



FOSTERING  
connections



NOW OPEN

1ST SATURDAY  
OF THE MONTH  
10AM - 2PM



DONATION OF THE  
MONTH:

KIDS CLOTHES  
3T TO 10 YEARS



### WORD FROM OUR EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Just as all non-profits do, we rely on the generosity of the communities we serve to help us realize our mission. Various forms of donations come in each and every day - clothes, shoes, toys, checks, grants, books, hygiene products, and more. We cannot thank you enough for your support!

As expected, our needs vary from season to season. As summer approaches, we are in need of specific donations such as clothing (biggest needs are size 3t boys and girls clothes), sunscreen, and outdoor toys (sidewalk chalk, bubbles, games, jump ropes, water tables, etc). As a helpful reminder, donations need to be new or gently loved, and be appropriate for children in foster care to obtain and use (all personal hygiene products and undergarment donations need to be brand new). All donations can be dropped off Tuesdays and Thursdays between 9:00a - 5:00p. We appreciate your support!

Forever connecting hearts,

Chris Siemens,  
Executive Director

### BY THE NUMBERS APRIL 2021

229

Children Served

43

New Children

FORWARD

50th Education Conference

NATIONAL FOSTER PARENT ASSOCIATION  
50TH EDUCATIONAL CONFERENCE!

The NFPA is excited to announce their 50th Education Conference that will be hosted virtually June. 24-26 this year. Generous sponsors have made it possible for everyone to register at the member price of \$99.

Register: [HERE](#)

CHECK OUT OUR  
NEW COMMERCIAL!

You  
Tube



### A BIG THANKS TO ALL OUR PARTNERS DURING THE MONTH OF MAY!

Touchstone Crystal: Kelli Brown  
Hurts Donut Tulsa: Round Up Tips  
Tulsa Chamber: Bus Ribbon Cutting  
Tulsa Threat Women's Tackle Football  
Big Whiskey: Give Back Night  
Tulsa Parks and Recreation  
Smitty's Garage: Give Back Night  
What-a-Burger: Gift Package  
Discovery Lab: Passes for Prizes  
Undies for Everyone: Donation  
- Click each one for more info -



With the launch of our new Mobile Connections Bus, we are now able to serve rural Tulsa, Okmulgee, Osage, Wagoner, Rogers and Creek Counties. This program is made possible through an Innovation Grant with the Tulsa Area United Way!

Click [HERE](#) to sign up and see when and where the bus will be during the month of June.



Laura Bullock is a retired Special Educator. During her 27-year career, Laura worked with & advocated for children in Pre-K through 12th grade.

She is delighted to be working with Fostering Connections, which allows her to continue supporting children and families who foster.

She has two adult children of her own, Joe and Molly. She enjoys her active lifestyle which includes lots of time outdoors: gardening, walking her friend, Carl, riding her bike, rollerblading, & climbing.

### BOARD SPOTLIGHT: LAURA BULLOCK



*"I love Fostering Connections because of the generous care and support they provide Tulsa area children in foster families."*