

Parent Leadership Hub Weekly E-mail for July 23, 2009

Parent/Personnel Development Opportunities

1. Out to Lunch Open House – Kenosha Adult Day Services

Adults with disabilities, guardians, family members, case managers, social workers, and agency staff are encouraged to come and see what the Adult Day Services program is all about. Open House held every Wednesday from June 17th—August 26th 12:00-1:00pm Kenosha YMCA—Callahan Family Branch in the Community Room. Please enter on the north side of building entrance (look for red balloons!) 7101- 53rd Street, Kenosha 53144. Stop by with your bag lunch and spend your lunch hour with them. Afterwards tour the facility plus have an opportunity to participate in a skill building activity. RSVP's would be greatly appreciated. Call 262-764-2643 or e-mail Susan Klawien at susank@eastersealswise.com

2. Facebook, YouTube & Student Free Speech: What Educators Need to Know

Live, 60-Minute Audio Conference, Thursday, August 13, 2009 1:00-2:00 p.m. ET
Cyber-Speech & The 1st Amendment- Know the Law & Limit Your Liability

** How to distinguish between protected cyber-speech & online threats

** Guidelines to address cyber-speech from school & from home

** Key court cases and Legal standards

Priced at \$199. Register now for this event by clicking the following link or calling 800-964-6033. Go to the following website for more information. <http://www.pbconferences.com/HA/0/2/p2LELKc/p2SHJMHRi/p0e>

Family Involvement Resources

1. Transition Resource in Spanish

The Transition to Adult Care Assessment & Action Plan tool developed at Children's Hospital of Wisconsin has been translated into Spanish. It is located in the Family Resource section of the CHW Internet page on transition: www.chw.org/transition.

2. News Release on Wisconsin Library Internet Access

State Superintendent Tony Evers announced that nearly all Wisconsin residents can now access free wireless Internet service at their local public library, the result in part of strategic leveraging of federal money by the Department of Public Instruction. The department has worked with libraries for many years to enhance Internet access because of its usefulness to the public, especially in challenging economic times.

Additional information is available from the Department of Public Instruction newsroom <http://dpi.wi.gov/eis/newsroom.html> or in the attached news release. Please direct comments or questions about this news item to Patrick Gasper, (608) 266-3559, or

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3. AutismLink.com

AutismLink.com now has a nationwide events calendar. Anyone can add any event -- conferences, walks, fundraisers, etc. Just go to <http://www.autismlink.com> on the left side under "events" and add your information. It's that easy. Want to embed our calendar on your website? E-mail them at info@autismlink.com.

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