

Verona C.H.I.L.D.

Children Having Individual Learning Differences

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Verona School District

What is a SEPAC?

Children Having Individual Learning Differences, Inc. (C.H.I.L.D.) is 501(c)(3) New Jersey non-profit organization that was formed in 2006. It serves as Verona's Special Education Parent Advisory Council (SEPAC). It is a district wide organization created by parents to support the emotional, social and academic well-being of children with special needs. We provide information, educational opportunities, resources, and support to families and professionals striving to achieve the maximum benefit for all children in our community.

VERONA C.H.I.L.L.D Missions:

The Mission of our SEPAC is to be a positive, solution-oriented group focused on being a resource for parents and guardians of students with special needs. The SEPAC provides a forum for parents, guardians, students and the Verona Special Education Department to share information and discuss matters of interest and concern regarding our children.

The SEPAC is made up of parents whose children receive special education services from the Verona School District and serves as a liaison between the Special Education Community and the District Special Services.

VERONA C.H.I.L.L.D Member Roles:

- Promote a network of parents of children with special needs and provide the forum to share information
- Promote communication and programs within the community to encourage understanding, acceptance and inclusion
- Promote collaboration, with the support of Director of Special Service, to empower parents of special education students to become an effective team member in their child's education through flexibility, collaboration, knowledge and effective communication with other team members

How can I get involved with Verona C.H.I.L.L.D.?

Verona C.H.I.L.L.D. is always in need of a helping hand! Please consider volunteering on one of our committees. If you are interested in volunteering, please email us at childverona@gmail.com or fill out our membership application.

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2016-2017 Membership Application

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ (home) _____ (cell)

Email: _____

Membership Type/ Please check one: Parent: ____ Faculty/Staff:

Grade(s) of children: _____ School: _____

I would like to be a C.H.I.L.D. volunteer:

- Grant Writing Committee
- Fundraising Committee
- Outdoor Reading Room Committee
- Workshop Coordinator
- Membership
- Public Relations Writer
- Website Coordinator
- Parent Group Coordinator
- Scholarship Committee
- Circle of Friends Parent Groups
- SAFE Program
- SCA Liaisons:
 - Laning
 - Brookdale
 - Forest
 - FN Brown
 - HBW
 - VHS
 - Preschool

Please return your form to :
Verona CHILD Membership Application
BOE Office

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Verona, NJ 07044