



Hello Supporters of Ramsey Crisis Nursery,
We hope that this new year brings health and happiness to you and your loved ones!

2022 brings forth BIG changes here at Ramsey Crisis Nursery:

WE ARE CHANGING OUR NAME!

Over the next month, you will see "Ramsey Crisis Nursery" shift to "STAR House".

STAR stands for:

S - Strength

T- Time

A- (and)

R- Resilience

This new name, STAR House, recognizes the potential in caregivers rather than emphasizing a moment of crisis.



During our community conversations over this past year, we tuned into what the community was saying - that the word "crisis" is intimidating, limiting and is a barrier to asking for support.

We knew that we needed to change our name to continue building a strong foundation for this organization. The board worked with Donald Gault (linked below), who thoughtfully supported us through choosing a name that reflected our values.

We wanted to make sure that our new name was:

- ✓ Fun and easy to remember for children
- ✓ Nonjudgemental and welcoming for parents and caregivers
- ✓ Inspirational to those that support us

This was not an easy journey, but when we came up with the acronym for STAR, we knew that we found the right name.



[Info about Donald Gault](#)

[Check out the new website!](#)

We hope that you will all stay inspired to support STAR House in recognizing the strengths of families, providing time for caregivers, and helping build resilience as a community over this next year.

Together, we can shoot for the stars by focusing on the bright futures of families in our community instead of reflecting back the shame that caregivers may have experienced in the past while asking for support.



You'll notice, our new logo embodies the spirit of our previous logo, but in "star" form. You will start to see emails coming from our new account (info@starhousemn.org). You can check out our new website by visiting www.starhousemn.org.



Thank you in advance for your patience during this transition. We all know that change is exciting but often comes with unexpected challenges. We are very excited to have you all on this journey with us here at STAR House, and we hope that you will reach out to us with questions, suggestions, or to talk about how we can uplift the community together at info@starhousemn.org.

We wish strength, time, and resilience to all this year,
STAR House Board of Directors

