Notes from INN 4/19/2022

Trish Bloor – Influence the Choice/ Issaquah Community Services – Trish would like to share information about the Influence the Choice Vicki Hoffman Legacy Award (attached)

Zlatina KCLS there expanded hours at many libraries including some on Saturdays and Sundays. Issaquah is open on Saturdays and Sammamish on Sundays. Skyway Library has free COVID test. Outdoor story times are back in Sammamish every Sunday at 1 in the Plaza at 1 pm

Fabiola Bogarin – Hopelink – no waitlist for referral to the Family Development Program

Heather Clark Hopelink transportation – more events are running for clients. Heather is running travel ambassador training for interested organizations.

Christine Knight – The Garage, a teen café. Please sign up for the <u>newsletter</u>, there are lots of events coming soon. To make a referral call or text: 425-477-9251 or email christine@issaquahteencafe.org

Lori Birrell – Issaquah Community Services. Assisting individuals and families in the ISD with rent and utility bills. Funds are drying up and Lori is busy making grant applications.

Brenda Freeman is the Resource Specialist at NAMI – There is a Youth Ambassador meeting coming up soon.

Elizabeth Maupin -- Issaquah Sammamish Interfaith Coalition (ISIC), Eastside Interfaith Social Concerns Council, and Faith Action Network. Faith Action Network is co-sponsoring the Earth Day Iftar celebration with a seed exchange at Holy Cross Lutheran Church in Bellevue, Friday, April 22 at 7 PM. Bring seeds and a pot luck dish. To RSVP or get more info, write to <u>narimagsbp@gmail.com</u>. On May 14 there is a local Day of Service. (dayofservice.info/event-categories/eastside). I'm looking for someone to take over the ISIC newsletter during my absence this summer. (eli410maupin@gmail.com

Laura - Friends of Youth - alcohol & drug information for schools, \$75 for this training/class which often satisfies court requirements

Ashley Nguyen -- program manager at System Navigation Hub

Lisa Haynes – Issaquah Food & Clothing Bank, next week is a shopping week at IFBC 1 pm – 7 pm Monday - Thursday. Lunch for the break was very successful

and the Summer Lunch Program starts in June and will run every other week through the school summer break.

Lisa Haynes – Greater Issaquah Equity and Inclusion Group. Learned about a group called 'Friends of 411' who are sharing misinformation about ISD stating that Prop 1 in the upcoming levy is for teaching critical race theory – it is not! It is for funding cultural inclusion programs such as the Family Partnership. Check the Greater Issaquah, Equity, and Inclusion Group Facebook page for more information.

Upcoming meetings

- 5.17.2022 Speaker, Linda Woodall, ED at Eastside Friends of Seniors
- 6.21.2022 Speaker, Arlene Hampton ED at Mary's Place