

MEETING MINUTES

Thursday, October 22, 2020

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IMPORTANT: We will be moving the HCC meetings from every Thursday to the 2nd and 4th Thursdays of the month

NEXT MEETING: Thursday, November 12 at 11am via Zoom

FACILITATOR: Laura Smith

NOTE TAKER: Lisa Hart/Lisa@svcn.info

AGENDA

- **Introductions, Organization Announcements, Critical Needs/On Going Needs**
- **Provider Highlight – Friends of Youth and Safe Place – Bryan Thomas**
- **Schedule for Provider Highlights**
- **Attendance**

Introductions, Organization Announcements, Critical Needs/On Going Needs

Love Snoqualmie Valley

Ken Heikkila: Ken.heikkila@gmail.com

- Last activity several months ago. Wondering if people know how to access resources? Is everything fine?

Friends of Youth

Christina Campos (Mental Health Program Manager): christinac@friendsofyouth.org

- FOY Redmond Location gone to a 24/7 model and including transitional beds
- Serve about 25 coming for food

King County Library System

- Library (some libraries in the Valley SV NB FC) are giving out Halloween Bags – candy books and activities
- Some libraries are looking to open up some of the libraries. No timeline on that so stay tuned.
- Another update: All libraries have voter registration info and voter pamphlets. Some libraries have ballot drop boxes. Please direct people to us for all voter info and questions!
- <https://kcls.org/elections/>

Encompass

Laura Lewis (Family Resource Coordinator and Kinship Support Outreach: laura.lewis@encompassnw.org

- Kinship support is support for people are raising a child they are related to, or friends, or not related to the child
- Any kids who are being raised by people who are not being raised by their parents, mostly grandparents
- All online
- Link to Kinship Program: <https://www.encompassnw.org/program/family-enrichment/kinship/>

Sam Sinanan (Parent and Family Coordinator): Sandra.sinanan@encompassnw.org

Snoqualmie Valley Community Network

Lisa Hart (Trauma Informed Educator and Racial Equity Collaborative Facilitator) Lisa@svcn.info

Racial Equity Collaborative

- Meetings are held the 2nd Wed of the month, from 3:30-5pm
- **Meeting Change:** Next meeting is rescheduled for Wed 11/18 3:30-5pm because 11/11 is a holiday
- All are welcome

- For more information you can contact Lisa@svcn.info

Connected Caregivers Training

- For Elementary and middle school parents and caregivers, also relevant for school staff
- 6-week training starting Tue 10/27 ending Dec 1
- Time is 6:30-8pm
- Zoom
- Link to flyer (which also includes the link to register)
https://www.dropbox.com/s/b4nioe3kb44whya/Fall_2020_Connected%20Caregivers%20Training%20Riverview%20SD%20Disclaimer.pdf?dl=0
- Link to Register Link to register
<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSchdebZqTOrmI1OloHYZm1jyhOWN2oqMNCTm-LqPtSEpnJaVg/viewform>

Snoqualmie Valley Rotary Club

David Moore: davidseldonmoore@comcast.net

- Rotary Club of Snoqualmie Valley - upcoming events: We'll be doing a coat drive as we did last year. That will get kicked off in the next week or so
- At our Tuesday night meeting of the Rotary club we just kicked off the planning for the coat drive. Last year we had drop off boxes all over North Bend. We tried to make it really easy to donate-- and it worked.
- Don't know the dates for the coat drive yet.

Influence the Choice

Jerry Blackburn (Ex Director): Jerry@influencethechoice.org

- ITC is partnering with our friends at the Earlybird Alliance to bring you this important parent education event regarding youth substance use.
- Our program will begin with special guests Olga Davidov-Beirer and Scott Dupuy, local parents of children who died by fatal overdose. Following their stories, ITC Executive Director Jerry Blackburn, M.Ed., SUDP, will explore the impact substances of abuse have on youth development and look at community prevention strategies we can all support. Finally, we will open the forum for a panel discussion, question and answer session.
- Community level change involves us all, we all have a part to play!
- Let's come together! Let's end the tragedies!
- Register Today: <http://bit.ly/awareness2action>

Seattle YMCA

(Snoqualmie Branch) Stephanie Norton-Bredl (Branch Executive): snortonbredl@seattleyymca.org

- Families can do a fun Self Guided Trek through the cities of Fall City, North Bend, Downtown Snoqualmie and the Snoqualmie Ridge 12-6pm on 10/31. Free, social distancing trek through these towns. There will be photo ops and an opportunity to stop at strategically planned social distanced tables to pick up a treat bag.
<https://www.ci.snoqualmie.wa.us/Calendar.aspx?EID=1446>
- Snoqualmie Valley YMCA Shower Program M-Th 11:30-2:30. We provide toiletries if needed.

(Sammamish Branch) Melinda Burns (OPMH Y Social Impact Center)

Eastside Legal Assistance

Chris Lovings (Community Engagement Manager): chris@elap.org

- WA Law Help - Eviction Moratorium Info
- <https://www.washingtonlawhelp.org/resource/coronavirus-you-cannot-be-evicted-if-you-cannot-pay-the-rent?ref=gl6YM>
- Poverty Action Voter Guide for 2020
- <https://povertyaction.org/2020-voter-guide/>
- The Statewide Poverty Action Network (povertyaction.org) has put together a Voters Guide for 2020! It covers (based on severity of COVID-19 in those areas) 3 districts in King, 3 in Pierce, 2 in Snohomish, and 2 in Yakima, in addition to all of the Congressional Districts in the State.

Hopelink Carnation

Regina Kuzina (Central Manager):

Anna Austing (Case Manager): AAusting@hopelink.org

M'Liss Moon (Mobility Coordinator): mlmoon@hopelink.org

- Community Van is helping people get to the Hopelink Food Bank and as always is a flexible transit resource! Community vans are located in Duvall and there is a 6-passenger wheelchair Accessible van or 12 passenger van available. Contact Victor Londono at 425-943-6721 or communityvan@hopelink.org

Trail Youth

Crystal Werner (Outreach Coordinator): Crystal@thetrailyouth.com

- Trail Youth Coffee Home's cafe is now open Tuesday-Friday 7am-5pm with Teen hours 2pm-5pm. The art program has also started back up every Tuesday. Kids are welcome in to use wifi for school.

Provider Highlight – Friends of Youth and Safe Place

Bryan Thomas (Safe Place Coordinator): bryan@friendsofyouth.org

National Safe Place <https://www.nationalsafeplace.org/>

Friends of Youth/Safe Place <https://friendsofyouth.org/safeplace.aspx>

- Crisis intervention and homeless prevention program in K
- Works with homeless or runaway program – reunite with family or get them into a shelter
- Est 1983
- In King County since 2012
- Covid affected outreach in King County
- In 40 diff states throughout the country
- Large city that would have a youth shelter
- Feb 2020 – helped over 400,000 youth across the country
- In King County there are 23,000 Safe Place Site
- Every single bus line is a safe place site
- KCLS is a safe place and #1 referral site – a lot of youth go there for safety
- Sites in the Valley – Encompass, Duvall City Hall, Cedarcrest HS, Snoqualmie Valley Transit
- Doing in person responses only not in the night time at this time

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- 1800 422 TEEN
- Safe Place Site (black and yellow diamond in a window)

Schedule for Provider Highlights

If you would like to add your organization to the sign up list, please email Lisa@svcn.info with:

- Your name, role and contact information
- Name of your organization
- Top 2 preferred dates

Month/Date	Organization/Provider	Name
October 22, 2020	Safe Place and Friends of Youth	Bryan Thomas
November 12, 2020	Encompass	Sam Sinanan
December 10, 2020	Snoqualmie YMCA	Stephanie
January 7, 2021	Supportive Community For All Eastside Legal Assistance Program	Jody Miesel
January 28, 2021		Chris Lovings
February 11, 2021		
February 25, 2021		
March 11, 2021		
March 25, 2021		
April 8, 2021		
April 22, 2021		
May 13, 2021		
May 27, 2021		
June 10, 2021		
June 24, 2021		
July 8, 2021		
July 22, 2021		

ATTENDANCE

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Government and Local Officials

Lane Covington (SVCN Board and Office of Councilmember Kathy Lambert) lane.covington@kingcounty.gov

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King County Library System

Jenn Carter (Carnation, Duvall): jecarter@kcls.org

Brooke Shoostine (Fall City Library, Teen Librarian): Bshoostine@kcls.org

Riverview School District

Brad Knowles (RSD School Safety Officer and Head Coach for Girls Basketball Team): knowlesb@rsd407.org

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Supportive Community for All

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Healthy Community Coalition

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