### SEAAEYC FY23 ANNUAL REPORT

Expanding services to families, early educators, and community partners.

#### SUPPORTING FAMILIES

SEAAEYC directly reaches families through the Parents As Teachers (PAT) program. PAT is a home visiting program which pairs a parent educator with parents of children prenatal through age three, to increase parent knowledge of early childhood development.

The Juneau PAT program employed 3 full time and 1 part time home visitors.

PAT home visitors completed 694 personal visits and reached 110 children across 85 families in Juneau, Hoonah, and Yakutat.



#### SUPPORTING EARLY EDUCATORS



SEAAEYC works to improve the quality, availability, and affordability of child care in Juneau by distributing monthly operating stipends to child care businesses, biannual merit-based monetary awards for child care workers, and paid professional development opportunities.

SEAAEYC partnered to host a spring CDA Academy, supporting 15 educators to obtain the credential. In March, 198 educators from 16 communities attended the SEAAEYC annual early learning symposium.

SEAAEYC opened a child care start-up and expansion grant to encourage capacity growth.

#### COMMUNITY COLLABORATION

SEAAEYC houses and supports the Partnerships for Families & Children (PFC). PFC is Juneau's early childhood coalition made of 16 non-profit and state agencies working to provide all Juneau families with young children access to community resources that support their health, growth, and development.

SEAAEYC supports the monthly distribution of the Juneau Parent Bulletin, which reaches 2,110 individuals, organizes Family Turf Events, hosts Parenting Classes, manages the Diaper Bank, and coordinates Dolly Parton's Imagination Library in Southeast Alaska.



SEAAEYC HAS BEEN SERVING EARLY EDUCATORS, FAMILIES, AND COMMUNITY MEMBERS SINCE 1982.

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#### SUPPORTING FAMILIES

## through PARENTS AS TEACHERS

"As a first time mother,
I'm finding out that
knowledge is power.
Having the support
and additional
information about
things to do with him
helps me to be a more
confident parent."

#### 14 EVENING GROUP CONNECTIONS

297 adults

240 children

42 DAYTIME PLAYGROUP EVENTS

221 adults

318 children

71%

PAT FAMILIES
PARTICIPATED
IN EVENTS
BEYOND
PERSONAL
VISITS.



PAT home visitors served 85 families, with an average caseload of 24 families per full time staff. There was a 24% increase in families served per full time staff since FY22.



#### **INCREASE IN CHILDREN SERVED**

PAT home visitors served 110 children, with an average caseload of 31 children per full time staff. There was a 29% increase in children served per full time staff since FY22.



17%

DEVELOPMENTAL, HEARING, AND VISION SCREENINGS NOTED DELAYS

PAT home visitors provided 147 screenings. Hearing & vision delays were noted in 2 children, and developmental delays were noted in 23 children. Children identified with delays are referred to specialists.



#### SUPPORTING EDUCATORS

# PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

#### AVERAGE MONTHLY ENROLLMENT

118 infant & toddler

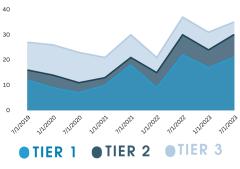
44 RECIEVING ASSISTANCE

CHILD CARE OPERATING **STIPEND** \$384,775 dispersed PRESCHOOL

INFANT & TODDLER

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Enrollment in licensed child care programs remained relatively stable despite permanent closure of one center & one temporary center closure.



Early educators receiving the HEARTS award have shown steady increase since prior to the onset of COVID-19.

#### HEARTS INITIATIVE \$171,500 awarded

EDUCATORS PROCEIVED AWARDS

#### \$50,000

GIVEN TO EARLY EDUCATORS TO HONOR THEIR TIME TO ENGAGE IN PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT ACTIVITIES. ACTIVITIES RANGED FROM UNIVERSITY COURSES TO CONTINUING EDUCATION TRAINING.

#### SEAAEYC EARLY LEARNING Symposium

**INCREASE IN ATTENDEES** 

198 educators attended

the SEAAEYC annual early

learning symposium.

100%
INCREASE IN COMMUNITIES

Early educators from 16
Alaskan communities
attended the symposium



SEAAEYC collaborated with individuals from 24 different agencies.

HOURS OF
TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE
AND MENTORING
PROVIDED TO 6 EDUCATORS
FROM 4 CHILD CARE CENTERS

43 MENTORING SESSIONS PROVIDED TO EDUCATORS FROM NOVEMBER TO JUNE.



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#### SUPPORTING JUNEAU





12 PRESCHOOL FAMILY NIGHTS

826 adults

871 children

21,846 JUNEAU PARENT **BULLETINS EMAILED ACROSS 10 MAILINGS** 

**BOOKS DISTRIBUTED TO** 15,056 BOOKS DISTRIBUTED TO CHILDREN, BIRTH TO AGE 5, ACROSS SOUTHEAST AK.

CHILDFREN ENROLLED IN DOLLY PARTON'S **IMAGINATION LIBRARY** 





PARTNER ACENCIES ACCESS THE DIAPER BANK AS A RESOURCE FOR

DIAPERS DISTRIBUTED TO FAMILIES ON

**FAMILIES ATTENDED CLASSES HOSTED BY** 

PARENTING CLASSES, REACHING 35 ADULTS.

FAMILY, FRIEND, AND NEIGHBOR CARE PROVIDERS REACHED







SEAAEYC opened its new onsite playroom for partner agencies to use with the families they serve.