

Down syndrome Parent Group



October 14, 9:30-11:30 A.M.:
Special Education Basic
Rights presented by Family
Matters in English and Spanish at
Easter Seals CDC, 650 N. Main St.
Rockford. **Training open for
everyone.** Register with Family
Matters at: www.fmptc.org or
866-436-7842.



November 11, 9:30-11:30 A.M.:
Computers-How to Maximize
Using Them with Your Child
with Down syndrome presented by
Julie Anderson at Easter Seals CDC,
650 N. Main Street. Register with
Patti at 965-6745, x218.



December 9, 10:30-1:00 P.M.:
Christmas Party at the home of
Angie and Jim Horvath,
10240 Springborough Road,
Rockford. Register with Patti at
965-6745, x218.

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October 19, 6:00-8:30 P.M.:
Promoting Communication
Skills presented by
Sarah McFeggan, MS, CCC-SPL/L
First Assembly of God,
5950 Spring Creek Road, Room 444.
For registration, call Lori at
965-6745, x173.



November 16, 6:00-8:30 P.M.:
The Parent Talk, Good Touch/
Bad Touch video,
First Assembly of God,
5950 Spring Creek Road, Room 444.
For registration, call Lori at
965-6745, x173.



December 21, 6:00-8:30 P.M.:
Christmas Party at Clock Tower
Indoor Water Park. \$10.00 per
person. Money and registration due
by December 7th. No late
registrations will be accepted. For
registration, call Lori at
965-6745, x173.

Family Support Information Group



October 14, 1:00-4:00 P.M.:
Family Fun Hayride at
Lockwood Park. Registration will be
limited to the first 150 people. For
registration, call Lori at
965-6745, x173.



November 18, 10:30-2:30 P.M.:
Making Action Plans and
Transition presented by
Family Matters at the Belvidere
High School. Register with Family
Matters at: www.fmptc.org or
866-436-7842.



November 30, 6:00-8:30 P.M.:
An Evening with Dr. Patrick
Schwarz, Addressing Adventurousome
Behavior at the YWCA in Rockford.
Register with STARnet at
800-227-7537.



December 1, 8:30-3:00 P.M.:
Addressing Adventurousome
Behavior with Keeping Dignity
for All presented by Dr. Patrick
Schwarz at the YWCA in Rockford.
Register with STARnet at
800-227-7537.

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November 21, 6:00-8:00 P.M.:
Making Action Plans
presented by Family Matters
at St. Mary's Community Center,
881 N. Morgan, Oregon. Register
with Family Matters at
www.fmptc.org or 866-436-7842

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November 14, 6:00-8:00 P.M.:
**First Meeting, Let's Get
Know One Another!**

Introductions, Discussion and
Suggestions. The group will meet at
St. Mary's 226 E. 2nd St. Byron.
Register with Toni at 965-
6745, x278.



December 12, 6:00-8:00 P.M.
Christmas Party, TBA.
Register with Toni at
965-6745, x 278. Look for more
information in the Handprints
Newsletter.

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Family Support Services encourages families whose
children have special needs
to get connected to other families and to increase their
knowledge by supporting a variety of parent directed
activities, including
Northwest Illinois Autism Parent Group, Family Support
Information Group and
Down syndrome Parent Group.



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