

Parent Meeting Minutes

May 11, 2022

3:30 – 4:30 p.m.

Attendance: Kelly Castle, Rozanne Pauze, Wendy Playford



1. Order drinks/sign-in/parent networking (3:30-3:40)
2. Welcome and Introductions
3. Great Start Collaborative
 - Questions/topics to discuss: Reminder meeting on Monday in person at Hayes Building
4. Little Free Library (Parent-led Strategy)
 - Books – on hand and available at the end of the meeting
 - Status updates: LFL have been checked and added to if needed
5. Text4Baby (Parent-led Strategy)
 - Business card size marketing materials update: Final version handed out
 - Community Baby Shower table with prize wheel
6. Community Presentation
 - Upcoming:
 - June – How to Find Quality Child Care in Hillsdale County
7. Events
 - Upcoming:
 - Summer Send-Off
 - May 25, 2022 from 4:30 – 6 p.m. at the Hillsdale Area Career Center (the old Greenfield School building)
 - StoryWalk®
 - August 13, 2022 at the Hillsdale Farmers Market
 - Community Baby Shower
 - August 20, 2022 at Hillsdale High School
 - Summer PLAY Events
 - June 28, 2022 from 10 – 11:30 a.m.
 - July 25, 2022 from 3:30 – 5 p.m.
 - August 15, 2022 from 5-6:30 p.m.
 - All events to be held at Owen Memorial Park at Baw Beese Lake
8. Celebrate 2021/2022: Go over Year End Review document and acknowledge our accomplishments
9. Parade possibility: Discuss the idea of handing out information at local parades. Top 2 parades discussed were the Fair parade and the Pittsford Memorial parade.

10. Year End Survey: to be sent out after the meeting

11. Wrap-up & questions

Next Parent Meeting – Next school year

The Great Start Collaborative Outcomes

- ★ Children are born healthy.
- ★ Children are healthy, thriving and developmentally on track from birth to third grade.
- ★ Children are developmentally ready to succeed in school at time of school entry.
- ★ Children are prepared to succeed in fourth grade and beyond by reading proficiently by the end of third grade.

