Meeting Minutes

Dallas Service Integration Team

Wednesday, September 5, 2012 (10:30 am – Noon) Trinity Lutheran Church, 320 SE Fir Villa, Dallas

Co-Chairs: Sheri Beehner, Michelle Bornfleth

Agenda Item:	Action - Notes:
Introductions & Kudos	Jeremy Hajdu-Paulen – Kudos for the backpack for West Valley Housing Authority
	Doug Gouge – Kudos to Irvin Menton from DHS for the Mandatory Reporting Training. Kudos to Debbie McMillian, staff from Polk County Resource Center and Michelle Bornfleth, all for helping get a child clothing and a backpack.
	Cori Brownell – Kudos to Sylvia for the great service and partnership. FBB received 3 referrals from the School Supply Distribution
	Melissa Baurer – Kudos to the 20 sponsors of the Apple Tree School Supply Drive this year in helping to serve over 700 students.
	Barb Chrisman – Kudos to Ingrid Siadal and her work with the client.
	Mike Ainsworth – Kudos to the Commission for Children and Families and the upcoming Poverty Simulation.
	New Partners: There were 8 new partners at the September meeting.
Funding • Funding Request • Funding Request	 Three funding requests where presented at the meeting. Ingrid Siadal with Polk County Mental Health requested \$225 for the Dallas Aquatic Center to continue to support a positive lifestyle. Polk County Resource Center will contribute \$100. Dallas SIT will ask to approve \$125 via Survey Monkey. Melissa Baurer from Polk County Resource Center requested funding of \$27 from
• Funding Request	 each SIT Team to help with the cost of the new sign. Team discussed allocating \$1,000 to the Polk County Resource Center to fund Urgent Needs.
AC Gilbert House	Kassie DeMarsh gave a presentation on AC Gilbert House. She shared that the AC Gilbert House give discounts to families with OHP. The membership is \$35 for low income families. AC Gilbert House offers classes for Preschool through Kindergarten in Arts (Fish Printing), Science (Stars Slime), and Humanities. Classes are discounted for non-profit groups, churches and Title I.
Dallas Ride & Slide Event	Nicole Walker Sundby reported that the Dallas Ride & Slide Longboarding event started with 31 youth at the kick off party which included a movie and pizza. There were 52 participants for the Saturday Push Race with 20 volunteers. The Slide Jam and Slalom Race on Sunday had 37 entrants and 72 throughout the entire weekend. The event received a grant through Oregon Department of Transportation to help fund the event.
Dallas Family Night Out Discussion	Sheri Beehner shared about the success of the Dallas Family Night Out that was held on June 28th. Nearly 500 people attended and enjoyed free activities and access to resources. The committee would like to do the event again next year and will be looking for more people to help out. If you'd like to be part of the planning committee, contact Sheri Beehner.

Partner Announcements

Fostering Hope - Reported a job announcement for Dallas area Neighborhood Connector

ILead Youth Summit – Full day training for High School Youth on November 3. Great opportunity for youth to gain leadership skills. Contact Nicole WalkerSundby for more information.

Dallas Lions – raised \$2,600 from the Duck Race.

Polk County Resource Center – still have backpacks left over from the School Supply Drive.

Family Building Blocks – announced a "Community Play Group" held at the Dallas United Methodist Church.

Commission Ainsworth – announced The Gate tailgate party at the First Baptist Church from 5:00 to 7:00 PM.

Polk County Mental Health West Salem – announced they now have services for Children. Their address is 1520 NW Plaza Street in West Salem. It is on the backside of Wallery's Pizza.

Mid Valley Parenting – Angela Gonzales announced a parent group beginning shortly at the Dallas United Methodist Church.

Mentoring Program – Christina Smith announced that the Whitworth Mentoring Program can now accept high school students as mentors.

A Gift of Time – invited Team members to access their website at www.agiftoftimeoforegon.org.

Resource Expo – Save the date for the training formerly known as the Academy Training to be held sometime during the last week of October. More information to come.

Poverty Simulation – Michelle Bornfleth announced that there are still 9 slots open for participants, 3 slots open for Service Providers and the link for registration is on the electronic SIT COMM.

NEXT MEETING - Wednesday, October 3, 2012