

The Brantley County Family Connection Meeting Minutes

The Brantley County Family Connection Board of Directors and Collaborative conducted their monthly meeting on Friday, May 12, 2023 at 1:00pm at the ARK Center. There were 4 members present in-person and 12 members via Zoom.

Chairman Renee Mumford called the meeting to order, welcoming everyone and reminding them that everyone has a voice at the table. Partners were asked to introduced themselves.

Old Business

Approval of the April 14, 2023 Board of Directors and Collaborative Meeting Minutes

Traci Carter made a motion for the April 14, 2023 Board of Directors and Collaborative Meeting Minutes to be approved with revision as submitted. Michelle Maddox seconded the motion; all in favor with none opposed, the motion stands approved.

Approval of the April 14, 2023 BCFC Nominating Committee Meeting Minutes

Michelle Maddox made a motion for the April 14, 2023 BCFC Nominating Committee Meeting Minutes to be approved as submitted. Traci Carter seconded the motion; all in favor with none opposed, the motion stands approved.

Approval of the April 2023 BCFC Finance Report

Dawn Deen reported that the Telecommunications Line Item are March and April combined. Michelle Maddox made a motion for the April 2023 BCFC Finance Report be approved as submitted. Shannon Murray seconded the motion; all in favor with none opposed, the motion stands approved.

New Business

**April 2023 Directors Report*

Chairman Renee Mumford turned agenda item over to Dawn Deen for discussion. Dawn informed partners that a copy of the April 2023 Directors Report was included in the meeting packet for their review and asked if there were any questions.

Megan Molix with Camden Connection noted the 988 decals that Dawn reported on and informed partners that she has a stack of them. Please let her know if you want one, her information is in the chat.

**BCFC 3rd Quarter Report*

Chairman Renee Mumford informed partners that a copy of the BCFC 3rd Quarter Report was included in the meeting packet for their review and was submitted in CLIX April 18, 2023.

**Plan Implementation Review*

Chairman Renee Mumford turned agenda item over to Dawn Deen for discussion. Dawn reported that she had gone over the Plan Implementation Review with Lisa Brewer and this will be implemented across the state. We look at what we are or are not reviewing for us to work on. We were docked on Quarterly Report, noting that all counties were docked and Lisa is counseling all counties on the narrative portion.

**FY24 Slate of Officers*

Chairman Renee Mumford informed partners that a copy of the FY24 BCFC Slate of Officers were in their meeting packet for review. She then announced the FY24 Slate of Officers as prepared by the Nominating Committee which needs Collaborative approval.

Michelle Maddox made a motion for the BCFC FY24 Slate of Officers to be approved as presented. Shannon Murray seconded the motion; all in favor with none opposed, the motion stands approved.

**FY24 Dawn Deen Contract*

Chairman Renee Mumford presented the FY24 Contract for Dawn Deen for approval. Dawn Deen reported that the only change was the travel verbiage was excluded from contract per Lisa Brewer as she stated that any Travel is taken from salary.

Shannon Murray made a motion for the FY24 Dawn Deen Contract be approved as submitted. Traci Carter seconded the motion; all in favor with none opposed, the motion stands approved.

**BCFC FY24 Budget Request Submitted to County Commission*

Chairman Renee Mumford reported a copy of the FY24 BCFC Budget Request was included in the meeting packet for review and been submitted to the County Commission for approval.

Any Other New Business/Partner Updates

Chairman Renee Mumford reminded partners that Dawn emailed flyers and updates to all partners each Friday.

Community Service Board of Middle Georgia, Channel Smith

Channel Smith is the IC3 Wrap Supervisor & Marketing Network Coordinator with Community Service Board of Middle Georgia out of Dublin, Georgia. They are currently accepting application for their Wrap Around Project. It is for individuals 5 to 21 years of age with mental health diagnosis. Please refer individuals to apply and her contact information is in the chat.

Brantley County DFCS, Traci Carter

Traci Carter, Director for both Brantley and Charlton Counties reminded partners that the Brantley County office is open on Tuesday's from 9am to 3pm for the general public to go in and receive assistance. Case managers are not in house. The reason for the open hours is for those without internet and/or get one on one help. Other days and times are available by appointment only. Forms and applications are outside the front door in the blue box, it is checked and restocked daily for the general public to pick up.

Camden Connection, Megan Molix

Megan is the Suicide Awareness Coordinator and she is enjoying getting to know partners. They have resources and awareness information available for partners. They have a stack of the 988 decals available, just let her know if you need any. She appreciates those putting the decals in businesses and agencies. Thank you and if you need anything, my contact information is in the chat.

Dawn Deen noted that she, Megan and Teri Hendrix had a meeting and there will be a huge kickoff in August for Promise to Children Council. Megan informed partners that she is being trained in QPR and will notify everyone when she is certified and can provide trainings as requested. Dawn stated she would definitely ask her to provide the QPR training for the Trust meeting.

Ferest Readers, Michelle Maddox

Michelle Maddox with Ferest Readers that OREMC has a story time that is now on You Tube and were instrumental in getting Brantley started. Dawn Deen has read during story time. A huge shout out for their involvement over the past couple of years.

Coastal Pines Technical College, Guynell Grant

Guynell reported that Coastal Pines Technical College and Adult Education is holding graduation on June 8th at 7:00 or 7:30 at Wayne County High School. There are 16 graduates from the region with 1 from Brantley County. She will be participating in an ICP training, agency bootcamp for math Monday through Thursday, lots of students have trouble with math and this should be a big help for them. July 1st starts their new year.

Brantley County Board of Education, Teri Hendrix

Teri Hendrix, School Social Worker reported that all teachers the high school were trained on Child Trafficking and then they in turn delivered it to students the next day. Taylor Strickland was the facilitator and Heather Flowers with Resilient Georgia provided snacks for the teacher training.

Upcoming Events

Chairman Renee Mumford reviewed the Upcoming Events:

End of School Bash, City of Nahunta, May 13, 2023 11am – 3pm
Last Day of School for Brantley, May 24, 2023
Brantley County Graduation, Brantley High School, May 26, 2023 7:30pm
Junior Police Academy, Brantley Middle School, June 12-16, 2023

Reminders:

No BCFC Collaborative meeting for June or July, we will resume in August.
Summer hours begin the week of May 22, 2023 and end August 4, 2023;
Open Monday – Thursday 8am – 1pm and closed Fridays.

Chairman Renee Mumford announced the next Collaborative meeting.

The next Brantley County Family Connection Board of Directors and Collaborative meeting to be August 11, 2023 at 1pm both in person at the ARK Center and via Zoom.

Chairman Renee Mumford announced that this will be Laura Kelley's last meeting and thanked her for all she had done for Brantley County Family Connection. Traci Carter also thanked Laura for all her work and that she would be missed.

Chairman Renee Mumford told partners Happy Mother's Day and to have a good weekend.

Adjournment

Teri Hendrix made a motion adjourn the meeting. Shannon Murray seconded the motion; all in favor with none opposed, the motion stands approved and the meeting was adjourned.

*Included in meeting packet.

Meeting CHAT attached

May 12, 2023 BCFC Collaborative and Board of Directors Meeting CHAT

13:00:32 From Michelle Maddox to Everyone:

Michelle Maddox, Ferst Readers, michelle@ferstreaders.org, 706-818-6016

13:01:23 From Megan Molix- Camden Connection to Everyone:

Megan Molix Camden Connection , megan@camdenconnection.org, 832-360-3858

13:01:43 From Guynell Grant - CPTC to Everyone:

Guynell Grant, Coastal Pines Adult Education, ggrant@coastalpines.edu

13:02:08 From Kristi Hames to Everyone:

Kristi Hames, Southern Georgia Area Agency on Aging, 912-287-5888

13:02:45 From Rosa Potts-Unite Us to Everyone:

Good afternoon! Rosa Potts/Unite GA (901) 355-6461 serving Southern GA.

13:05:47 From Jessica Willis CSB of Middle GA to Everyone:

Jessica Willis, CSB of Middle GA, jwillis@csbmg.com

13:05:50 From Christy Joyner to Everyone:

Christy Joyner, Southern Georgia Area Agency on Aging, 912-287-5888

13:05:57 From Andrea Daigle/LIFE Inc to Everyone:

Andrea Daigle, Independent Living Coordinator for LIFE, Inc in Screven, GA. adaigle@lifecil.com
912-385-2214

13:06:00 From Channel Smith to Everyone:

Channel Smith, CSB of Middle Georgia, Wrap Around Supervisor, email: cdsmith@csbmg.com

13:07:43 From Tomisher Campbell to Everyone:

Tomisher Campbell-DECAL-Community Partnership Coordinator (SE Region)-
Tomisher.Campbell@decal.ga.gov

13:09:45 From Traci Carter to Everyone:

Traci Carter, County Director, Brantley DFCS email: traci.carter@dhs.ga.gov phone: 912-390-2366

13:12:57 From Guynell Grant - CPTC to Everyone:

I am honored! Thank you for the opportunity.

13:18:45 From Michelle Maddox to Everyone:

Reacted to "I am honored! Thank ..." with 👍

13:25:19 From Lisa Manders to Everyone:

Hello Lisa Manders with Magnolia House having issues with my audio.hAPPY mOTHERS dAY