

## **Family Resource and Youth Service Center**

### **Newport Primary School Family Resource Center**

**Molly Wesley, Coordinator (July 1, 2023 - September 19, 2023)**

#### **Support to Students/Families (the following were provided to students):**

24 home visits - (2 attendance, 18 transportation, 1 haircut, 1 ARC notice, 1 diaper delivery, 1 donation pick up)

72 items of clothing were distributed from the FRC clothing closet since last report

12 pair of shoes were distributed from the FRC clothing closet since last report

103 pair of shoes were distributed after the Charities Guild shoe event on May 17 - shoes arrived after school let out for the summer, requiring significant effort to connect shoes with students

15 backpacks were distributed from the FRC, to students in need

8 referrals were made to the on-site Care Closet, for "shopping" experience with volunteer, Miss Nancy

2 pair of glasses were repaired for students at Precise Eyeglass Repair

Coordinator assisted 2 McKinney-Vento students with transportation on 15 occasions

1 lunchbox was given to a student upon request

FRC paid for 1 back-to-school haircut for a student

Care Closet diaper program provided diapers for 18 babies connected to NPS in July, 20 in August, and 18 in September

1 pair of sunglasses was given to a student unable to participate in recess due to bright sun

1 student was given a letter for the Affordable Connectivity Program due to NPS participation in Community Eligibility Provision program

1 student applied for the Lunch Buddy program through Big Brothers Big Sisters, joining 10 students on the waiting list

72 unduplicated students received PowerPacks in September

Molly contacted 4 families regarding Me and My School bus transportation

Molly contacted 27 families by text message regarding the Household Application for Free and Reduced-Price School Meals

82 NPS students were seen at school, by dental staff through Big Smiles

August 24 - assisted family in transportation to therapy

August 30 - assisted parent in transportation to court

#### **Donations since the last report:**

Since last report, the FRC has received donations:

- of gently used clothing, including coats, shoes, household items
- items for the Cat Cash Store
- Busken Bakery donated unsold doughnuts to Newport Schools on August 11, August 18, August 25, September 1, September 8, September 15, 2023
- 360 PowerPacks were delivered from Freestore Foodbank on September 1
- July 9 - ReNewport, Westside Citizens Coalition and volunteers planted 10 trees at NPS
- July 22 - Newport Police - Cram the Cruiser event at Kroger - school supplies
- August 3 - Chick-fil-a - Stuff the Bus - school supplies (2009 total items donated!)
- 4 community members donated school supplies
- August 8 - Assistance League of Greater Cincinnati - 104 fleece joggers
- August 9 and August 24 - fresh produce for Stock the Kitchen from local farmer
- August 11 - Neediest Kids of All dropped off school supplies donation
- August 12 - Movement Church volunteers cleaned and organized student shower space
- August 14 - 7 Hills Church donated 40 backpacks filled with school supplies
- August 15 - Newport City Church of God donated a variety of snacks for NPS staff on their first full staff development day
- August 17 - Campbell County YMCA members donated 50 backpacks filled with school supplies
- Riverfront Kiwanis - \$750 for student clothing needs

### **Professional Contacts/Community Collaborations:**

Social media posts since last report: Passport by Molina Healthcare announcement about Back to School Vaccination clinic; Movement Church yard sale to raise money for service project at NPS; ReNewport landscaping project at NPS; Backpacks & Breakfast Event; Victory Over Violence conference; Cram the Cruiser; LIHEAP and LIHWAP electric and water assistance through CAC; Adopt a Class; School supply wish list for NPS; NPS Open House; School Attendance information; Stock the Kitchen; First Day of School; New Hope Christian Church Back to School Bash, HIPPY Program; PEBT Application Info; Adult Skill Builder about Infinite Campus; Celebracion del mes de la Herencia Hispana

**July 11-13** - Victory Over Violence conference in Lexington, KY

**July 24** - met with Big Brothers Big Sisters about Lunch Buddies

**July 31** - met with Katina brown about Onboarding training

**August 1** - met with Adopt a Class about current matches, and 23-24 school year

**August 1** - virtual meeting - Community Well Being (Brighton Center)

**August 2** - presented FRC information to new NPS teachers

**August 3** - distributed Home Visit Day yard signs

**August 4** - sorted school supplies collected at Chick-fil-a Stuff the Bus event with River City FRYSCs

**August 4** - met with Julie Kaeff about NPS/FRC

**August 8** - National Night Out in Dick's Sporting Goods parking lot

**August 17** - Home Visit Day (available for teacher concerns and questions)

**August 17** - NPS Open House - 197 K-2nd grade students attended with their families!

**August 21** - Newport staff Opening Day cheer line!

**August 21** - student ARC - provided transportation and child care for parent participation

**August 23** - introduced Nancy Baker (Care Closet volunteer) at Newport School Board Meeting

**August 28** - Newport FRYSC and McKinney-Vento staff met to begin planning for Onboarding presentation

**August 30** - NPS Advisory Council Meeting - budget amendment

**September 1** - site visit to NPS/FRC by Prichard Committee and DFRYSC staff

**September 5** - 21st Century Community Learning Center after school programs began

**September 6** - KPMG Accounting Firm virtual Teams Meeting about literacy events

**September 7** - Region 4 FRYSC Coordinator's meeting at Ralph Rush Center

**September 13** - Adopt a Class Mentor Symposium at Cintas Center (Xavier University)

**September 14** - Star Spangled Banner Day event - supported students during walk from NPS

**September** - IMPACT, and Implementation & Results reports compiled and submitted

**September** - collaborated with Cabinet for Health & Family Services regarding 2 NPS students

### **FRC staff is working on an ongoing basis around the following:**

Collecting and reviewing Household Income Forms (redistributing and contacting families when necessary), fill staff and student spirit wear orders, oversee NPS/FRC and GEER budgets and expenditures, facilitate monthly Adopt a Class visits or activities, fill Little Library with donated books; create Google survey for staff regarding use of volunteers; mandatory staff trainings

### **Newport Intermediate School Family Resource Center**

**Marshelle Watkins- Blackwell, Coordinator**

**Support to Students** (the following were distributed to students)

1-Home visit to support NIS student's basic need

2 -Mental health referrals

2- Eye glasses support

12- Students were supported by the NIS Care Closet

9- Families received emergency food and cleaning supplies

2- Mental Health Referrals for students

155- Student Backpacks  
16- pairs of shoes  
4- Hygiene support  
45- Weekend food bags

**Donations** (the following donations were received)  
Organized and managed NIS Fundraiser- \$113.43

**Professional Contact/Community Collaborations**

Live Well- Community Meeting  
Kate Haus - Care Closet  
Edward Sublett- Bank of America  
Joan Carmack- Duke Energy  
Bev Holiday - City of Newport  
Sarah - Adopt A Class  
Kristen- Adopt a class  
Newport FRYSC  
Freestore Food Bank Meeting  
Food Safety Training  
Big Brother and Big Sister Meeting  
Big Brother and Big Sister Schedule Management

**School Collaborations & Contacts**

Ms. Michael - Family Engagement Event and School Planning for 2023-2024  
Tyler Watts- Parent Skill Building  
Amanda Johnson- Student support  
Kristy McNally- Family Supports  
Amber Onkst- Sensory Pathways  
Jill Chambers - Student Supports and PBIS  
Mrs. Menninger - Adopt a Class new match coordination  
NIS Mental Health Worker  
Lisa Rizzo- Safety Walks  
NIS New Staff- Family Resource Center Welcome

**Meetings & Training Participation**

Opening Day-PD  
NIS Staff Meetings- Shooter Training and PD  
Safe Schools  
Newport Schools EL Family Support Meeting  
Attendance PLC  
SEL Planning Meeting  
Title III Planning Meeting  
Live Well Newport  
Epilepsy Training  
YLD- Planning Meeting  
GEER Grant Meeting  
NIS FRC Advisory Meeting

## **Newport High School Youth Services Center**

**Donna Watts, Coordinator**

### **upport to Students/Families (the following were provided to students):**

6 home visits made by YSC Coordinator  
565 school supplies were distributed  
25 backpacks filled with school supplies were distributed  
128 items of clothing were distributed  
7 pair of shoes were distributed  
3 \$50 Kroger Food cards were distributed  
2 \$20 Speedway Gas cards were distributed  
4 Tank/Metro Bus Cards were distributed  
6 NKOA PO's were fulfilled  
20 backpacks filled with school supplies were distributed  
38 Hygiene products were distributed  
2 pair of glasses were repaired by YSC Coordinator 1 by School Counselor  
7 students visited the YSC for employment  
Contacted 12 families via phone call regarding the Free and Reduced Meal Application  
Mr. Hinson's construction class assembled a cabinet for the YSC closet

### **Donations since the last report:**

Since last report, the YSC has received donations:

Newport Police Dept. - Cram the Cruiser - 3,300 School Supplies  
Newport Primary FRC Coordinator - 116 School Supplies  
Chick Fil A - Stuff the Bus - 182 School Supplies  
7 Hills Church - 20 Backpacks filled with School Supplies  
McKinney Vento Coordinator - 128 Tampons  
Hunt Property Management - 1,200 Face Mask  
Mass Mutual Ascend - 816 School Supplies  
NDC Training - 7,572 items  
1,900 School Supplies  
5,670 Office Supplies - YSC donated items to Graphic Arts Class  
2 GBC Machines - YSC donated to Graphic Arts and General Arts Classes  
Campbell County Drug Free Alliance - 50 Wine Totes  
Crayons to Computers - \$459.50 school supplies and hygiene items  
YSC Coordinator stuffed the totes with donated school supplies and placed in each classroom

### **Professional Contacts/Community Collaborations:**

Social media posts since last report in English and Spanish:

City of Newport and YSC Juneteenth Celebration  
Young Life Camp  
City of Newport West End Litter Fest  
Brighton Center Summer Party  
Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc Scholarship Application  
Book Signing, Open Mic, Art Showcase and More  
No. KY Harvest and Be Concerned Backpacks and Breakfast Registration Form  
Chick Fil A Stuff the Bus donation event  
Newport Night Out 2023 event  
7th and 8th Grade School Supply List

NHS Football and Volleyball schedules  
 Newport High School Open House flyer  
 Newport Independent School District Home Visit Day flyer  
 New Hope Christian Back to School Event flyer  
 Newport Independent School District Opening Day pictures  
 Crosstown YSC Kickoff Tailgate College Night Flyer  
 Newport Middle and High School Infinite Campus Adult Skill Builder training  
 Kentucky High Attendance Day Competition flyer  
 Brighton Center Annual Community Celebration Flyer  
 Tristate player of the week voting for DeAyjah White, Newport Football Team, Kyle Lee and Sean Hurry  
 Volleyball and Girls Basketball Team Car Wash flyer  
 Pictures of the progress of Newport Schools Football Stands

### **Events, Meetings & Training Participation**

#### **August - National Be Kind Month**

- 1 College and Career Tailgate meeting at Holmes High School 10a
- 3 Stuff the Bus at Chick Fil A
- 5 Stuff School Supplies in Backpacks at Be Concern, Inc. 9a-1p
- 8 FRYSC Monitoring meeting with Betty Pendleton 1:30-3:00p
- 8 Newport Night Out 6-8p Dick's Sporting Good Parking lot
- 11 College and Career program meeting with Adam Heidrick
- 14 Crosstown Tailgate College Night meeting at Holmes High School 11a
- 17 7 Hills Drop off donations
- 19 Fresh Fusion new student event at NKU 10a-1p
- 22 NHS YSC Advisory Council Meeting 2:00p
- 24 Kynect meeting via Zoom
- 25 Crosstown Tailgate College Night Event at Holmes High School 4-6p
- 28 Student Support Directors Onboarding planning meeting 9:30-10:30a
- 31 Upward Bound Meeting in Maker Space 2
- 31 Youth Leadership Development - Brighton Center set up at Lunch time

#### **September National Sports and Safety Month**

- 7 FRYSC Regional Meeting 9:00a-2:30p Gateway, Florence
- 7 Crayons to Computers shopping 2:30p
- 8 Army National Guard set up display table at Lunchtime
- 8 Beyond the Walls meeting with Mr. Grayson and Ms. Gearding
- 11 Meeting with Ms. Calderon and Ms. Watkins regarding Title III Let's Fiesta Party
- 12 CCC Regional Meeting 11:30a-2p Boone Cty Extension Office
- 12 Adult Skill Builder - Infinite Campus & School Acronyms - [Julie Kaeff](#) 4p-5p NHS
- 13 Campbell County Drug Free Alliance Coalition Retreat 9a-12:00p Wilder, Ky
- 13 Meeting with Donna Arnzen Dahmann regarding Holiday Basket donations
- 14 Upward Bound Meeting in Maker Space 2
- 15 Caught Being Good Reward Day – students received Frisch's coupons
- 18 Meeting with Jorine Combs regarding Washington DC donation via email
- 18 Met with Dustin Caudill regarding PBIS portal and reward
- 19 Beyond the Walls meeting with Ms. Gearding
- 19 Meeting Zach Rechtin and [Melony Rickett](#)

#### **Upcoming Events**

September 15 – October 15 – Hispanic Heritage Month Celebration

- 21 CATS CASH Redeem Day - Lunchtime
- 25 Army National Guard set up display table at Lunchtime
- 26 Title III Hispanic Heritage FRYSC Festival 4-6pm at Holmes Middle School
- 27 Beyond the Walls Field Trip to Staff Mark
- 28 College and Military Fair (grades 10-12) 9:00a-11:00a Main Gym
- 29 Impact Report and I & R Due
- 30 City of Newport Litter Fest 9a-11:30a City Building

**October – Breast Cancer Awareness Month**

- 4 Title III Let's Fiesta: Dancing, Food and Fun with Kionte Earley 5-6:30p NHS Cafeteria
- 5 Upward Bound Meeting in Maker Space 2
- 9–13 Fall Break – (YSC Open 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>, and 12<sup>th</sup>)
- 11 Campbell County Drug Free Alliance Coalition meeting 9a-10:30a Wilder, Ky
- 14 Hoop with Nupes 12p-3p NHS Main Gym
- 17 High School Career Field Trip - Lorraine O'Moore
- 18 Reality Store Prep grades 9 & 12 9:00-11:30a NHS Main Gym
- 19 Reality Store Experience grades 9 & 12 9:00a-11:30 NHS Main Gym
- 19 bornLearning Academy & Parent Support 6:30p Dinner 6-7:30p Workshops NPS
- 21 Breast Cancer Walk - Cincinnati, OH
- 25 Beyond the Walls Field Trip to Staff Mark

**YSC staff is working on an ongoing basis around the following:**

Collecting Beyond the Walls Big Brothers Big Sisters Applications, collecting Upward Bound Applications and meeting with current members, contacting Men Making A Difference to participate in school events, making Mentoring Plus referrals, raising funds for Washington DC trip, collecting and reviewing Household Income Forms (redistributing and contacting families when necessary), GEER budget, expenditures and reports, PBIS rewards, Cats Cash and activities, 21st Century After School Program partnership, FRYSC IandR and Impact Reports. Signs for teachers to use during fire drills, decorating school for vaping/smoking awareness, decorating lockers for football and volleyball players, working with attendance clerk for home visits, recruiting for College and Career Fair and Reality Store

**McKinney Vento**

**Kristy McNally, Coordinator**

**Total MV students as of 9/18/2023**

**Total:** June 241 → September: 104  
 Doubled Up: 80  
 Hotel: 9  
 Shelter/Transitional Housing: 11  
 Unsheltered/Inadequate Housing: 4  
 Unaccompanied Youth: 22

**Transportation:** Students have benefitted from:

NSTEP Van: 15  
 Bus passes: 3  
 Gas Cards: 7 (1 from another district)  
 Taxi: 1  
 Bussing from another district: 9

**Financial assistance: 0**

**Programming/Supports:**

Diversity Wildcats (NIS) to start Oct. 4 -  
Diversity Wildcats (NPS) to start Oct. 3  
Ending the Mental Health Stigma-1x event @NHS September 28 3p-5p  
People Stronger Together (Parent Group) to start Oct. 19  
McKinney Vento training NPS Sept. 6  
McKinney Vento training NIS Oct. 4  
McKinney Vento training NHS TBD  
MV/Court Liaison monthly check in Sept. 5  
NHS Open House Aug. 10  
NIS Open House Aug. 16  
NPS Open House Aug. 17  
Assisted in Home visit day Aug. 17  
Assisted in National Night Out Aug. 8  
Stock the Kitchen 2nd and 4th Thursday of each month- 40 unduplicated families a month  
FRYSC/MV Onboarding planning meeting Aug. 28  
Assisted with MV Training for FRYSC conference in partnership w/ Fayette and Jessamine Cty

**Student/Community Supports**

ARC meeting for NPS student Aug. 21  
NSOI introductory meeting for students Aug. 23, Aug. 25  
Housing Displacement meeting Aug. 28  
Kristy's days at each school: M/FR-NHS, T/TH-NIS, W-NPS  
Mattresses to family Aug. 24