



Sidewalk Chalk

OUR VISION

All Children in Randolph County enter kindergarten healthy & ready to succeed in school and life.

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Every great achiever is inspired by a great mentor.

-Lailah Gifty Akita

Join Us!



Have you been looking for an opportunity to get involved in the community? Joining a committee with the Randolph Partnership for Children is a great way to make a real difference in early childhood education and development in our community. By using your skills and passion, you'll help support important programs for young children and families. You'll work with others who share your interests and learn about key issues that affect everyone in our area. Your involvement will not only improve the lives of young children but also help you grow both professionally and personally.



NC Pre-K Committee

This committee works with our NC Pre-K Coordinator and administrative staff members to review and provide local guidance on the implementation of NC Pre-K in Randolph County within the mandates set forth by the General Assembly. This committee meets approximately 5 times a year.

Sustainability Committee

This committee works closely with the Director of Marketing and Partnership administration to plan events and engage donors and sponsors. This committee is responsible for the planning of the annual Gala for the Children. The committee meets monthly.





Grant Review (Community Investment) Committee

This committee works closely with the Partnership Executive Director to oversee the implementation of activities in the strategic plan, help the Board of Directors create criteria to select and prioritize programs, and evaluate proposals submitted. The Committee may also help develop requests for proposals and the bid package. This committee meets approximately 7 times a year.

Find out more about the different committees available on our [website](#). If you are interested click the button below to fill out our volunteer form. We will be in touch once we receive your form.

[Get Involved](#)

Summer Nutrition Programs Mean More Summer Eats – And Smiles!



SUN 

Nearly 30 million children participate in [USDA's school breakfast and lunch programs](#) on an average school day. When school is out for the summer, kids lose access to these healthy meals, but they still need nutritious food to grow healthy and strong.

This year, North Carolina will offer new summer nutrition options to help our children reach their full potential.

With SUN Meals, kids 18 and under can get free meals and snacks at schools, parks, and other group meal locations. In some rural areas, SUN Meals To-Go can be picked up or delivered. And the new SUN Bucks helps families stretch grocery budgets with a \$120 grocery benefit for each eligible school-aged child, so you can buy more of the foods your children love! Dig in and find out what's available to your family.

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Night of the Stars



The Randolph County Partnership for Children, hosted its esteemed Annual [Night of the Stars](#) at the Lazy E Farm, honoring the remarkable dedication and academic achievements of local early educators. The lively event, themed "A Barrel of Laughs," featured the charismatic Tanya Dennis, M.Ed., who delivered an evening filled with humor and inspiration.

This year's celebration recognized 17 educators who have excelled in their academic pursuits, with achievements ranging from North Carolina Credentials to advanced degrees.

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Early Educators Get Ready: Conscious Discipline Professional Development Day



Conscious Discipline® PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT DAY

SATURDAY
AUGUST 24

We have scored a full day with the amazing Kim Hughes dedicating her time to the early educators in Randolph County!

- ✓ Free Workshop
- ✓ Incentives for Participation
- ✓ Earn 6 Credits

[Register Here](#)



Press the PAUSE Button: Understanding **Conscious Discipline®** Discover how Conscious Discipline empowers teachers to impact children's behavior. Conscious Discipline is a comprehensive self-regulation program and a social and emotional framework based on current brain research, child development information, and developmentally appropriate practices. We will explore evidence-based strategies that create an emotionally/physically safe school environment, as well as techniques to remain calm in moments of chaos. Be ready to learn about a Brain Smart® Start, our Brain State Model and the difference between traditional discipline and conscious discipline. Join Kim for an interactive session filled with great information and tips to empower YOU and the children you

[Register Here](#)

Community Resource Spotlight: Safe Kids Randolph County

A graphic for Safe Kids Randolph County. It features a dark blue background with a large, stylized number '3' in orange and green. On the left, the text reads 'JUNE IS SAFETY MONTH!' in white, followed by 'SAFE KIDS RANDOLPH COUNTY' in large yellow letters. Below this, a green rounded rectangle contains the text 'FOCUS AREAS' in white. Underneath, a list of focus areas is provided in white text. On the right side of the graphic, a circular inset shows a young girl wearing a pink helmet and a backpack, riding a pink bicycle on a path through a green field.

JUNE IS SAFETY MONTH!

SAFE KIDS RANDOLPH COUNTY

FOCUS AREAS

- Child Passenger Safety
- Bicycle Safety
- Fire Prevention
- Poison Prevention / Medication Safety
- Pedestrian Safety
- Heatstroke Awareness

June is Safety Month! [Safe Kids Randolph County](#) has a mission to protect Randolph County's children (birth to age 18) from unintentional, preventable childhood injuries and resulting deaths. They focus on Child Passenger Safety, Bicycle Safety, Fire Prevention, Poison Prevention / Medication Safety, Pedestrian Safety, and Heatstroke Awareness.

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We strive to connect our community members with vital resources. Remember to check out the [Family Resource Guide](#) on the Randolph Partnership for Children's website for more valuable information and support.

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Penciled In

- **Thursday, June 27, 4 PM:** ChAMPS Meeting
- **July 4-5, Office Closed in Observance of the Fourth of July**
- **Wednesday, July 10, 5 PM -** Family Engagement and Leadership Coalition
- **Thursday, July 25, 4 PM:** ChAMPS Meeting



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