

Robin Triplett

I am the former director of the Children's Council and have worked with Robin for over 5 years as a parent educator with Parents as Teachers. Robin commits herself 100% to the families she is serving by connecting them with needed resources, giving parenting and educational support, and help with everything from getting a drivers license to securing housing to going to the pediatrician with a new mother. Robin cares so much and has been serving mothers and families for more than 20 years here in Watauga County.

Robin brings a unique perspective to her work with Parents as Teacher since she is a Doula. As a Doula she begins working with pregnant moms and is there for them during the entire labor and delivery. This is helpful for all that have received her support but most especially the young teen mothers that have no other forms of support greatly benefit. Robin is on call day and night and never works a traditional 9-5 schedule. She never works just 40 hours either- she is always putting the needs of the families ahead of her own.

Robin cares deeply that each of the children she serves also have safe secure homes. She is able to garner volunteers and donated supplies to help out when needed. She also is sure that each family receives a visit from Santa. Each year she connects businesses with families in need to provide Christmas gifts, dinner, gas or any other items a family may need.

I highly recommend Robin Triplett receive the Great Friend to Families award! She emulates what it means to truly care for others and every day makes our community a better place to live for families.

--Jennifer Wilson-Kearse