

Niagara Child Care Sector Executive Meeting

Monday February 12, 2018 • 1:30 p.m. • ECCDC

Present: Kim Cole, Lorrey Arial Bonilla, Helene Randle, Chelsea Micek, Christina Clark

Regrets: Patricia Couroux, Leah Philbrick, Jackie Kerry, Lindsay Milligan,

Item	Discussion	Action	Who
Welcome			
Minute Recorder	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Julie Thompson, ECCDC 		
1. Correspondence	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Three people are interested in joining NCCSE – Candace Penny, ED of Niagara Nursery School; Pam McLean - Way to Grow, and Tracy Murray – Child’s View (Grimsby). 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Kim will reach out and let them know of meeting frequency to determine if this works with their schedules. She will also invite them to the next meeting if they’re interested. 	Kim
2. Approval of Minutes – November 22, 2017	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Approved. 		
3. Business Arising from Minutes	<p>Action Items</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Kim contacted the Region about representation on NCCSE – hasn’t heard back. CECE Manuals – Lorrey has obtained these. <p>Website</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A few photos need to be taken for NCCSE website. Chelsea, Lindsay, Lorrey. Stats – in November the site was viewed 386 times (new website). The old site was viewed 33 times in the first few months of 2017. <p>CECE sessions</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> CECE session with Melanie is full, ECCDC is taking a waiting list. Some questions were discussed to forward to Melanie. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lorrey to send Kim the email address of the ED at Fort Erie Native Centre Lindsay will post announcement of new site to Facebook 	<p>Lorrey</p> <p>Lindsay</p>

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4. Facebook update	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lindsay didn't send a report. It was suggested we could add some motivational quotes and share videos in future. 		
5. QCCN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Held a wrap-up meeting of QCCN Advisory. The committee discussed next steps, type of commitment needed (due to turnover in staff), how to train new staff. Adding Speech into the Institutes. CARE Checklist and participant feedback were reviewed. There was also discussion around the flow between the 2 days and how to make it smoother. Working on 2018 budget – hasn't been approved yet. 		
6. New Business	<p>Vice-Chair</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Add to next agenda. . 		
7. Pillars	<p>Children are Healthy</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Held a workshop with SEESAW last Thursday. Thirty attended – it was well-received. It was about gardening, hands-on – making wildflower seed bombs, biodegradables and composting, no-bake granola bites and kale chips. There was a draw for a toaster oven, membership draw for ECCDC. More information about nutrition might be a good plan for next in the series (and menu planning). <p>Children are Learning</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Meeting has not been held <p>Children are Safe</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> On hold <p>Families are Strong, Stable and Connected</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> On hold - Innoweave 		

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8. Updates	<p>Lorrey Arial Bonilla</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Back to Basics series – targeted at new staff <p>Workshop</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Could Brock/Niagara College and NCCSE partner together – Exploring Interprofessional Collaboration? OCT and CECE collaborated to create it. It was produced to support Educator teams in school boards but it is applicable to all RECEs – spend some time discussing at a future meeting. It could be in a community forum format then with a more focused discussion to follow. 		
9. Workplan	Add to next agenda		
10. Next meetings	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • April 3, 2018, 9:30 a.m., ECCDC 		