

CARROLL COUNTY EARLY HEAD START, HEAD START & PRESCHOOL

"A Champion for Tots!"

GOVERNING BOARD REPORT

Reporting Period: June 16, 2011- July13, 2011

ERSEA: Enrollment, Recruitment, Selection, Eligibility and Attendance:

- Recruitment efforts are currently underway to enroll students for the upcoming 2011-12 program year. The following enrollment as of 7/13 is reported:

Head Start: 4 year olds – 61

3 year olds – 37

Enhanced - 7

Preschool: 4 year olds – 11

3 year olds – 10

Total enrolled to date – 126

- Early Head Start (year round services): 40 Center-based families
40 Home-based families

Health:

- Preparations are underway for the HS/EHS Health Fair to be held in August. The UK School of Dentistry is working closely with us to ensure that we have a great dental examination station. The Carroll County Health Department will be conducting visions and hearing screenings as well.
- Health Manager attended a conference in St Louis this month on Health Concepts in EHS and HS.

Transportation:

- Routes for the 2011-12 school year are being refined to ensure timely pick-up and delivery of each child.

Disabilities:

- There are 4 EHS students receiving speech services through EHS funds.
- There is one EHS student receiving intervention services for DD through EHS funds.
- There are 5 EHS students receiving disability services through First Steps.

Family and Community Services:

- A second EHS socialization is planned for July 22 at the Carroll County Park. All home-based families have been invited to attend.
- Bi-monthly socializations are hosted by the home-based nurturers.

Education/Early Child Development:

- Amy Hooten with Training and Technical Assistance provided professional development for EHS staff on June 16 and 17. Topics included Language Development in Infants/Toddlers and Building Family Partnerships.
- Management team attended the Head Start Summer Institute June 20 and 21 in Louisville, Kentucky.

Program Design and Management:

- EHS staff meetings were held.
- PIR data is currently being compiled for submission to OHS.
- Letter of resignation was accepted from Jill Dees, Family Service Worker.
- Class lists for both programs are being finalized for the 2011-12 school year.
- Carry-over funds and expenditures of these funds have been discussed. Purchases have been prioritized.
- Plans for the opening of the 2011-12 school year for Head Start/Preschool are being discussed. The home-based option will need to be utilized until the Child Development Center is ready to be occupied.
- Request for bids for the HS playground was advertised in July 6th edition of the News Democrat.