

Disability Awareness Month



OCTOBER 2016

Courtesy of the
Erie County Office for People with Disabilities

- **Sat., October 1st**, 10am-11:10am & following Saturdays thereafter, **SABAH-Ice Skating for Ice Show in Spring** @ Hamburg Ice Arena, 2982 Lakeview Rd., Hamburg, contact Carrie Drabik, 362-9600.
- **Sat., 1st**, 10am, **Epilepsy Association of WNY 5k Run/Funwalk & Chinese Auction Epilepsy Awareness** @ St. George Church, Delaware Park.
- **Sat., 1st**, 11am, **Heritage Centers-5k Run, Walk, Roll** @ Heritage Centers, 101 Oak St., Buffalo, 856-4201.
- **Sat., 1st**, 12-4pm, **Nashvilles 2's Dance Demo Team announces the SPECIAL FRIENDS JAMBOREE** @ Nashville 2, 8166 Main St., free food, beverages, prizes, dancing, RSVP by 9/15, Bev, 875-1530.
- **Sat., 1st**, 1-3pm, **Cantalian Center for Learning, Inc.-60th Anniversary Sock Hop Celebration**, @ 2049 George Urban Blvd., Depew, call 901-8700 for tickets: \$5 presale; \$10 at door.
- **Sun., 2nd**, 10am (8:30 Registration), **National Federation For Just Communities of WNY- Dash for Diversity @ Delaware Park**, contact 853-9596.
- **Mon., 3rd**, 11am-2pm, **Learning Disabilities Association represented at Outreach Table** @ Buffalo & Erie County Public Library, Downtown Central Location.*
- **Mon., 4th**, 11am-2pm, **Erie County Health Dept. represented at Outreach Table** @ Buffalo & Erie County Public Library, Downtown Central Location.*
- **Tues., 4th**, 1pm-4pm, **NYS Division of Human Rights-Fair Housing Town Hall-Discussion of fair housing rights** @ Hyatt Regency, 2 Fountain Plaza, Buffalo, contact Mannikuttan.Kottaram@thr.ny.gov
- **Tues., 4th**, 4pm-4:50pm & following Tuesdays thereafter, **SABAH-Ice Skating for Ice Show in Spring** @ Riverside Rink.
- **Tues., 4th**, 5pm-9pm, **WNY Independent Living, Inc.-Annual Meeting** @ Quality Inn, 8250 Park Rd., Batavia, contact Heather Mattiuzzo, 836-0822, ext. 146.
- **Tues., 4th**, 5:30-8pm & following three Tues. thereafter, **Parent Network of WNY - The Nurtured Heart Approach Workshop** @ Baker Victory Services, 777 Ridge Rd., Lackawanna, 716-332-4170.
- **Tues., 4th**, 6-8pm, **Parent Network of WNY-Bullying & Students with Disabilities Workshop** @ Parent Network, 1000 Main St., Buffalo, 716-332-4170.
- **Wed., 5th**, 5-7:30pm, **Parent Leadership Network Presents- "A Conversation with Kate"** @ United Way, 742 Delaware Ave., Buffalo, 716-332-4170.
- **Wed., 5th**, 6pm-7:20pm & following Wednesdays thereafter, **SABAH-Ice Skating for Ice Show in Spring** @ Dwyer Arena, Niagara University, contact Carrie Drabik, 362-9600.
- **Wed., 5th**, 11am-2pm, **Erie County Office for People with Disabilities represented at Outreach Table** @ Buffalo & Erie County Public Library, Downtown Central Location.*
- **Thurs., 6th**, 11am-2pm, **Parent Network represented at Outreach Table** @ Buffalo & Erie County Public Library, Downtown Central Location.*
- **Thurs., 6th**, 6-8pm, **Parent Network of WNY-What is the Front Door? Workshop** @ Randolph Town Hall, 41 Main St., Randolph, 716-332-4170.
- **Fri., 7th**, 9-11am, **WNY Special Education Task Force presents: A Tale of Two Attorneys** @ BOCES, 355 Harlem Rd., West Seneca, to register contact Kathryn, 518-512-4833.
- **Fri., 7th**, 10am, **DDAWNY Presents: Candidate's Hour** @ Southeast Works, 181 Lincoln St., Depew, contact Melanie Brown, 683-7100, x305.
- **Fri., 7th**, 11am-2pm, **Community Services for the Developmentally Disabled represented at Outreach Table** @ Buffalo & Erie County Public Library, Downtown Central Location.*
- **Sun., 9th**, 11:25am-12:50pm & following Sundays thereafter, **SABAH-Ice Skating for Ice Show in Spring** @ Amherst's Northtown Rink, 1615 Amherst Manor Dr., Williamsville, contact Carrie Drabik, 362-9600.
- **Mon., 10th**, 11am-2pm, **Erie County Office for People with Disabilities represented at Outreach Table** @ Buffalo & Erie County Public Library, Downtown Central Location.*
- **Tues., 11th**, 11am-2pm, **Starlight Studios represented at Outreach Table** @ Buffalo & Erie County Public Library, Downtown Central Location.*
- **Tues., 11th**, 6-8pm, **Parent Network of WNY-Developing an Individualized Education Plan Workshop** @ South Park High School, 150 Southside Pkwy., 716-332-4170.
- **Tues., 11th**, 6-8pm, **Parent Network of WNY - Attention Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder- Strategies for Success Workshop** @ Parent Network, 1000 Main St., Buffalo, 716-332-4170.
- **Wed., 12th**, 11am-2pm, **Catholic Charities represented at Outreach Table** @ Buffalo & Erie County Public Library, Downtown Central Location.*
- **Thurs., 13th**, 11am-2pm, **Bornhava represented at Outreach Table** @ Buffalo & Erie County Public Library, Downtown Central Location.*
- **Thurs., 13th**, 2-3:30pm, **Peer Support Group for Visually Impaired monthly meeting** @ Olmsted Center, 1170 Main St., Buffalo. Contact Linda Kaminski, 856-2821.
- **Thurs., 13th**, 5:30-7:30pm, **Museum of disABILITY History-Annual Fall Fundraiser & Auction** @ 3826 Main St., contact Doug Farley 629-3636 for tickets; \$25 ea., 2/\$40.
- **Thurs., 13th**, 6-8pm, **Parent Network of WNY-Attention Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder & the Individualized Education Plan Workshop** @ South Park High School, 150 Southside Pkwy., 716-332-4170.
- **Fri., 14th**, 11am-2pm, **Epilepsy Association represented at Outreach Table** @ Buffalo & Erie County Public Library, Downtown Central Location.*
- **Fri., 14th**, 12-1pm, **Olmsted Center for Sight Distinguished Speakers Series, featuring Ollie Cantos, the highest ranking person with a disability in US government** @ 1170 Main St., Buffalo, RSVP by 10/11, 888-4627.
- **Fri., 14th**, 5:30-9:30pm, **Autism Services, Inc.-Arts Work Auction** @ Asbury Hall, 341 Delaware Ave., Buffalo, 631-5777.
- **Sat., 15th**, 8am-3pm, **OPWDD & Family Support Advisory Council-Crisis Behavior Management: Supporting Caregivers of Individuals with Challenging Behaviors** @ ECC South, 716-332-4170.
- **Sat., 15th**, 9am-12pm, **EC Clerk & EC Office for People with Disabilities-Disability Awareness Fall Outreach to issue picture identification & other matters** @ EC Auto Bureau, Sheridan Plaza, Tonawanda.
- **Mon, 17th**, starting at 9am in 1 hr. increments & following Mondays thereafter, **SABAH-Ice Skating** @ Riverside Rink, 2601 Niagara St., Buffalo, contact Carrie Drabik, 362-9600.
- **Mon., 17th**, 11am-2pm, **Compeer represented at Outreach Table** @ Buffalo & Erie County Public Library, Downtown Central Location.*
- **Tues., 18th**, starting at 9am in 1 hr. increments & following Tuesdays thereafter, **SABAH-Ice Skating** @ Riverside Rink, 2601 Niagara St., Buffalo, contact Carrie Drabik, 362-9600.
- **Tues., 18th**, 11am-2pm, **Cantalian Center represented at Outreach Table** @ Buffalo & Erie County Public Library, Downtown Central Location.*
- **Tues., 18th**, 6-8pm, **Parent Network of WNY-Individualized Education Plan Workshop** @ Parent Network, 1000 Main St., Buffalo, 716-332-4170.
- **Wed., 19th**, starting at 9am in 1 hr. increments & following Wednesdays thereafter, **SABAH-Ice Skating** @ Riverside Rink, 2601 Niagara St., Buffalo, contact Carrie Drabik, 362-9600.
- **Wed., 19th**, 11am-2pm, **Deaf Access Services represented at Outreach Table** @ Buffalo & Erie County Public Library, Downtown Central Location.*
- **Wed., 19th**, 2pm-5pm, **WNY Independent Living-Meet the Candidates Day** @ 3108 Main St., Buffalo.
- **Thurs., 20th**, 10am-1pm, **Disability History Awareness Day** @ Buffalo & Erie County Public Library, Downtown Central Location.*
- **Thurs., 20th**, 12:30pm, **WNY Employment Consortium-Business Awards Luncheon NDEAM** @ The Columns, 2221 Transit Rd., Elma, RSVP by 10/3. \$25/person; \$225 table of 10.
- **Thurs., 20th**, 6-8pm, **Parent Network of WNY-Effective Communication: Helping Families & Professionals Work Together Workshop** @ South Park High School, 150 Southside Pkwy., 332-4170.
- **Fri., 21st**, 8am-3pm, **DDAWNY Transition Committee Presents REACHING FOR THE FUTURE: A Transition Conference** @ Acqua Restaurant, 2192 Niagara St., \$25., register by 10/14, Peg, 332-4170.
- **Fri., 21st**, starting at 9am in 1 hr. increments & following Fridays thereafter, **SABAH-Ice Skating** @ Riverside Rink, 2601 Niagara St., Buffalo, contact Carrie Drabik, 362-9600.
- **Fri., 21st**, 11am-2pm, **WNY Independent Living, Inc. represented at Outreach Table** @ Buffalo & Erie County Public Library, Downtown Central Location.*
- **Sat., 22nd**, 9am-12pm, **Disability Awareness Trainer, Dave Whalen-Fire, Home, and Car Safety Awareness Day for Families with Young Children with Disabilities** @ Heritage Centers, 777 Maryvale Dr., Cheektowaga, pre-register by 10/8 by calling 1-888-696-9211.
- **Sat., 22nd**, board bus at 9am; return 8pm, **Deaf Access Services-Day Trip to Toronto** @ Tri Main Center, 2495 Main St., Buffalo. \$70 prepaid by 10/3, contact Gloria @ 730-5011.
- **Mon., 24th**, 11am-2pm, **Summit Education represented at Outreach Table** @ Buffalo & Erie County Public Library, Downtown Central Location.*
- **Tues., 25th**, 11am-2pm, **National Federation of the Blind represented at Outreach Table** @ Buffalo & Erie County Public Library, Downtown Central Location.*
- **Tues., 25th**, 6-8pm, **Parent Network of WNY-Pathways to Graduation Workshop** @ Parent Network, 1000 Main St., Buffalo, 716-332-4170.
- **Wed., 26th**, 11am-2pm, **Alberti Center represented at Outreach Table** @ Buffalo & Erie County Public Library, Downtown Central Location.*
- **Thurs., 27th**, 11am-2pm, **People, Inc. represented at Outreach Table** @ Buffalo & Erie County Public Library, Downtown Central Location.*
- **Fri., 28th**, 10am-1pm, **Career Fair** @ Buffalo & Erie County Public Library, Downtown Central Location.*
- **Sat., 29th**, 8:30am-2pm, **Diocese of Buffalo-Enlighten, Empower & Energize, Support for People with Disabilities** @ Newman Ctr., UB North Campus, \$15 includes lunch, Dennis Mahaney, 847-8393.
- **Mon., 31st**, 11am-2pm, **Self-Advocacy Association of NYS represented at Outreach Table** @ Buffalo & Erie County Public Library, Downtown Central Location.*

Note: Agency Representation and events at the Buffalo & Erie County Public Library, Downtown Central location, 1 Lafayette Square, Buffalo, are designated in red. *

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