

Dallas County Early Childhood Committee Thursday August 27, 2015 9:45-10:45 or later Dallas County Extension 28059 Fairgrounds Road Adel, Iowa 50003

Agenda

Introductions
Announcements
4 R Kids ECI Board Update
Community-Based Child Abuse Prevention Grant
Special Guest - Scott Heldt candidate for District 20
Public Input

Other Events

December 3, 2015 5th Annual Appreciation Reception at Annelise Winery in Indianola 5:30-7:30

May 7, 2016 3rd Annual Toddlerfest at the Dallas County Fairgrounds

FY2016 Meeting Calendar

Meetings are in collaboration with the Dallas County Children's Advocacy Council. The DCCAC meetings are from 8:30-9:30. The Early Childhood meetings are from 9:45-10:30. Meetings are traditionally the 4th Thursday of the month at the Dallas County ISU Extension office, 28059 Fairgrounds Road, in Adel. Exception with the December meeting due to the holidays.

Monthly Structure of Collaborative Meetings (Dates, times and location are subject to change)

8:00 - 8:30 DCCAC officers - Dallas County Extension

8:30 - 9:30 DCCAC - Dallas County Extension

9:45 - 10:45 Dallas Early Childhood Committee - Dallas County Extension

11:00 - 12:00 Dallas County Human Services Coalition - Patrick's Restaurant or other location

Early Childhood Committee Purpose:

The *Dallas County Early Childhood Committee* shall be the standing advisory committee for the 4 R Kids Early Childhood Iowa Area Board. Community partners, agencies, citizens and Board members may participate; participation is not limited to any agency or person. The 4 R Kids Early Childhood Iowa Area Board may refer specific issues/tasks to this committee. Tasks may include but not limited to, provide expertise in fields of health, human services, early care and education; suggest public policy; provide guidance on community needs and issues; and advocacy for the early childhood Iowa area. Recommendations from this committee shall be presented to the early childhood Iowa area board for action.