

Kent CAN Agenda
May 24, 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 2017-18 School Year

Please see listing attached to minutes for 17-18 school year meeting dates and locations

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*

June 21, 2017 START Management Training @Crowne Plaza Lansing West

November 8, 2017 GET Supports for Autism – Kent CAN Training at Kent ISD ESC

Additional START information can be found at: <http://www.gvsu.edu/autismcenter/>

Follow Up Items

Activity	Who	Completed?
Introduction of Members	Jennifer Murchison	
Trainings and Program Updates: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Kent CAN parent training START Conference START Spring RCN meeting 	Kent CAN members	
GRPS Summer Community Resource Brochure	Paulette Longwell	
3 rd Annual Day at the Ballpark – May 17th	Kent CAN members	

New Items

Activity	Follow-Up Needed	Who	Timeline
START update <ul style="list-style-type: none"> START-ism 		Kelly Dunlap	
Kent CAN / Kent ISD update <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Agency Assessment Survey GET Supports for Autism Conference – November 8th schedule, call for presenters, and planning update 2016-2017 End of Year Reporting 		Jennifer Murchison	
Presentation: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Stir It Up BYF and EBP Team Presentations Caledonia Community Conversation Report Out 		Zoe Bruyn Kenowa, Grandville, GRPS, EGR, Forest Hills, Caledonia Jen Amorose	
“Show and Share” Let's get interactive! <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Wonderful Websites Marvelous Materials Resource Review Agency/Community Awareness 		Kent CAN members	