



FHF Meeting Summary

January 24, 2023

2:00 - 3:00 pm

Meeting Recording

2:00- 2:05 pm **Welcome**

- [QUICK overview of FHF](#)- we are working to **build community** & support families
- **Permission to record and Introductions**

2:05- 2:25 pm **Community Speakers (3 @ 7 minutes each?)**

- **Cynthia with little people with BIG Dreams**
 - New program started in Oct
 - Kids take out to do things- fun activities, museums, UVA, biggest focus: kids community events, first event Pumpkin Patch - provided crafts, face painting at Washington Park, clothing drive, around to neighborhoods, local shop at mall for folks to come out and grab essentials
 - Cynthia - littlepeoplebigdreams100@gmail.com
 - [\(1\) little people w/BIG DREAMs LLC. | Charlottesville VA | Facebook](#)
- **Khalilah with Doll Drive**
 - khalilah.jones@chicandclassyimage.com
 - Event date: Feb26: 2 pm
- **Caroline with Cville Sock Love**
 - [\(1\) Cville Sock Love | Facebook](#)
 - [cville sock love](#)
- **Rose Byrn with IMPACT**

2:25- 3 pm **FHF Updates (starting at 33:33 in meeting recording)**

- **Solutions Team, Miles**
 - 2022- served over 102 clients, 90% referrals from website and school counselors/fam support workers, 10% referrals from Unite Us, our platform
 - 80-90% household goods, housing, utilities
 - Few cases, niche resources- limbo health insurance- recently helped with eye glass eval/glasses
 - Another example, provided space heaters until heating fixed, will donate them back to Families in Crisis after home fixed
- **Finance Update, Angie**
 - We spent \$7942 with solutions team last year
 - Much of it was Utilities, moving storage, lodging/rental assistance
 - Budget: Total income last year: \$31632 and expenses: \$17,071
- **Equity Initiatives Latara (Dr. Irrizary) - starting at 40:00 in meeting recording**

2:55- 3:00 pm **Wrap-up & Next Steps**

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- National School Counseling Week
- Upcoming meetings:
 - Monday, **February 20, 2023**: 2-3 pm
 - Friday, **March 17, 2023**: 2-3 pm
 - Friday, **April 28, 2023**: 2-3 pm

Please [email us](#) if you have any suggestions for community speakers!

Our mission is to first connect with existing community resources.

As always...are we missing any [resources in our document](#), especially organizations that can help families who are struggling with rent, utilities, and other needs?

Is there a group that you'd like us to invite to speak at a monthly meeting?

[Let us know.](#)

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