

Minutes of the March 21, 2005
Huntington SNAC Meeting
Huntington Conference Room
4:30-6:00 p.m.

Attendees:	Dr. Pam Sedlacek	-	Huntington Principal
	Sherry Pawelko	-	CLC Site Supervisor
	Leslie Tienken	-	CLC Intern
	Martha Rivett	-	Foster Grandparent
	Kathy Treichel	-	Huntington Parent/PTO President
	Kathy Zanner	-	Huntington Behavioral Health Therapist
	Tom Moloney	-	Huntington Neighborhood/District Patron
	Sara Lounsbury	-	Care Coordinator/Huntington Families
	Amy Clark	-	Hawthorne/Holmes CLC Site Supervisor
	Sheryl Wright	-	Teledyne/ISCO VIP Partner

Sherry Pawelko welcomed everyone to the Huntington SNAC meeting, and passed out the minutes from last month's meeting to all those in attendance. Sherry also introduced a special guest to the group—Amy Clark. Amy is the CLC Site Supervisor at Holmes and Hawthorne Elementary Schools. The group expressed that there were no correction needed to last month's minutes.

The first point of business was discussion of the Foster Grandparents Program Annual Recognition Event, (which was held March 12th at Embassy Suites). Martha Rivett informed the SNAC that the day was a lot of fun. There were special awards given out to Grandparents for Volunteer Hours as well as Lifetime Goal Recognition Awards. Letters from Elementary School children were read that recognized and thanked their classroom Grandparents. The day was also filled with delicious food and pictures. In fact, the event was videotaped, and will be shown on the public access channel in upcoming days.

The day's theme was: Making a Difference. Tables were decorated with a seaside theme including live goldfish bowl centerpieces. Dr. Sedlacek informed the group that all the fish did find homes!!

Sherry then brought up the last New To You Day, which was held March 16. There was a great variety of some very nice objects at the last event, including a printer. Any clothes or other left over items were taken to Lincoln Action Program. The next New To You Day will be held April 20, 2005.

Sherry then lead the group in discussion of the CLC Annual plan. She passed out the draft of the plan to the group, and pointed out the new format. The SNAC was then asked for feedback. Dr. Sedlacek suggested we relist the outcomes and impacts because although it may seem repetitive, it is important. She also suggested using points of references as tags, such as B1, B2, etc. Another suggestion was to double-space the Resource and Input sections.

At this point, Tom Moloney passed out a handout entitled "CLC Annual Plan Views." This handout discussed different ideas that might be included in the plan, including increasing and expanding communications between the school and neighborhood, ways to increase neighborhood safety for the children, organizational participation/partnering, and proactively reversing neighborhood declines. Some ideas that could definitely be used from this handout were that emails of the "PS from Pam" Dr. Sedlacek's monthly newsletter be sent to the

neighborhood patrons. To do this however, the school will need email addresses from anyone that wants to receive these documents.

Several problems and setbacks were also addressed, including the establishment of a McGruff House, attendance at the Adult Book club – “On the Same Page”, support of the Bookmobile, and the issue of parent crossing guards. The problem with the McGruff house is the strict screening process that has to take place prior to a home becoming selected, and the difficulty people have had background checks in the past. Dr. Sedlacek suggested making the Adult Book Club fliers more specific. She also stated that Huntington must encourage Bookmobile use to keep the school as a site. Finally, the issue of parents being crossing guards, (even if they wear vests), is still not plausible according to Dr. Sedlacek. There is too much of a liability and the school does not want to put parents in any uncomfortable or dangerous situation.

Sherry then brought the group back to discussing the Annual Plan draft. In this discussion, Sherry talked about the budget breakdown. The CLC has \$16, 872 program dollars. She thought the dollars being used on the Soar to Success program (which is used also during the school day) might be put to better use in a different type of intensive intervention program. Dr. Sedlacek thought an intervention program for K-2 grade children might increase the program’s success.

The Summer Camp Scholarships were also discussed. These scholarships have been used to pay for 15 students’ Huntington Summer Camp tuition in the past. But this year, the number will be slightly reduced. These scholarships come out of the Huntington program dollars.

Dr. Sedlacek thanked Sheryl Wright for ISCO being such a great partner. (Sheryl pointed out that it is no longer called ISCO but Teledyne/ISCO.) Dr. Sedlacek thought it would be appropriate to list and acknowledge all partners in the Annual Plan since they are such an integral part of our CLC.

Sherry told the group the Annual Plan is due April 1st, and she will email and hand out final copies to anyone who wants them, as well as send out this meeting's minutes.

The next SNAC meeting will be held April 25, 2005. Most of the meeting will be spent looking at the School Improvement Plan, and introducing the SNAC to the new report cards. This meeting will once again be held in the Huntington Conference Room at 4:30 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Sherry Pawelko
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Huntington CLC