

Developing News



LOOK AT WHAT WE'RE DOING!

Donation 500 sponsored by Action City for Special Olympics is Sunday, March 29. Teams of 5 race go carts all afternoon to see who is the fastest! Cost is \$250 a team. If you know of go-cart enthusiasts, tell them to call Action City today.

Filling the Dream: Saturday, April 25, we will again be pumping gas and frying brats at all 16 Mega Holiday gas stations in the Chippewa Valley. **NEED HELP!** Shifts are 8:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. or 12:30 – 5:00 p.m. Your agency will receive a portion of the profits from this fundraiser.

Breaking Bricks for Bucks – sponsored by One Tree Martial Arts for Indianhead Area Special Olympics. They break breaks with their hands (ouch) at \$5 a brick. Looking for agencies to sell bricks! You'll receive \$2 for every brick your agency sells. Call Andrea for more details.

Think Spring! Then head out to Hilltop Tavern for their fourth annual **Luau**. That's Saturday, April 11, starting at 2:00. Proceeds benefit us.

Law Enforcement Torch Run – Wednesday, June 3 and Thursday, June 4. Our finest will again be running, walking, biking, or blading down our roads to support Special Olympics. Is your police department participating? If not, urge them to get involved.

Here are some deals for you!

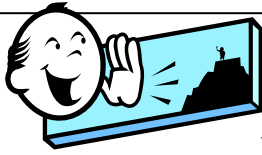
FREE! Did I say FREE? A seminar for parents of individuals with special needs will help you plan for the future. No pressure, nothing is being sold. Gene LaRock, parent of Special Olympics athlete Trent, has agreed to hold a seminar to explain what you need to do to plan for the future. Two convenient times: 9:00 – 10:30 a.m. and 6:30 - 8:00 p.m. both on Tuesday, April 21 at Sweetwaters, 1104 W Clairemont in Eau Claire. Call us for reservations by noon, Monday, April 20. Please pass the word to your families. (Flier attached)

Need **hotel** space for your athletes when you come to Eau Claire? Check out the Best Western at 3340 Mondovi Road (just off Hwy 37). It's called the Trail Lodge Hotel and Suites. The manager, Brookelynn Dubick is willing to give a good discount since they also host teams who come to the outdoor sports tournament in August. Their phone is 715-838-9989. Or email Brookelynn@trailodge-eauclaire.com. There is a pool and breakfast!

Need **busing**? Give Tommy Klatt of Right Way Shuttle a call and ask him to give you a price. These are school buses but nice people driving them! His number is 715-210-6791 or tom@rightwayshuttle.com.

Whew! That's a lot of stuff! Hopefully some of it is useful to you. Have a great spring.

Andrea



Award Nominations

Due April 1
Forms previously sent out
—phone if you need more.
NOPE, this is NOT an April Fool’s
joke!

SHAPE DAY-UW EAU CLAIRE

Saturday, April 18, 2009, 9:45am-12:15pm

McPhee Center, Upper Campus

Sponsored by the SHAPE Club (Students for Health Adventure Physical Education)

The SHAPE Club at UWEC has agreed to sponsor and run a fun training day for our athletes. We’re excited about this event and hope to build on it in the future.

GENERAL INFORMATION

- Stations will be set up around the gym/track for different track skills and possibly basketball. Specific skills will be announced soon. Athletes will rotate around the stations. There will be students at each station to direct the skill. There will be a water/snack break around 11:00.
- Limited to 50 athletes.
- No wheelchair events will be offered.
- Athletes must have a release and current medical on file.

Registration form for this event has previously been sent out. Call 833-0833 for additional information.

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Category A

25m walk; 50m OR 100m run; standing long jump; softball throw OR shot put and turbo jav***

Category B

All wheelchair events; wheelchair softball throw OR shot put and turbo jav***

Category C

All walking events (except 25m walk)*; softball throw OR shot put and turbo jav***; high jump; standing long jump OR running long jump

Category D

All running events (except 50m run); relays (may include 3000m walk); pentathlon**; turbo jav; shot put; high jump; running long jump

*Athletes participating in the 3000m walk may also participate in relays.

**Athletes participating in the pentathlon may be in one relay.

***Athletes competing in the softball throw may not compete in turbo jav or shot put; however, athletes competing in the turbo jav may also compete in the shot put.

OFFICE CLOSINGS

April 10

May 25

OUT OF OFFICE

Patti, March 30-April 3

Patti & Andres, April 7-8

Andrea May 20-29



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