

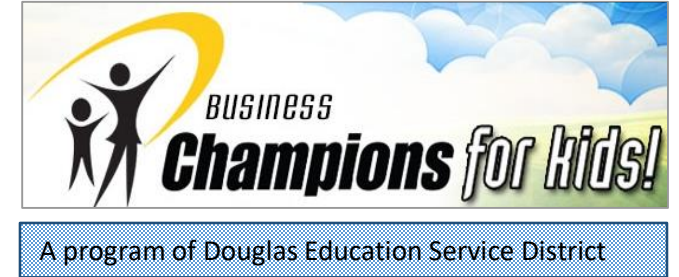
# Child Care Coalition Agenda

- Welcome/Introductions
- Overall Updates
- Action Items - Progress Updates
- New Strategies
- Meeting Wrap Up



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# Welcome & Objective



- **Welcome**

- Meeting will be recorded for note taking and sharing
- Please mute yourself when not speaking to minimize background noise
- Use the “Raise Hand” feature or the Chat for questions and comments
- There may be a need for a parking lot list

- **Objective**

- Come together as a community to strategize and develop a collective plan for childcare solutions for Douglas County
  - Immediate - In response to the current situation as a result of COVID-19
  - Long Term – In response to the overall childcare crisis
- Today’s Objective – Update of progress on action item assignments and begin to explore new strategies to support providers/programs and expand slots

- **Introductions – Name/Agency or Company**

# Overall Update



- **Licensing guidelines for Childcare – Heather**
  - Issued on 9/1/20
- **Created a Childcare Coalition Fund for Douglas County - Julie**
  - Managed through the Douglas ESD Biz4Kids program
- **Specific quantities being gathered by Care Connections – Julie/Heather**
  - Reaching out to all providers for each type
  - Creating a spreadsheet to determine estimated need
- **Faith Based Support – Steve**
  - Anything to share after meeting with ELD
- **Creating a Website for Childcare Coalition – Julie**
  - Page on Biz4kids.org

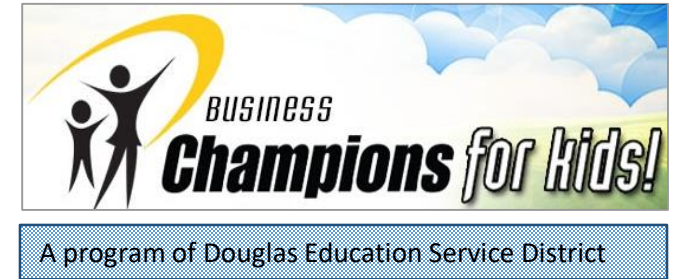


# Action Item Updates

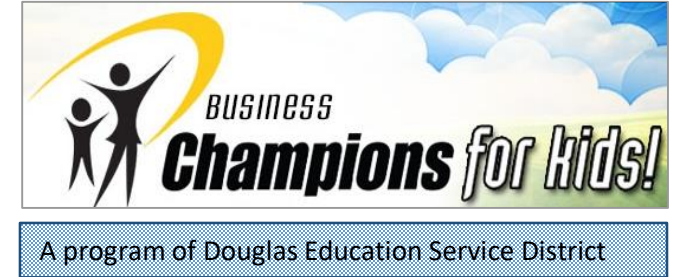
- Julie – Training on Platforms
- Brandi/Jake – PPE(masks, gloves, etc.)
- Rick – Paper products(plates, napkins, cups, etc.)
- Deb – Cleaning supplies
- Angie/Deb/Jake – School Supplies & Tri-Fold Presentation Boards
- Shawn – Plexiglass
- Gillian – Connecting with schools
- Angie – Wifi/Charging Power Strips
- Julie – Chromebooks/Tablets
- Heather/Holly – Staffing
- Chris – Tables/Chairs
- Jake/Deb/Robin – State discussions
- Robin/Nate/Kathleen - funding

# New Strategies

- **Weekly Cleaning Service**
  - Hire to provide services to all providers/programs
- **Funding**
  - Grants
  - Donations
- **Incentives**
  - Providing incentives to expanding programs
  - Support with long term sustainability



# Meeting Wrap Up



- Action Items
  - List of estimated quantity of resources, supplies, staff compiled
  - Overall funding required
  - Individuals assigned tasks to complete as much as possible
    - Provide update to Julie for tracking purposes
  - Website page of resources, etc. developed
- Next Meeting
  - September 10 @ 10:30 a.m.