

Minutes: September 9, 2008

Working with Families Working Group, 1:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Host: Pamela James, AYSP - 120 Matheson Blvd. Unit 201, Mississauga**Present:** Leslie Moreau (Region of Peel, Ontario Works), Lorry Seabourn (Family Education Centre), Beverly Davis (The Peel Peace Campaign), Meta Giff (Peel Health), Dorothy Fetterly (Peel Health), Pamela James (Associated Youth Services of Peel), Shalah Mark (Rapport Youth & Family Services), Peg Folsom (Peel Health),**Regrets:** Sheila Datta (Peel Health), Anita Stellinga (United Way of Peel Region), Heidi Grusas (Elizabeth Fry Society of Peel-Halton), Laura Buchal (City of Mississauga, Recreation & Parks), Nicole Therrien (City of Brampton, Community Services), Sharon Doherty (Town of Caledon), Brenda Stephen (Youth Justice Services, Brampton Probation, Ministry of Children and Youth Services), Ranjana Mitra (Community Environment Alliance of Peel), Sofia Albanez (The Peel Peace Campaign), Diane Myers (Family Education Centre), Michael Skynner (Family Services of Peel), Tammy Reynolds (City of Brampton, Parks & Recreation),

Agenda Item	Discussion Points	Action
1. Welcome & Introductions	Leslie welcomed everyone to the meeting	
2. Assignment of Minutes Recorder	Bev Davis agreed to take minutes	
3. Approval of Agenda	Approved	
4. Approval of Minutes from last meeting	Approved	
5. Updates from Dorothy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • There has been Communication firm hired to assist the PYVPN in establishing an identity, creating a logo, continue to develop the website and assist with our over-all communication strategy. • 	
6. Updates from Lorry Parenting Program Updates	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Parenting Program <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Location confirmed - Clark Blvd. Public School Brampton • Lorrie to speak at Parent Council meeting next week. • Start Date: Oct 20 – week 1 • Session 1 – Lorrie will facilitate 	

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pam – to confirm CYW component of group • 2nd Session – Oct 27 Virtues • Child Care component be arranged • Marketing plan will need to be created • Group will definitely need to look for bridge from different sources • Training Material – Ungame Cards - families and Virtues cards – 60 sets will be purchased for the participants by Peel Health. • Transportation vouchers for public transit will be covered by Ontario Works • Brenda, Sofia, Diane and Dorothy to get together around bridge funding in the next few weeks • Space for 2nd session could contact Councillor Pat Saito • Michael Skynner’s offices has also offered space. 	
<p>7. 3 Year Plan Review – Next Steps</p>	<p>For future programs “Identify partners in our identified Communities”</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Work with the Meadowvale Partnership – contact Cynthia Rampal • Bolton are – Pamela will identify a contact person • We have met with Knightsbridge and will be doing education in local elementary school • In-service for our programs can come from our 4 groups • Funding – may be available for prevention of kids entering group – Federal Funding <p>Development process of communicating to our community</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Work that the Communication firm that is working with the Network with give us some guidelines and items that will assist the group in getting their message out. <p>Mentorship</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Our parenting program will help with the development of mentorship within our parents. We want parents engaged in the continuation of the parenting program • Planning of our projects might be able to be done by establishing a Wiki <p>Research – goes along with community engagement</p> <p>Family Toolkits – once programs are in place</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Keep in mind to do this when working with Meadowvale partnership/Caledon 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Peg Folsom to speak with Cynthia • Pamela James to find contact for Bolton • Dorothy and the Network working on funding from the Fed’s • Dorothy to work on establishing Wikki links for the groups

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Work one section of our work plan at a time while working on our present program • Work at Toolkit first 	
<p>8. Next Meeting Date(s):</p>	<p>Tuesday October 14, 2009 Family Services of Peel 151 City Centre Drive Suite 501 Mississauga, Ontario L5B 1M7 (905) 270-2250 ext.370</p>	