



Southeast Vermont Building Bright Futures

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Proposed FY 2017 Regional Council Schedule July 2016-June 2017

Monthly Early Childhood Council meetings

- Every 2nd Wednesday of the month, 4-5:30pm at Winston Prouty, Vermont Hall, Community-based services conference room (main conference room)
- Snacks and beverages provided
- Everyone welcome! Child care available depending on future funding
- Agendas and materials will be sent out one week prior

Event/Activity Proposed Calendar

Date	Topic/Issue
Aug 10, 4-5:30pm	Start of new council format. Planning for Sept 9 event.
Sept 9, 8:30-10am @ Winston Prouty, Holton Hall	Early Childhood Morning Mingle. Parenting in Your Pocket launch & family support & resource “mingle”. What supports and resources exist in our region, how are they connected. Audience: community providers. Learn about programs. Morning refreshments.
November 15, 8-10am	Making it Work in Windham: Our Workforce & Early Childhood summit. Audience: Employers, town/regional planners, elected officials.
Jan 30, 8:30-10am @ Winston Prouty	2017 Early Childhood legislative agenda. LGK and VECA lead. Council can identify some data/reports/stories to highlight (ex: How are VT’s Young Children & Families, regional Early Childhood Budget, etc). Audience: Legislators, EC professionals
March 15 (all day)	Early Childhood Day at the Legislature. Focus on program part of the day (keynote and workshops). Opportunity for council members to connect with others across the state. Energizing. Audience: All council members. Find way to pay for travel, registration, stipends
April (all month)	Promote Month of the Young Child and Starting Points Network kickoff event. Possibly include “Provider Forum” during month. Reach out to Starting Points, Director’s group, WCCA to develop.
May (date), @ Winston Prouty	Perinatal (before/after) supports. Support for expecting families, foster/adaptive. Presentation by health/medical practitioners, education and support providers/facilitators (classes, resources, groups), discussion. Audience: Expecting families, practitioners, HR depts/professionals, employers). Have co-sponsored by Parent Express
July 2017 (pick date)	Annual summer family celebration