

VISION FOR EARLY LEARNING
West Central Regional Coalition Meeting
Tuesday, February 10th, 2013

1. Introductions

- a. Name Tags

2. Reports and Updates (*Goal 1-1.3 & Goal 2-1.2*)

- a. Counties Update:
 - i. Grays Harbor
 - ii. Lewis
 - iii. Mason
 - iv. North Pacific
 - v. Thurston
- b. State Update
 - i. Release of WaKIDS Information
 - ii. Legislative updates

3. Overview of Community Momentum 2013 Action Plan

4. Taking Care of Business

a. WaKIDS Steering Committee (*Goal 3- ELCAP Goal 1 – 1.1-1.4*)

- i. CANDIDATES ACCEPT NOMINATION

- ii. First Meeting – Steering Committee Date: _____
(Steering Committee please fill out calendar sheet and return)

b. Love. Talk. Play. (*Goal 3- 1.1-1*)

- i. Ideas for LTP events in each county
 - 1. What?
 - 2. When?
 - 3. How much?
 - 4. Who?
- ii. \$500 dollar management for LTP event(s)
 - 1. Fiscal Agency
 - 2. Project Coordinator

c. Electing an Executive Committee (Goal 1-11 [VEL Governance Structure])

- i. Two co-chairs of the regional Board (2 - State Wide Thrive Meetings: April 11th & June 27th)
- ii. Three representatives (one each from the other counties not already represented by the co-chairs)
- iii. Two representatives at-large who can represent any of the stakeholders in the membership

5. Think-Share-Do (TSD)

Vision: Communities that invest in early learning grow strong families where children thrive

Mission: Promote partnerships and community connections that support early learning.

- *What's your vision of VEL for the next years?*
- *What do you have to offer to accomplish our vision?*

6. Zig Zag Sharing - Closing

7. Announcements:

- a. Update/add information to coalition meeting calendar - place & time if needed please
- b. Starting Strong August 6th & 7th @ Lynwood Convention Center.
- c. Next meeting: March 19th from 9-12 p.m. at ESD 113