Accomplishments

Cairo College and Career Academy Completes Training

The Cairo High School College and Career Academy Board of Directors completed state mandated governance training. All members are required to complete training in roles, responsibilities, supervision, management, strategic planning, finance, reporting, articles of incorporation and bylaws.

Executive Committee Review

Archway Partnership Operations Coordinator Dr. Sue Chapman facilitated a “review” meeting of the Grady County Archway Partnership Executive Committee. The purpose of the meeting was to look back over the past three years to celebrate accomplishments, reflect upon challenges and to begin to seek out new opportunities going forward.

Ongoing Efforts

Teen Pregnancy Prevention Work Group

The new Teen Pregnancy Prevention Issue Work Group has been collecting pregnancy and health related data, community resources, as well as identifying stakeholders to be invited into the initiative. This work group addresses the community goal of both prevention and improving pre-natal access to services and care. Archway utilized its spring Public Service & Outreach Student Scholar Annie Chow to assist in collecting data and identifying resources to assist with the initiative.

Cairo Train Depot Re-Design

Progress continues in the interior re-design of the City of Cairo Train Depot. This project is collaboration between the City of Cairo, Archway Partnership Downtown Issue Work Group and the Lamar Dodd School of Art and is an action item in the downtown renaissance plan.

College and Career Academy Continues Progress

The Education/Business & Industry Issue Work Group continues to focus on the Cairo High School College and Career Academy. The major activity this month was continuing to identify business and industry partners who could actively participate in the 17 CCA curriculum pathways through site visits, provide content expertise, on-the-job training, internships for students, externships for instructors, job-shadowing, material donations and/or other resources. This initiative enhances student learning opportunities and local work-force development.
Looking Forward

Cairo DDA Training

The City of Cairo Downtown Development Authority (DDA) will host a regional training for DDA members needing the state required training.

Youth FitFest

The Archway Partnership Community Health and Wellness Issue Work Group will host the third annual Youth FitFest as a strategy to address childhood obesity.