

Jackson Quality Preschool GSRP Meeting
Agenda - August 19, 2016
9:00-12:00 p.m.

WELCOME and INTRODUCTIONS:

- Group completed introductions

Present: Susan Townsend, Kelly Sheppard, Kelly Friedland, Laura Finkbeiner, Theresa Messacar, Linda Fitzgerald, Laurie Lewis, Amy Marrison, Kori Schultz, Jennifer Snyder, Michelle Ault, Danielle Casto, Mary Ann Edwards, Lisa Peterson, Tammy Cushard, Cody Blair, Rhonda Potts, Darci Francour, Pam Behling, Breda Davis, Lisa Hunt, Kim Miller, Laurie Fiero, Laura Tenney, Brenda Webster, Kristi Neelis, Jared Vickers, Linda Zenz, Angela Mentink, Janet Chambers, Kathy Hoszkiw, Andrea McCabe, Mary Belknap, Deb Powell, Lauren Bailey, Jean Allison, Amber Caselberry, Jessica Crupi, Christie Orban, Amanda Lally, Kim Kloack, Allison Trapp, Chris Trapp, c. Soule, Mary Sharp, Elizabeth McClain.

REVIEW OF MINUTES FROM June 2016 MEETING

Motion to approve: Kathy Hoszkiw

Approved as written.

BUDGET - Lauren

- Budget Information & Updates
 - See Powerpoint slides for all financial updates
 - Final expense report for 15/16 due late October/early November
 - Slot return date Friday, September 16
 - 16/17 budget due date Monday, September 18
 - Sliding Fee: cannot unenroll a child for not paying sliding fee and not charged if there is an IEP
- Budget Work Time

ECS UPDATE-See handout

STATE UPDATES-Kelly Sheppard &/or Susan Townsend

- **Moving Ahead Together State GSRP Meeting (8.17.16)**
 - Working on the smaller pieces (family style meals, curriculum, etc.)
 - Changes to the implementation manual
 - Changed the date that children that must be 4 by September 1. We can serve children who will be 4 by December 1 this year but next year it will be September 1.
 - IEP does not qualify them for GSRP unless it states they are to be enrolled in an inclusive preschool setting. Child with IEP is not charged sliding fee.
 - Changes in Early Childhood Specialist role
 - Out of ISD service area children will need to complete the Program Choice Notification Form for slot request.

- We can use our own Jackson slots to serve out of ISD service area children.
 - Do not need to complete a budget for cross county children
 - Will be serving Jackson County eligible children then will be looking at income eligible out of county.
- **MDE ECC Conference Call Updates**
- **MAISA Monthly Meeting**

DATA UPDATES & CENTRAL REGISTRY

- **Child Plus-Kelly Friedland**
- **ASQ-Kelly Friedland**
 - Get new staff names to Kelly Friedland so accounts can be created.
 - Done and uploaded by October 31st
- **Child Progress Data - Jean Allison**
 - **PALS & GrapeSeed**
- **PALS**
 - **Would like to see a PD on improving PALS scores**

SLOT DISTRIBUTION/CLASSROOM ASSIGNMENTS

SCHOOL READINESS COMMITTEE STATUS & NEWS -

- **PROCESS FOR THIS YEAR**
 - Great avenue to use for parent involvement
 - Parents receive a stipend for attending
- **CONNECTING THE BRIDGES PROGRAM/PILOT**
 - Friday, September 16 Building Bridges from Preschool to Kindergarten
 - Understanding building relationships and processes, brain development, and awareness of county-wide definition of kindergarten readiness.

INDIVIDUAL REPORTS

NEXT MEETING: September 16, 2016 1:00-3:00 p.m.