



BigCountryCASA
Court Appointed Special Advocates
FOR CHILDREN

CASA BUZZ

FEBRUARY 2022

Could You Survive a Month in Foster Care?

A group of community members and partnering agencies are hosting a "Greater Abilene Foster Care Simulation – Could You Survive a Month in Foster Care?" that allows participants to experience some of the challenges our children in care, foster families and related professionals face during a case.

Free Event to the public.

Registration required @

<https://beltway.org/foster-care-simulation/>



**A FOSTER CARE
SIMULATION**

Foster Care RESOURCE FAIR!!

Please join us for a foster care resource fair open to all foster families, child welfare agencies, and community members.

This event will take place in the **SOUTH FOYER** at Beltway Park South on February 21st from 12- 2:30 p.m.

We will host information booths from 25+ community resources for our local foster families and associated parties.

The Toasted Traveler and Tacolote will be available for purchase.

Please join us at the
"Foster Care Resource Fair."
This will be a wonderful way to explore all of the resources that Abilene has to offer the child welfare community!

Hope needs a helping hand



Come see us at the annual Farm and Ranch Expo! CASA will have an information booth generously donated by ARROW Ford!

Upcoming Events

Foster Care Simulation and Resource Fair

February 21 @ Beltway South

Prospective Volunteer Info Meet via Zoom

February 24 @ 9 a.m.

Recruitment Event @ CASA Offices

March 1, 2022 at 5:30 p.m.



Quote of the month:

"BE THE CHANGE THAT
YOU WISH TO SEE IN THE
WORLD."

— MAHATMA GANDHI

CASA Tip:

Remember to ALWAYS 'CC' your supervisor on all your CASA emails! This will help them stay up to date on your case, and give them direct access to assist you if needed!

Book Club!!!!

Big Country CASA announces the start of our Book Club! We will meet quarterly to discuss a designated book. This is a great opportunity to connect with others in our CASA community and promote meaningful discussions. You may even use this as a CEU! Each book gives you 2 credit hours and you can do this twice in a calendar year! The book for the first quarter is *Atlas of the Heart* by Brene Brown. You can purchase your book on Amazon or at your favorite book retailer.

March 15, 2022 @ 5:30

CASA Offices

