

# HYFS NEWS AND HIGHLIGHTS

A MONTHLY NEWSLETTER FROM HOLLISTON YOUTH AND FAMILY SERVICES

## Current Happenings at HYFS

### Counseling Program

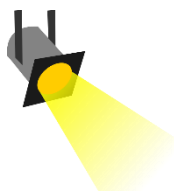
Did you know we provide **FREE** confidential services, individual, group and family counseling, parent consultation, crisis intervention and support, information and referral, Advocacy, Court Diversion, Community Education, Programs, activities and more!

### Court Diversion

The Court Diversion Program offers an alternative path to prosecution for first time youth offenders. **To learn more visit: [Court Diversion Program](#)**

### Interface Referral

Short-term, solution focused therapeutic approach to supporting families in the therapeutic referral process.



## SPOTLIGHT ON...

### Hiring, recruiting, and our growing program!



It gives me great pleasure to introduce myself as the new program director at Holliston Youth and Family Services. I feel very privileged to have been appointed by the selectman this month, and I look forward to serving this wonderful town.

Check out our website at [www.townofholliston.us/youth-and-family-services](http://www.townofholliston.us/youth-and-family-services). To learn more about me, and the services we offer! ~Jackie

### JOB OPENING AT HYFS

**Court Diversion Coordinator/Community Therapist.** Must be licensed as a LMHC, LCSW, or LICSW.

Potential for full time work with benefits, pension, and generous time off! Resumes can be sent to [winerj@holliston.k12.ma.us](mailto:winerj@holliston.k12.ma.us)





**To learn more or to make a referral to one of our programs contact Program Director Jaclyn Winer at Telephone number, 508-429-0620**

### Community Happenings

#### **Holliston Drug and Alcohol Coalition (HDAC)**

What: Join this group from HDAC on the second Tuesday of every month for anyone interested in substance use and prevention strategies When: Second Tuesday of the month at 630pm in the meeting room at the fire station. All are welcome to come! More Info: Visit [HDAC](#) for more information.

#### **S.A.F.E Coalition MA; Healing Hearts Support Group**

What: S.A.F.E. is a coalition of community partners who have come together to provide support, education, treatment options, and coping mechanisms for those affected by substance abuse disorder. When: Every Thursday 7:00 – 8:00pm 2nd floor of the Franklin YMCAT: (508) 570-6996 E:Healingheartscircle@gmail.com

## **OPENING MESSAGE**

### **WELCOME!**

*You are reading the first edition of Holliston Youth and Families Newsletter. In order to get the word out about the array of services we provide we have decided to do a newsletter once a month.*

*In this newsletter you will find information about what's been happening in our department. It's also a good way to stay in touch about what is needed in our schools and community in these ever changing times. If you haven't checked in with us lately I think you will be surprised and excited about all the wonderful things happening every day at our program. We welcome your feedback, and hope you will visit us at our program to learn more!*

*In every issue there will be a 'spotlight' topic to highlight different programming we can offer. In addition we will try to pull in community resources for children and families in need, as well as announcements and upcoming events for students and faculty.*

*If you have any questions, suggestions, or concerns please address them to Jaclyn Winer at [Winerj@holliston.ma.edu.org](mailto:Winerj@holliston.ma.edu.org)*

