Franklin & Grand Isle Counties

A SECOND LOCATION OPENS POSSIBILITIES FOR MORE CHILDREN

Lisa LaBelle is a member of Let’s Grow Kids Early Childhood Educator Leadership Circle and owner of ABC Academy, a high-quality child care program. Lisa opened ABC Academy’s first location in Milton, VT in 2013, and decided to open a second location in St. Albans upon hearing about a large program closing there. Lisa worked closely with Let’s Grow Kids and the State, as well as key Franklin County stakeholders to open in St. Albans.

Lisa has been able to meet the emergent need in St Albans by expanding and offering high-quality child care to 14 infants and toddlers and 15 preschoolers.

“Access to affordable child care is the foundation of equity in our community, state, and nation. It allows people of all races, genders, and socio-economic levels to participate fully in the workforce and society.”

RICKY KLEIN
Co-Founder & Head Brewer
Groennfell Meadery | St. Albans City

“Thank you for your yes vote on H.171 in Franklin County!”

SENATORS:
Randy Brock
Corey Parent

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Eileen Dickinson
James Gregoire
Lisa Hango
Felisha Leffler
Paul Martin
Michael McCarthy
Barbara Murphy
Robert Norris
Carl Rosenquist
Brian K. Savage
Casey Toof

“Thank you for your yes vote on H.171 in Grand Isle County!”

SENATOR:
Dick Mazza

REPRESENTATIVES:
Leland Morgan
Michael Morgan

FRANKLIN & GRAND ISLE COUNTIES BY THE NUMBERS

CHILDREN LIKELY TO NEED CARE:
• 933 Infants
• 506 Toddlers
• 981 Preschoolers

CHILD CARE SPACES NEEDED TO MEET DEMAND:
• 695 for Infants
• 260 for Toddlers
• 548 for Preschoolers

“We need the ideas and voices of children and teachers with disabilities. We are all in this together. When one part is missing from the community, we all miss out. Who is brave enough to take one step forward?”

MATTHEW LEFLUER
LGK Volunteer | Alburgh
2017 Superhero Award Winner