

# Families First

## Meeting Minutes

**October 10, 2014**

### **WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS:**

Meeting was called to order by Co-Chair James Butler. Those in Attendance:

Lois Lawson	Heather Meade	Christy Thacker	Jerri Conley
Kay Hammond	Karen Crum	Tonya Todd	Jason Rice
Phyllis Coleman	Lynne Mason	Tammy Hunter	James Butler
Jean Rosenberg	Elizabeth Hamilton	Linda Spurlock	Donnie ray

### **REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES:**

Kay Hammond made a motion to accept minutes as presented, Heather Meade seconded. Motion carried unanimously.

### **New/Upcoming Events:**

Highlands Church of Christ will be opening a home for unwed mothers and fathers in Johnson County soon; they have purchased a house to use.

Banquet for Life is reserving tables for some time in February to be held in Pikeville all proceeds go to Pregnancy Center.

### **Speaker: Phyllis Coleman ( Community of Hope Paintsville)**

The center opened in March of this year and has had 50 referrals so far. Referrals can only from Johnson County P&P and the clients have to be from Johnson County.

They offer ;

Individual & group therapy

Substance abuse assessment &counseling

Self-help groups

Parenting classes

Meditation & journaling

Domestic violence Education & counseling

95% of clients they get are court ordered to be in the program.

### **How Are The Children?**

Hand out was given on regional stats by Heather Meade.

### **VENDOR REPORTS:**

Tammy and Tonya handed out stats sheets for the months of August and September.

<u>August</u>	<u>September</u>
14 adults served	13 Adults served
19children served	21 children served
12 children under the age of 5	12 children under 5
7 active cases	5 active cases
6 cases closed	4 cases closed

**New Business:**

Orientation packets were given out to the group on the Regional Network Guide lines and when over also the parent orientation was a one on one after the meeting was over.

**Old Business:**

Discussions held at the August meeting on moving the meeting to alternate locations was tabled at this time until after the first of the year. We will continue to hold the meetings at the Big Sandy Area Development District in Prestonsburg.

Copy of the budget was handed out and when over .

**Next Meeting November 14 2014 @ 10A.M.**

Motion to adjourn was made by Heather Meade, seconded by Karen Crum and passed unanimously.