

The San Mateo County Child Abuse Prevention Council



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- Welcome:
Facilitator Janay Eustace with Shared Vision Consultants introduced herself to the group.
- Facilitator Janay reviewed the agenda and Brown Act. No public comment, reminded no discussion of agenda items to be voted on or discussed. No public question or comment. None were voiced.
- Facilitator Janay asked all council members introduce themselves.
- All thirteen members present agreed for the meeting time to stay the same but added it can be revisited at the next meeting due to the issue with parking. Council members agreed it is a good time but the parking is an issue.
- Facilitator Janay facilitated group member's discussion on individual agency updates. Janay informed group San Mateo County's Response to Ending the Commercial Exploitation of Children Conference on March 7, 2017 at the South San Francisco Conference Center and passed out flyers. Rape Trauma Services shared information regarding their Rise Above Conference is March 25, 2017, flyers handed out to members. Daly City Partnership reported out the opening of "Pat's Closet" a free clothes closet for all community members in need of clothes. No income requirements and if interested please call 650-991-8007 also see website at DCPartnership.org. Star Vista reported out the grand opening of a new LGBTQ Center, ribbon cutting would be in June.
- Janay introduced Laura and Scarlett with Edgewood Family Partners and she lead a 30-minute presentation on support services offered through the family partners program. Scarlett added highlights of working with the providers case managers, offering housing referrals, parent groups, kinship support, navigation through services, and coping skills to parents and children. The program teaches parents mindfulness, art, community resource referrals, and advocacy. Referral information please email marthav@edgewood.org.
- Meeting next month: March 20th, 2017, meeting time 10:45 am and room TBA.

Attendees:

1. Caroline Morton, Cabrillo Unified School District
2. Patricia Bohm, Daily City Partnership
3. Melissa Martin, Institute for Human and Social Development
4. Marsha Guevara, Star Vista
5. Amanda Freeman, Rape Trauma Services
6. Lori Sterling, Children and Family Services
7. Alicia Siese, Star Vista
8. Darci Freeman, Star Vista
9. Scarlett Abuslin, Edgewood
10. Michaela Woodward, Daily City Partnership
11. Mariam Yupanqui, Family Connections
12. Louise Robaina, Behavioral Health and Recovery Services
13. Marcy Henzel, Star Vista