

Lucas County Foster Parent Association Newsletter

Easter

President, Mr. Foster and Vice President, Mr. Redman

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Easter Egg Hunt for Ronald McDonald House



Saturday, April 1, 2023
11:00 am - 1:00 pm
3883 Monroe St. Toledo, OH

Come out to Ronald McDonald House Charities of Northwest Ohio for a free and fun Easter Egg Hunt! On Saturday, April 1, from 11 am to 1 pm, RMHC of NW Ohio invites you and your family to stop by our House. Participate in fun activities including an

You are invited to join us for the IN-PERSON

ROUND TABLE

on

Wednesday, April 5, 2023

at our very own...

CLC

(Conference & Learning Center)

711 Adams Street, Toledo, Ohio

You can choose which time suits you the best:

12:00 – 1:30 p.m. or 5:30 – 7:00 p.m.

RSVP to Miriam Root by March 31, 2023

419-213-3370 or miriam.root@ifs.ohio.gov

Attendees will receive ONE TRAINING CREDIT HOUR CREDIT and a chance to win two free tickets to the 80's Prom night at the Pinnacle in Maumee on Friday, April 14, 2023



93.5 WRQN

LUCAS COUNTY CHILDREN SERVICES

TOTALLY AWESOME THE 80s PROM

Friday, April 14, 2023 · 6-11pm
The Pinnacle
1772 Indian Wood Circle, Maumee, OH 43537

Lucas County Children Services and 93.5 WRQN-FM are taking you back in time to relive your HS prom! Grab the hair spray, spandex, and parachute pants and dance to live 80's music from Arctic Clam and a DJ!

Tickets \$25/per person
Includes dinner, dancing, contests and prizes. Cash bar available.

For tickets, scan QR code or visit:
<https://www.sweetdeals.com/toledo/9013500-the-pinnacle>



Wear Blue Day 2023
Wednesday, April 12th



"Wear Blue" urges people from all walks of life to wear blue on this day to show their support for keeping kids safe from abuse or neglect. LCCS is encouraging people to post photos of themselves wearing blue on April 12th on the agency's Facebook page, <http://www.facebook.com/LucasCountyChildrenServices>, by tweeting their photo using the hashtag #LucasCoOHKids or emailing images to information@co.lucas.oh.us.



Spring Recipe for the kids!

Flower Pot Dirt Cake

Ingredients

- 1/2 cup butter, softened
- 1 (8 ounce) package cream cheese, softened
- 1/2 cup confectioners' sugar
- 2 (3.5 ounce) packages instant vanilla pudding mix
- 3 1/2 cups milk
- 1 (12 ounce) container frozen whipped topping, thawed
- 32 ounces chocolate sandwich cookies with crème filling



Directions

- Chop cookies very fine in food processor. The white cream will disappear.
- Mix butter, cream cheese, and sugar in bowl.
- In a large bowl mix milk, pudding and whipped topping together.
- Combine pudding mixture and cream mixture together.
- Layer in flower pot, starting with cookies then cream mixture. Repeat layers.
- Chill until ready to serve.
- Top off with gummy worms and Enjoy!

IF YOU ARE IN A CAR ACCIDENT WITH A LCCS CHILD YOU MUST...



1. Call the police



2. Call LCCS and report incident



3. Get your police report



4. Turn in the Police Report to LCCS ASAP

Breakfast with the Bunny at Toledo Zoo

Fri, April 7 & Sat, April 8

9 - 11 a.m. at Malawi Event Center

Admission gate opens at 8:45 a.m.

Guests will enjoy an exciting egg hunt, animal encounter and a delicious breakfast with family! There will also be a meet and greet photo opportunity with the Easter Bunny. This hopping event is sure to fill up quickly, so place your reservation today!

Egg Decorating Think Tank Workshop at

Imagination Station

Saturday, April 1, 2023

2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Have you ever decorated eggs? Ever wonder why it works? It's time for you to be a chemist! Using different household materials, you'll explore how your egg reacts with different substances to make colorful, festive creations.

Techniques to Reduce Stress



30 minutes of daily moderate exercise



Mindfulness and meditation



Progressive muscle relaxation



Yoga



Visualization



Slow, deep breaths

verywell

Spring Cleaning Checklist

Entry

- High dust
- Wipe down furniture and décor
- Organize storage (Shelves, umbrellas, shoes, etc.)
- Door(s)
- Window(s)
- Baseboards
- Floor and Rugs

Living Area(s)

- High dust
- Wipe down / dust furniture and décor
- Organize storage (Shelves, cabinets, etc.)
- Wipe down / dust electronics
- Vacuum Sofa and Chairs
- Wash throws and pillows
- Wash / vacuum blinds and curtains
- Window(s)
- Door(s)
- Baseboards
- Floor and Rugs

Bedroom(s)

- High dust
- Wipe down / dust furniture and décor
- Organize dresser(s) and nightstands
- Organize closet
- Wipe down / dust electronics
- Wash bedding and pillows
- Flip / rotate mattress
- Wash / vacuum blinds and curtains
- Window(s)
- Door(s)
- Baseboards
- Floor and Rugs

Outdoors

- Wash threshold
- Sweep patio and porches
- Check for pests

Kitchen

- High dust
- Wipe down / dust appliances
- Clean out refrigerator
- Clean stove inside and out
- Clean microwave inside and out
- Clean dishwasher inside and out
- Organize cabinets and pantry
- Wipe down counter tops and cabinet fronts
- Wipe down backsplash
- Wash / vacuum blinds and curtains
- Window(s)
- Door(s)
- Baseboards
- Floor and Rugs

Bathroom(s)

- High dust
- Tub and shower - including door/curtain
- Clean toilet inside and out
- Organize cabinets and drawers
- Sanitize sink(s)
- Wipe down counter tops and cabinet fronts
- Wash / vacuum blinds and curtains
- Mirror(s)
- Window(s)
- Door(s)
- Baseboards

Laundry Room

- High dust
- Clean inside washer and dryer
- Wipe down washer and dryer
- Vacuum dryer vents
- Organize cleaning supplies
- Floor