



## Sparks City Council September 11, 2017

Keeping Children Safe & Families Together

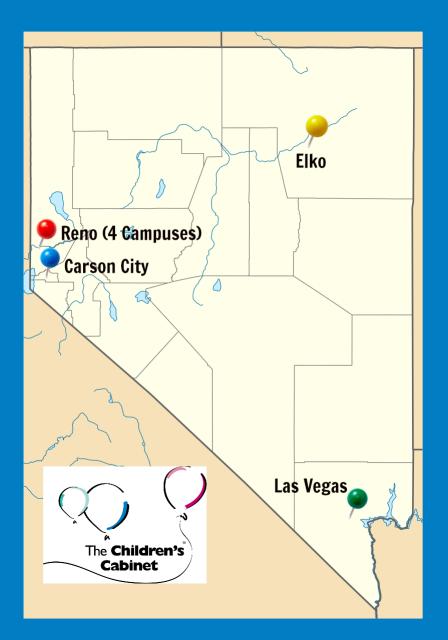
"We make a living by what we get. We make a life by what we give." ~ Winston Churchill

For over 30 years The Children's Cabinet has provided assistance to over 11,000 families throughout Nevada with programs and services including:

- Resources & Referrals
  - Family Counseling
- Educational Programs
- Assistance with Basic Needs

Free and Available to All Families





#### Programs and Campuses throughout Nevada

- Supporting Early Education & Development (SEED)
- Childcare Navigation
- Parent and Provider Training and Workshops
- Face Forward and Youth Work Experience Programs
- Safe Place
- Redfield Academy
- Transitional Living Center and Independent Living Program

# 2017 Opening of the Center for Aspiring Youth and Cottage of Change

Located at 480 Galletti Way, Sparks, Nevada





# **CAY Grand Opening Celebration**





- Opened family-friendly living environment for youth ages 12 to 24
- 16 beds in the CAY for Safe Place , 8 in the Cottage of Change 4 male/4 female)
- 200 community leaders, board members, public partners and friends of the Cabinet attended the Grand Opening Celebration and Tours on February 1, 2017



### Teen and Young Adult Programs

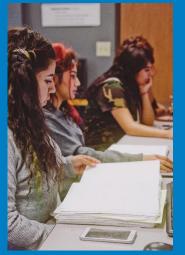


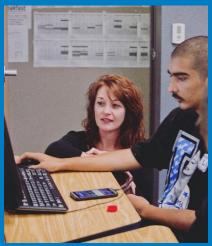






# **Redfield Academy**







- 40 students enrolled currently with full waiting list to enroll
- 2017 graduation class largest in school history, included 4 juniors graduating early, and 4 taking the HiSET
- Donations in 2016 purchased 30 classroom computers for the school, plus upgraded all software
- 2017 AOC raised \$96K for continued expansion, to purchase new bus and driver, continue to upgrade classrooms and fund out-of-classroom experiences



# **Community Support**



# **Events Throughout the Year**



#### Children's Day



Holiday Adopt-A-Family & Community Toy Table



Shopping with the Sheriff



Food Pantry and Donation Collection



**Balloon Races** 

