

Autism Resources Miramichi Inc.

Newsletter 8

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Sept. 2008

Parent Support Meeting

Guest Speaker:
Darlene Barry,
Occupational Therapist
to speak on Sensory Issues
September 3, 2008
7:00 pm to 9:00 pm



Hours of Operation

Monday to Friday
9:00 am – 5:00 pm

Saturday, Sept. 6th and Sept. 20th
1:00pm – 3:00 pm

*Or by appointment as necessary.

The next parent support meeting will be held on Wednesday September 3, 2008 at 7:00 pm here at the centre. We are going to try meeting on Wednesday this month to see if that is better for any parents. Please feel free to give feedback on better days of the week. Remember that these meetings are open to all you grandparents and family members as well, or anyone who may be interested in the topic of sensory issues.

Back to School!



Please keep in mind if your child needs any new schedules or visuals made up- schedules for classes, picture schedules, morning routine schedules, bus visuals, etc.- we can help you with his. Drop in or email to let us know what you need and we will do our best to help.

Social Skills Program Party...

After a great summer program, we ended with a week filled with bowling and a barbecue and party! It was well attended and a good time was had by all. Thanks to all who participated this summer, and hopefully we can look forward to getting a program going on a regular basis.

Upcoming ARM Events and Important Dates

Sept. 1st	Closed for Labour Day
Sept. 3rd	Parent Support Meeting 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm
Sept 8th	Fundraising Committee meeting. 7:00pm – 9:00 pm New members always welcome.

Fundraising Committee News

Our fundraising committee held a meeting on August 11/08 and has decided on their new projects. If you want to help out in any way, please call Belinda Shaddick at 622-0249 or by email at dbshad@nb.sympatico.ca. Thank you to all committee members who have stepped up to help with the past and present projects. It takes many volunteers to make our centre a success.

Upcoming Events:

Fundraising Dance

October 11, 2008

Music by *Short Sweet Ride*.
9:00 pm to 1:00 am
Newcastle Lion's Club
Tickets \$10.00 each.

**Tickets can be purchased in advance at the Centre, Books Inn, and Bill's Quik Way.

Penny Sale

November 2, 2008
Knights Of Columbus
345 Campbell St
1:00 pm to 3:00 pm

Bangor Shopping Trip

November 14-16, 2008

Cost per person:
Double Occupancy: \$240.00
Triple Occupancy: \$220.00
Quad Occupancy: \$200.00

Cost per person includes Bus and 2 nights accommodations at the Ramada Inn in Bangor.

Seating is limited and registrations will be on a first come first serve basis and a \$50.00 deposit must be given to hold your seat. Full payment required by October 13/08.

For further information or to book your seat, please call ARM at 622-8137 or email us at arm@nb.aibn.com



Petro Points

We now have petro Points cards at all locations in Miramichi. If you are getting gas and want to donate your points, please ask them to swipe Autism Resources Miramichi's (ARM) card and as we accumulate points, we can trade them in on merchandise, etc. Please pass this information on to all your friends and family.



Merchandise

Our next order for merchandise will be going out in September, and we are still taking your prepaid orders. If you are interested in ordering, please email or call with your order.

Autism Resources Miramichi Inc. presents.....

Autism Risk and Safety Management Workshop.

with
Dennis Debbaudt.

October 21, 2008
9:00 am to 4:00 pm
To be held at the Rodd Miramichi Hotel

Dennis will present also present a session in the evening for families.

For more information on Dennis see
<http://www.autismriskmanagement.com/>

All information will be sent out shortly and posted on our website. www.autismmiramichi.com
Please mark your calendars!