



**NGCP Collaborative Leadership Teams  
Community Meeting  
Chat Transcript, January 9, 2019**

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Erin Hogeboom: Hello and thank you for joining us for the first NGCP Leads and Leadership Team members community meeting of 2019! Please introduce yourself here in the chat and participate in the check-in question: What is one highlight from your holiday, and what is one goal for your Collaborative in 2019?

Barbie Little: Barbie Little West Virginia Statewide Afterschool Network

Kathy Thomas: Hi everyone! Kathy from The Connectory here.

Tracey Zelden with Core Element: Hello. My name is Tracey Zelden I am with Core Element, the new Louisiana agent.

Tracey Zelden with Core Element: Thank you.

Liz Ferguson: Hey All, Liz Ferguson here from Expanding Your Horizons of SD

Gina Carter: Hello! Gina Carter from the NGCP team as well as the TxGCP team! Highlight from the holiday was a snowy trip to a little town in Eastern Washington. Goal for TXGCP is consistent and organized communication!

Suzi Taylor, Montana: Hi from Montana! Suzi Taylor at Montana State University and the Montana Girls STEM Collaborative. Highlight: Escape room! Goal: Mini-grant program!

Tricia Berry: Tricia Berry, Texas Girls Collaborative Project & UT Austin Women in Engineering Program: 1 Holiday Highlight - got my freezer stocked with crockpot-ready stuff to get my family to spring break; 1 Goal for TxGCP - quarterly meet-ups in Houston & San Antonio (already doing in Austin)

Timothy Fowler: Timothy Fowler, Network for Youth Success, NY STEAM Girls Collaborative. One highlight: family time with my nephews (5 and 3 y.o.). Goal: Grow our Champions Board.

Karen Peterson: Welcome everyone! My highlight is seeing the magic of the season through the eyes of a 2 1/2-year-old!

Tracey Zelden with Core Element: Our goal for 2019 is to get involved and learn more with NGCP and collaborate as we open our new GNO STEM Central

Beth Bowles: Board member of the Discovery Center of Springfield, MO, and Director of Girl Infinity here as an observer.

Barbie Little: One highlight from my holiday was having all 3 of my children home for the holidays, one goal is to increase knowledge about programs we have available to afterschool programs

Dawn Hunter: Dawn Hunter TxGCP with Texas Advanced Computing Center, University of Texas at Austin. Spending time with friends and family was a highlight from the break and I hope to get more involved in 2019 with TxGCP

Nhu Tran: Nhu Tran, San Diego Gas & Electric Community Relations, Inspiring Future Leaders, STEM Advocate #SDGEgiving #BeThatGirl

Dale McCreedy: Dale McCreedy - Tn Girls Collaborative. Enjoyed having my family together after my first fall as an empty nester. 2019 is going to be a big restart of TnNGP as we take the helm.

Katelyn Wamsted: Katelyn Wamsted, TxGCP & Girlstart. Holiday Highlight - my 1 yr old learned to walk!

Colleen Smith: Colleen Smith, PAGCP. Holiday Highlight: Breathing room with family and friends.

Gina Carter: So fun, Katelyn!

Rita Karl: Rita Karl, SciGirls, excited to share our recent work. Highlight: Seeing New York City at Christmas and old-fashioned proposals on the rink at Rockefeller Center.

Lou Papai: Hello all!

Erin Hogeboom: Hi Lou! Welcome!

Erin Hogeboom: Thank you all for being on the call today. Should you have any questions, please feel free to type them here, and I will field them to our presenters.

Suzi Taylor, Montana: confidence, curiosity

Barbie Little: curiosity

Dale McCreedy: Just wanted to share 13 perspectives on STEM ID posted on: <http://www.informalscience.org/news-views/13-viewpoints-stem-identity>

Erin Hogeboom: Great--thanks for sharing, Dale!

Rita Karl: Thanks Dale!

Dale McCreedy: Heidi Carlone & Edna Tan (both mentioned by Barb) two of the videos (and full disclosure - me too).

Erin Hogeboom: Any questions or reactions to what Brenda's presented so far?

Nhu Tran: I work in the energy field and we need more girls! It's a male dominated field...

Nhu Tran: And we welcome more diversity too.

Erin Hogeboom: Nhu, are you trying anything so far in terms of attracting more girls? Maybe others on the call can make some suggestions about what they're doing--plus you'll see some great ideas in the question chats!

Erin Hogeboom: Feel free to continue the conversation started in the question chat here!

Karen Peterson: Here is this link: <https://implicit.harvard.edu/implicit/selectatest.html>

Colleen Smith: Thanks.

Brenda Britsch: We have additional resources we can share with you Colleen.

Colleen Smith: Thanks, Brenda.

Karen Peterson: We can send them out with the recording to all.

Colleen Smith: Perfect.

Katelyn Wamsted: If there are resources that could be used to incorporate being more culturally responsive within trainings with staff would be helpful.

Karen Peterson: Katelyn - we will include those - there are!

Katelyn Wamsted: Perfect.

Gina Carter: Here is the full schedule: <http://ngcproject.org/2019-national-mentoring-month-ngcp-schedule-of-activities>

Gina Carter: Including links to the twitter chat and webinar!

Colleen Smith: Challenge: Funder has "encouraged" us to switch from an all-girls summer STEAM camp to a kids' summer camp. I could use guidance on managing a mixed gender camp in a way that will help girls to feel most welcome, to develop their STEM identity, etc. without alienating boys or turning it in to girls vs boys event. Perhaps following the techniques, we know for girls will be enough, but I'm open to help.

Karen Peterson: Join our Twitter Chat!

Kathy Thomas: Twitter Chats are fun!

Tricia Berry: Colleen: you can still have all female role models, etc. :)

Karen Peterson: Colleen - Tricia has great advice for this.

Gina Carter:<http://ngcproject.org/design-squad-global-inventing-green-engage-kids-in-hands-on-engineering-around-sustainability>

Gina Carter: Strategies for Mentoring Girls in STEM: <http://ngcproject.org/national-mentoring-month-strategies-for-mentoring-girls-in-stem>

Karen Peterson: Here's our Board: <http://ngcproject.org/girls-advisory-board>

Colleen Smith: Is there a full bibliography for the research listed today? I'd like to dig further. Perhaps the authors' names will be enough...?

Karen Peterson: Thanks everyone for joining us!

Rita Karl: Colleen - yes, we can share.

Colleen Smith: Excellent, all! Thank you!

Gina Carter: Thank you!!

Brenda Britsch: We can provide a list

Rachel Kessler: Thank you so much everyone! What great resources and research! a full bibliography would be great!

Timothy Fowler: Awesome-- I love that we will get a bibliography :D

Tricia Berry: Thanks everyone!

Liz Ferguson: Thank you all!! This was great!

Timothy Fowler: THANK YOU this was wonderful!