Kent CAN Agenda  
March 15, 2017  
1:00-3:00  
Coldwater Room

Roles and Responsibilities
Facilitator – Rebecca McIntyre  
Note Taker – Joan Meyer  
Transition Coordinator – Scott Bont  
Website Coordinator – Lori Matthews  
Kent CAN Coordinator – Jennifer Murchison  
Assessment Tool Coordinator – Amy Bufka  
Peer to Peer and Trainer/Coaches – Jen Amorose and Sarah Hammer  
Evidence Based Practice: Jill Kreuze and Lindsey Nicholson

Our Mission - To build a comprehensive model for identification, training, shared resources, and effective practices which promotes collaboration and consistency between families, educators, and community partners in support of our students with ASD.

Our Philosophy Supports:
- Multi-disciplinary collaboration.
- Services that are individualized and utilize evidence-based interventions and strategies.
- Intervention driven by the student’s present level and on-going assessment.
- Use of positive behavior support and proactive approaches to address challenging behaviors.
- Inclusion of families and community partners as critical team members.
- Continuous improvement of programs and services based on current data.
- Focusing on opportunities in integrated environments.

Calendar

Kent CAN Meeting Dates  
*All meetings are held from 1:00-3:00 PM unless otherwise noted with optional lunch available prior to meetings.**  
**E-mail future agenda items to Jennifer Murchison (murchisonj@grps.org)**

Kent CAN Meetings for 2016-17 School Year  
May 24, 2017  ESC Coldwater Room

Additional START and Kent CAN Trainings and Conferences:
*Anyone wishing to attend a START training should contact Joan Meyer (joanmeyer@kentisd.org) for registration via Kent CAN

May 1, 2017  START Conference @ Kellogg Conference Center, East Lansing  
May 2, 2017  START Spring RCN meeting @ Kellogg Conference Center, East Lansing  
Additional START information can be found at: http://www.gvsu.edu/autismcenter/
## Follow Up Items

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Presentation:
- Ability Weavers
- Celebrating: Peer to Peer in our schools

“Show and Share”
Let’s get interactive!
- Wonderful Websites
- Marvelous Materials
- Resource Review
- Agency/Community Awareness

Beryl Bartkus
Kent CAN members
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