

# CU Cradle2Career

Pathways to Success for Every Student



## Goal Team Monthly Report Goal Team: Workforce Readiness

1. Updates since the last report:
  - a. The Workforce Readiness Team has divided into two groups. One group will be primarily focused on enhancing the efforts of the community's summer youth employment programs. This includes bringing resources to the programs to help train supervisors and coordinating over 25 volunteers who will assist students with the resume development and also reviewing resumes prior to the summer youth employment job fair.
  - b. The second group will begin work to determine what career exploration and experience means for middle schoolers.
  
2. Any assistance you would like to request from the steering committee
  - a. None at this time.
  
3. Other comments
  - a. Mindy Cain has joined the Chamber staff as the new Director of Workforce Readiness and Member Relations. As she gets up to speed, she will take over the more day-to-day functions of the WFR team and will be responsible for keeping the momentum going. This is part of the Chamber's commitment to ownership of the goal group.
  - b. It was noted at the last meeting that due to the participation in the Workforce Readiness Group; the connections made and the conversation – that for the first time, four of the area summer youth employment programs will host a JOINT job fair. We will take small successes where we can get them.

Reported last month: