<p>Ongoing</p> <p>4/11</p>
<p>Upcoming Center Events</p>	<p>Mobile Medical Clinic with Vision Screening 4/25 @ 2-6pm</p>	<p>Attend events if possible</p>	<p>All</p>	<p>See events</p>
<p>Announcements/Other /Adjourn</p>	<p>Next meeting 5/8/17 @ 6pm</p>			

