Family Living Program Report --- June-July 2016

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**Programming Efforts:**

Alex and I completed the final session of the 8-session program, **Taking Care of You**, held in Melrose.

Started sessions with families who are currently involved with **Bolton Refuge House – Jackson County.** The program for each family has started with a parent session and then family time is scheduled to give opportunities for all family members to participate in group activities. Continuing to meet with a family to work together on strategies that will help the parent strengthen consistent parenting skills as the family lives in a **co-parenting situation**.

Conversations have been held with county and out-of-county agency staff seeking out parenting resources where they can refer families who they are currently working with.

Wrap-up phone conference held with colleagues participating in the **Money Smart for Head** **Start** project that runs September – May. Will be involved in updating one of the monthly newsletters for the 2016-2017 program year.

Working on the activity schedule for the **Preschool Discovery Camps**, first camp to be held on July 14 and continuing into August. Will be able to share some responses from camp participants at the July 15 meeting.

**Additional Program Opportunities:**

Met with the **Farmers’ Market** Board of Directors to continue addressing topics to support the weekly market held on Diploma Drive between UWEX and Lunda Community Center.

Progress on displays and other contributions that will support the educational focus of **HCE and** **the 80th anniversary recognition** of the organization in 2016 is continuing.

Meeting monthly on the **GreenLifeXpo Committee** to continue with program decisions for the upcoming event on September 10.

**Administrative Support for the Office Team:**

Office team met for the July staff meeting.

April Duval and I met with Personnel & Bargaining Committee to continue the discussion on the proposal for a Support Staff position for WI Nutrition Education Program (WNEP). Next we will meet with Executive & Finance on July 11.