Spring 2017 Newsletter

Nash-Edgecombe Economic Development, Inc.

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The mission of Nash-Edgecombe Economic Development is to promote and work for those activities or programs that are necessary or desirable:

- for advancing the general welfare of low-income people
- to promote self-sufficiency
- to increase self-worth of those served and those serving
- to protect and enhance individual dignity by means of
- providing training, resources, and opportunities through
- services and non-service strategies in an effort to eliminate poverty.

Housing News



The Housing staff have been working diligently with current families as well as continuing to process new vouchers for recent applicants. Future application date TBA.

Family Development News



CSBG met their targeted program goals and outcome measures for the 2016-2017 program year. The staff continued to work throughout late winter into the early spring month collecting donations and supplies to be distributed to families affected by Hurricane Matthew.



Upcoming Events

May 17

Finance Meeting - 4:30pm

Board Meeting - 5:30pm

June 14

Finance Meeting - 4:30pm

Board Meeting - 5:30pm

Important Announcements

Agency will be closed Monday, May 29th in observation of Memorial Day.



Last day of school by county:

Wilson May 31st

Nash June 7th

Edgecombe June 9th

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The ReEntry staff have been working hard with the clients the server; partnering with Staffing Solutions host a series of job fairs, with on-the-spot job placement opportunities.



The ReEntry Council meeting may 19th at 10:00am – location TBA.

Head Start News



AJ Richardson center will host the Summer Feeding Program again this year. Official state date and meal times TBA. For more information about the summer food program or participating sites, visit:

http://www.foodbankcenc.org/



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In honor of Teacher Appreciation week, centers and staff members were showered with gifts, goodies, cards, and more from our ED, Education Manager, parents, and partners.



Head Start Upcoming Trainings



Mrs. Chantell Mosley will be in attendance

Strategic Planning Conference for Children with Disabilities and Mental Health

June 5-7, 2017 at Atlantic Beach.

Valerie Pender Dixon and two teachers will be in attendance:

Dr. Kristi Snuggs will be presenting at the conference.

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Please be advised that our Transitions will take place as follows:

Site Name	Date/Time		Site /Location
Pinetops Head Start	5/31/17	10:00 am	425 Sally Jenkins Street, Pinetops NC (On Site)
Pine Street HS	6/1/27	9:00 am	1806 Goldsboro Street, Wilson NC (Wilson Agriculture Center)
Princeville HS	6/1/17	1:00 pm	2009 W Wilson Street, Tarboro, NC (Edgecombe Community College)
Selma Street HS	6/1/17	11:00 am	1806 Goldsboro Street, Wilson, NC
Brentwood HS	6/2/17	10:00 am	(Wilson Agriculture Center) 1806 Goldsboro Street, Wilson, NC (Wilson Agriculture Center)
Old Carriage Rd. HS	6/2/17	12:00 pm	402 E Virginia Street, Rocky Mount (Opportunities Industrial Center, OIC)
Julia Hammonds HS	6/2/17	6:00 pm	201 S. Andrews Street, Tarboro NC (Edgecombe County Admin Building)

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Around the Agency

The Agency hosted a retirement party for Mr. Barry Richardson on April 13, 2017 with a host of staff members and special guest in attendance!



On The Web

Social Media



Search: Nash-Edgecombe Economic Development, Inc. –NEED



Search: @NEEDInc1

NEED welcomed Ms. Ginell Rogers, April 17, 2017 as the new Executive Director. Ms. Rogers joins us after most recently serving at the N.C. Department of Health and Human Service's division of Economic Opportunity. For additional details, view the highlight article published recently in the Rocky Mount Telegram.



http://www.rockymounttelegram.com/News/2017/05/01/New-chief-takes-helm-at-NEED.html

North Carolina Community Action Association News

May 2017 Newsletter

http://media.wix.com/ugd/ae395b 098b404f7ba6486fb57ba8d9486ec5a9.pdf



2017 NCCAA Conference • "Thrive: Facing the future and embracing change" May 9 -12 • Embassy Suites: charlotte-Concord/ Golf Resort & spa, concord, NC



2017 NCCAA Calendar

SEACAA 2017 Annual Conference Beau Rivage • Biloxi, MS • October 31-November 3, 2017 www.seacaa.org

Community Action Partnership's 2017 Annual Convention Philadelphia Downtown Marriott in Philadelphia, PA • August 29-September 1, 2017

www.communityactionpartnership.com

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