

COURT and EVENT SCHEDULE

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| 5/2/13 | 9:00 AM | 10-JA-352 | CASAs Ralston/Webster | TPR– Fitness |
| | 11:30 AM | 11-JA-414 | CASAs Green/Keeling | Status |
| | 1:30 PM | 11-JA-126-127,131 | CASA Morrissey | TPR– Adjudication |
| | 3:30 PM | 09-JA-124 | CASA Myrick | TPR– Decision & BI |
| 5/3/13 | 1:30 PM | 11-JA-198 | CASA A. Williams | TPR– Adjudication |
| 5/6/13 | 9:00 AM | 11-JA-123-125 | CASA Marcum | Permanency Review |
| | 10:00 AM | 11-JA-219, 12-JA-92 | CASA Schiller | Permanency Review |
| | | 09-JA-167 | CASA Highland | Permanency Review |
| | 1:30 PM | 10-JA-69, 11-JA-140-144, 11-JA-382 | CASA Shivers | Permanency Review |
| 5/7/13 | 10:00 AM | 10-JA-323-324, 12-JA-100 | CASA Elsberg | Permanency Review |
| | 4:00 PM | 11-J-18 | CASA Borchardt | Status– School |
| | 4:30 PM | 12-J-27 | CASA Meyers | Arraign-ICC Petition |
| | | 11-J-9 | CASA Sargent | Arraign-ICC Petition |
| 5/8/13 | 9:00 AM | 08-JA-381-382, 384 | CASA Aldridge | TPR-Adjudication |
| 5/9/13 | 11:30 AM | 13-JA-56 | CASA Young | Final Pre-Trial Conf |
| | 3:30 PM | 12-JA-258, 260, 262 | CASA Schwenk | Review |
| | | 12-JA-343 | CASA Schwenk | Review |
| | 4:30 PM | 10-J-26, 11-J-25 | CASA McKinney | Status– School |
| 5/10/13 | 8:30 AM | 12-JA-320 | CASA Baker | Status |
| | 4:00 PM | 11-JA-98 | CASA Sehr | Status– School |
| | | 11-J-21 | CASA Fierz | Status– School |
| | | 12-J-24-25 | CASA Esmond | Status– School |
| | | 12-J-45 | CASA Sejdini | Status– School |
| | | 12-J-28 | | Status-School |
| 5/13/13 | 10:00 AM | 09-JA-118 | CASA Colletti | Permanency Review |
| | 1:30 PM | 11-JA-336 | CASA Rutz | Review-Closure |
| | 3:30 PM | 12-JA-439 | CASA Hartman | Adjudication |
| 5/14/13 | 11:00 AM | 12-JA-53, 12-JA-280-281 | CASA Kickertz | Status– School |
| | 2:30 PM | 08-JA-290-295 | CASA Wing | Permanency Review |
| | 3:30 PM | 10-JA-418-420 | CASA Mitchell | Permanency Review |
| | 4:00 PM | 09-JA-345-347, 10-JA-60 | CASA E. Leslie | Permanency Review |
| | | 12-J-6 | CASA Hopper | Status– School |
| 5/15/13 | 9:00 AM | 08-JA-213-216 | CASAs Sensel/Vining | TPR– Decision |
| | 11:30 AM | 12-JA-198 | CASA Young | Status– School |
| | 1:30 PM | 11-JA-384, 381 | CASAs Lund/Griswold | TPR– Arraign/Pretrial |
| 5/16/13 | 10:00AM | 13-JA-134-139 | | Cont. Shelter Care |
| | 1:30 PM | 10-JA-195-197, 11-JA-179 | CASA G. Williams | TPR– Adjudication |
| 5/17/13 | 11:00 AM | 08-JA-283 | CASA Nelson/Woods | TPR– FPTC |
| | 3:30 PM | 11-J-29, 12-J-3 | CASA Fierz | Permanency Review |
| 5/20/13 | 9:00 AM | 12-JA-125-126, 133 | CASAs Fausett/Whitesel | Status– Family Case |
| | 11:00 AM | 10-JA-440 | CASA Schaal | Status- School |
| 5/21/13 | 9:00 AM | 12-JA-369 | CASA A. Williams | Permanency Review |
| | | 08-JA-40 | CASA Schultz | Status |
| | 10:00 AM | 12-JA-341 | CASA Hoople | Review |
| | 1:30 PM | 09-JA-432 | CASA Elsberg | Status-F case & Closure |
| | | 10-JA-355-358 | CASA Schneider | Permanency Review |
| | 3:30 PM | 09-JA-161, 306, 12-JA-55-56 | CASAs Cooper/Cooper | Status |
| | 4:30 PM | 12-JA-205-206 | CASA Hopper | Permanency Review |
| 5/22/13 | 1:30 PM | 13-JA-129-131 | CASAs Laird/Timmerman | Pre-Trial Conference |
| | 4:30 PM | 12-J-18 | CASA Cameron | Status– School |
| 5/23/13 | 9:00 AM | 11-JA-311 | CASA Hartman | TPR– Adjudication |
| | 3:00 PM | 13-JA-55 | CASA Nunez | Adjudication |
| | 4:00 PM | 13-JA-56 | CASA Young | Adjudication |

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| Court and Event Schedule, Cont'd | | | | | |
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| 5/24/13 | 4:00 PM | 10-J-19 | CASA Pickett | Status- School | |
| | | 12-J-37 | CASA Turner | Status- School | |
| 5/28/13 | 2:30 PM | 06-JA-25-27, 07-JA-297 | CASA Pugliese | Permanency Review | |
| | 4:00 PM | 10-JA-211-212 | CASA Meyers | Permanency Review | |
| | 4:30 PM | 12-JA-221 | | Rule to Show Cause | |
| 5/29/13 | 8:00 AM | 12-JA-417-418 | CASA Axon | Adjudication | |
| | 1:30 PM | 08-JA-205, 207-209, 09-JA-166 | CASA Snyder | Permanency Review | |
| 5/30/13 | 8:00 AM | 12-JA-417-418 | CASA Axon | Adjudication | |
| 5/31/13 | 8:30 AM | 10-JA-54 | CASA Searle | Motion | |
| | | 10-JA-149, 11-JA-132 | CASA Ingle | Status- Appeal | |

STATISTICS

A sincere THANK YOU to all of our CASA advocates who continue to serve their children and the CASA program. Your contribution in hours and miles for April, 2013, total:

170.75 hours 1165 miles
Great Work CASAs!

From Your Rep:


Happy May Day to all! If you are my age, you remember making little baskets, filling them with candy and leaving them on doorsteps anonymously. Ahh those were the days.

This past weekend was the annual CASA dinner/auction. It was a wonderful event, having the largest turnout yet. The Honorable Judge Green was the speaker. She did a wonderful job of expressing how important CASA's are to the court. She made me remember why I became an advocate.

May 17th is the Illinois CASA conference. I will be attending along with some other board members. I am sure you could still attend, if interested. We are looking forward to bringing back ideas and information to share with CASA's and other board members.

As always, thank you so much for your advocacy. YOU DO MAKE A DIFFERENCE.

Joan
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CASA BIRTHDAYS

To the following CASA advocates and friends who will be celebrating an May birthday:

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!

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| <i>Robin Griswold</i> | 5/1 | <i>Cynthia Frank</i> | 5/14 |
| 2 years | | New CASA | |
| <i>Elaine Leslie</i> | 5/2 | <i>Arlene Williams</i> | 5/15 |
| 3 years | | 8 years | |
| <i>Pat Marshall</i> | 5/2 | <i>Kathy Donnelly</i> | 5/21 |
| 12 years | | 20 years | |
| <i>Karen Baker</i> | 5/3 | <i>Rachel Schultz</i> | 5/26 |
| 2 years | | 2 years | |
| <i>Kathy Vining</i> | 5/3 | <i>Taryn Marko</i> | 5/28 |
| 13 years | | 2 years | |
| <i>Peter Damby</i> | 5/14 | <i>Sara Mulvain</i> | 5/30 |
| New CASA | | 10 years | |

The CASA Luggage Drive was a HUGE SUCCESS! Rock Valley College's Human Service Club did a phenomenal job in collecting 1500 pieces of luggage, including suitcases, duffel bags and backpacks. CASA and Rock Valley College were completely overwhelmed with our communities generosity.

THANK YOU for continuing to give to our children.

All 1500 pieces of luggage were donated to DCFS, the Juvenile Probation Dept, Youth Services Network, and the local homeless shelters.

THANKS !!!

We want to thank and recognize the following CASAs and Board members who turned in a timesheet last month. We appreciate your extra effort!

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| Raegan Caras-Hill | Lauria Johnson |
| Melissa Clements | Marilyn Kloepfer |
| Sharon Cooper | Elaine Leslie |
| Audrey Engelbrecht | Faye Marcus |
| Leslie Erickson | Kathy McCarty |
| Wendi Fosberg | Jo Marie Montalbano |
| Mary Kay Garganera | Fred Muehlfelder |
| Mike Groncki | Tina Nunez |
| Darlene Hanna | Sheila Sensel |
| Barbara Havens-Shirk | Al Siegener |
| Carrie Holmes | Joan Young |
| Colleen Hughes | |

We also want to **thank** and **recognize** the CASAs who closed a case during the month of April. A CASA's dedication to the children they represent is greatly appreciated, and we are confident that efforts on behalf of these children will reap many benefits for them in the future. They are:

Paula Anderson
Don Bondick
Morris Harms
Marge Malachowski

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Happy May Everyone! Wasn't it lovely to have a few days of sunshine and hot weather? I sure hope there is more of that to come! Speaking of nicer weather, now is an excellent time to take your CASA kids out for a walk, play outside with them, or just sit on the porch and see what's going on with them after this long winter. We've all got a bit of spring fever so use this to your advantage when you have your monthly face to face visit.

The CASA office has welcomed another new face! Kellie Hartman has joined the team as our Recruitment, Training, and Retention Coordinator. Please give her a warm welcome the next time you are in the office. Her role will be to provide you all with on-going trainings to keep you current on the topics that we deal with on our cases. Kellie is also a CASA and is currently working with three children.



We are MOVING!! As of May 20, 2013 the CASA Office will be located in the new Juvenile Justice Center, 211 S. Court Street, formerly the US Federal building. We are really excited about the move! All of our phone numbers and email addresses will stay the same.

Please come visit us at our new office space soon!