

RESOURCES

Grandparent Support Groups

Trotwood Where: Trotwood Branch Metro Library When: Last Saturday of every Month 9:00a.m.- 11:00a.m Contact: Marsha Jones @770-2137	Kettering Where: Town & Country Shopping Center Atrium Community Room When: 1st Wednesday of every month 9:00a.m.- 11:00a.m Contact: 300 East Stroop Rd. Kettering, OH
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Montgomery County After School Programs

Lohrey Center	937-333-3131	6yrs-12yrs	2:00 p.m.- 6:00 p.m.	FREE
Northwest Center	937-333-3322	5yrs-12yrs	2:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m.	FREE
East End Community Services	937-259-1898	5yrs-10yrs 9yrs-18yrs	2:00 p.m. -5:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m.- 8:00 p.m.	FREE
Dakota Center	937-228-8961	6yrs-18yrs	2:00p.m.- 6:00 p.m.	FREE
Miamisburg Youth Center	937-866-1772	8yrs-15yrs	2:30p.m.-7:15 p.m.	FREE
Project Impact	937-222-5683	K-12 Grade	4:00p.m.-6:00p.m.	FREE
KROC Center	937-528-5100	1 st -8 th Grade	2:30p.m.-6:30p.m.	FREE for members
Dayton Boys & Girls Club	937-262-8377	K-12 Grade	2:30p.m.-7:30p.m.	Sliding scale

Parenting Resources

Miami Valley Women's Center	2345 W Stroop Road, Dayton, OH (937) 298-2822
Family Services	2211 Arbor Blvd Moraine, OH (937) 222-9481
Artemis Center	310 W Monument Ave. (937) 222-7233
Greater Dayton Pro-Life Center (LEC)	425 N Findlay St (937) 223-9227
United Health Solutions	3440 Office Park Drive (937) 220-6654
Women's Center	4787 Burhardt Ave (937) 610-7777
Women's Center (Kettering)	1377 East Stroop Rd. (937) 643-4673
Catholic Social Services	1046 Brown St (937) 223-7217



Purchase an Ohio Grandparent Kinship Coalition T-Shirts

The bright green T-Shirts will raise awareness and help support the Coalition. These shirts will be great to wear all year long, especially at Grandparent events.

\$10.00/ each sizes M-XL

\$12.00/ each sizes 2X-3X

If you are interested in buying a T-shirt, please call 937-775-8247 to order the quantity and size you need.

KINSHIP NAVIGATOR

NEWS FLASH

Did you know...

Millions of children nationwide live with their grandparents, and millions more count on their grandparents every day for the love and nurturing that only grandparents can give.

Salute to the UNSUNG HEROS – Happy Grandparent's Day!

The number of grandparents and relatives who are raising children is not a new phenomenon; the reality is it is becoming more common. As we are working with kinship families everyday some of you often believe you are in the situation alone. The 2012 Census reports 4.9 million children under the age of 18 live in grandparent headed households in the United States. This is an increase from 2000 which 4.5 million reported living in grandparent headed households. In Ohio 90,673 children live in homes where grandparents are the primary caregiver.

As many of you have not asked to become parents for the second time the responsibility has landed in your lap. We recognize your work and would like to support your efforts. Please take advantage of the support that the Montgomery County Kinship Navigator Program has to offer. Feel free to call your Kinship Navigator to locate community resources, referrals, kinship klostet appointments, etc.

JOIN US IN CELEBRATING GRANDPARENTS MONTH! Lunch N Learn: "Shining the Spotlight on Grandparents"

(LIMITED SPACE AVAILABLE PLEASE RSVP)

Contact: Cindy Bradley @ 775-8248

When: September 19, 2012

Who: Grandparents and Caregivers

Where: Cassano Health Center

Kinship Family Fair

Thanks to everyone who came out and made the Fifth Annual Kinship Family Fair a huge success. A special thanks goes out to all our caregivers and presenters. We could not have done it without you.

Thanks once again!

SPECIAL THANKS TO:

Five Rivers Metro Park: Adventure Central
Caresource
Wright State University



You can reach the Kinship Navigators:

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