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Who Won the Week?

Early child care advocates – Advocates cheer moves at DSS that show a commitment to taking the child center situation seriously, working so the small businesses stay open through the crisis.

Yinka Faleti – While the expectation is that the down-ballot races will all follow the top of the ticket, Faleti has distinguished himself. His strong fundraising and compelling personal story prompted one GOP consultant to say Dems should look for a fresh face like Faleti when searching for a 2022 challenger to Senator Roy Blunt.

Jason Hall – Sewing together five non-profit organizations into a new civic sail should be practically impossible with St. Louis' turfy culture. But he did it. Let's hope it catches wind.

Alex Garza – Missouri's Fauci. He's not running for anything and just calls it like he sees it. Garza says St. Louis hospitals are nearing 90% capacity due to an influx of rural patients while Governor Mike Parson says the boxed-in strategy is working. There's no question who to believe.

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