

16th Annual Child Abuse Prevention Month Community Breakfast



Honorary Chairpersons

Jim & Anita Miller

Scheduled Speaker

Cedric Riley - Former Foster Child &
Current Student at The Ohio State University

Thursday, April 30, 2009 - 7:00 a.m.
Shisler Center (OARDC, 1625 Wilson Rd., Wooster)
Cost: \$12 per person (Tables of 8 are available.)
Registration Deadline: April 16, 2009

RESERVATIONS

Name of Company: _____

Contact Person: _____ Phone: _____

Number of Tickets Requested: _____

Address to Send

Tickets to: _____
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

Tickets with seating assignment will be mailed
approximately one week prior to the event.

**Address to Send

Invoice to: _____
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

Make checks payable to: Wayne County Children Services, 2534 Burbank Rd., Wooster, OH 44691

**Payment must be received prior to the event.

RESERVATIONS: Phone: (330)345-5340 Ext. 2331 FAX: (330)345-1282 Attention: Lisa Cygan

**Presented by: Voices for Children (a Children's Advocacy Committee) and
the Wayne County Children Services Board**



AGENCY STATISTICS

Intake Services	December, 2008	January, 2009
Reports of Child Abuse/Neglect	93	71
Reports of Child Abuse/Neglect-one year ago	94	127
Annual Total	1,360	71
Monthly Increase/Decrease	- 1%	- 44%
Substitute Care		
Agency Foster Care	69	57
Purchased Therapeutic Care	14	17
Purchased Residential Care	20	18
Independent Living	0	0
Total Placements	103	92
Total Bed Days	2,824	2,704
Adoption Services		
Finalized Adoptions	2	0
Total Year to Date	7	0
PASSS Approved	0	0
Protective Services		
Families Served	176	165
Children Served	329	311
Children in Permanent Custody	23	23
Case Aides/Miles Driven	7,966.49	7,392.16
Volunteer Services		
New Inquiries	53	15
Active Volunteers	51	83*
*includes 7 Board Members & 11 Advisory Board Members		
Parent Education		
Steps to Better Parenting I:		
Adults Enrolled	23	23
Adults Successfully Completed Program	-	13

WE'VE CHANGED OUR PARENTING CLASSES TO MEET YOUR NEEDS

STEPS TO BETTER PARENTING: THE EARLY YEARS

For Parents of Children Ages Birth to Four (4)

Future classes will be scheduled as the need arises. A waiting list will be maintained. Please call to sign up.

Instructor: Heather Fath

Location: Varied Locations in Wooster



STEPS TO BETTER PARENTING: THE MIDDLE YEARS

For Parents of Children Ages Five (5) to Twelve (12)

Future classes will be scheduled as the need arises. A waiting list will be maintained. Please call to sign up.

Instructor: Heather Fath

Location: Varied Location in Wooster

Topics Covered in Both Classes Include: Learning appropriate development expectations, increasing knowledge and ability on how to manage the behaviors of your children, increasing self awareness and ability to be empathic, positive discipline, communication, expressing feelings, family stress, modeling appropriate behavior, consistency, and personal boundaries.

Books and materials are provided at no cost to participants. You must attend eight (8) out of ten (10) classes to receive your completion certificate.

Class participants must call personally to register - 330-345-5340.

OUR MISSION...

In partnership with the community, Children Services of Wayne County protects children at risk of abuse or neglect and strengthens, preserves and empowers families. Through evaluation of that risk, we identify and coordinate community services. We work in collaboration with others to provide these children with safe, nurturing and permanent families, whether their own or another. We seek to enhance community awareness by educating the public.