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Greetings Everyone,

I would like to say a special thank you to the panel of compassionate, professional, champions of Children who spoke to us on the heart wrenching topic of Child Abuse and Trauma: **Dominique Mack Collins**, Community Services Director Coastal Georgia Area Community Action Authority; **LaTanya Roberts**, Program Director Glynn Safe Harbor Children's Advocacy Center & **Connie Smith**, Rape Crisis Center; **Kathryn Munro**; Behavioral Health Counselor Coastal Community Health Services. These champions of children brought to our attention the unfortunate statistics of childhood trauma in our community. Fortunately, the great news is that now more than ever there are more resources available to help unveil these cases of abuse and neglect. Please do not hesitate to reach out to them if you have any questions and/or concerns about Child Abuse or Neglect.

Memories from our April 11th Luncheon:



Guest Speakers: Kathryn Munro, Connie Smith, Dominique Mack Collins, LaTanya Roberts

Everyone I spoke with expressed delight in the new "buffet style", so we will continue the buffet for the May 11th luncheon. We can choose from several popular menu options, including desert and a drink (Tea, Lemonade or Water) for one low price.



Audience Members



Roxane George, Reading the Mission Statement



Donna Bassett, Giving Membership Update



Diane Knight, Giving International Festival Update



New members: Marie and Melissa



presenting Certificates of Appreciation to speakers

Hope to see you at our next gathering!

LaTanya Abbott-Austin
Board President

MEMBER EVENT ANNOUNCEMENTS

Our **Third Annual Members Appreciation Party** is Sunday, May 5th, 2019. All active members should have received an Evite. If you have not, please call or text LaTanya at 912.996.1111 right away. Very Important, please **RSVP By May 1**, so that we can plan accordingly.

Join us on Saturday, May 11th for our **Unity in Diversity Luncheon at Island Jerk Shack, 5719 Altama Avenue, Brunswick. Remember this will be our last Luncheon until September.** The theme in May will be in observance of the **65th Anniversary of Brown vs The Board of**

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