



# CASA

Court Appointed Special Advocates  
FOR CHILDREN



## August 2021 Newsletter

**Adams, Brown, Cass, Hancock, Morgan, Pike, Schuyler**

### Topic One

We are offering informational meetings via zoom on:

**Aug 19, 2021 05:30 PM**

Please share with anyone you know that is interested!

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83296112211>

Dial by your location

+1 312 626 6799 US

Meeting ID: 832 9611 2211

### Topic Two

**It's back to school time!**

Find out what school and teacher the children in your case have. This will help to keep in touch with the teacher and stay up to date on their progress in school for the year!



### Topic Three



- 2- Teresa Kuchling
- 4-Amy Wiley
- 9-David Elschlager
- 14-Julie Bruninga
- 18-Dale Runyon
- 19-Cynthia Wort
- 22- Dan Brink
- 24-Kelsey Houghton
- 29-Becky Dimmick

**Enjoy Your Day!!**

### August 5<sup>th</sup> Pike County

Learn & Grow

Topic: TBD

@ United Methodist Church

Pittsfield, IL

5:30pm

### August 10<sup>th</sup> Adams County

In-Service

Topic: Movie Instant Family

1739 Harrison St.

Hope Lutheran Church

5:00-7:30pm

## AUGUST events

### August 16<sup>th</sup>

#### Hancock County

Volunteer Meet & Greet

@ The Hancock Co. CASA

Office

5:30-6:30pm

### August 17<sup>th</sup>

#### Morgan County

Monthly Volunteer Meeting

Presbyterian Church

Library Jacksonville, IL

10:30am-11:30am

### August 25<sup>th</sup> Brown/Schuyler/ Cass County

Topic: Midwest Youth Services

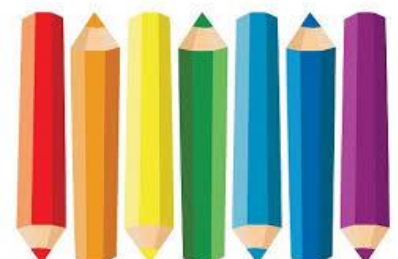
@ First Evangelical

Lutheran Church

Beardstown, IL

& via zoom

4:00pm



Many children in your cases will be going to a new school this fall. For some it may be due to just starting school for the first time and for others it may be due to changing placements. For some children this may be the 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, etc, new school they have experienced.

It is hard to start over at a new school, the child may not know anyone and worry about making friends.

To ease their minds about the worries they are facing at a new school, try talking to them about the positives of school.

**Here are some questions to ask to help make school a positive conversation:**



**What makes you smile at school?**

**What is your favorite activity to do at school?**

**What is your favorite school lunch so far?**

**What is something you already learned since school started?**

**Who do you talk to a lot at school?**

**Are there any clubs or sports you are wanting to do?**

