

North Dakota Support Groups Monthly Meetings

F.R.I.E.N.D (Families, Resources (&) Information Energizing North Dakota)—Monday, April 26, BECEP Parent Place, Bismarck, 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.

AuSome Kids Day Program—7 a.m. - 6 p.m., 4733 Amber Valley Parkway, Fargo.

Designer Genes Newsletter—Call 701-258-7421 for more information or visit www.designergenesnd.com.

National Autism Association of Central North Dakota—fourth Thursday at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, Bismarck, 7 p.m.

North Dakota Autism Connection—Meets third Thursday of each month at River of Hope Church in Bismarck. More information at www.ndautismconnection.org.

Fargo-Moorhead Monthly Social—Organized by local parents of children who are deaf or hard of hearing and ND School for the Deaf. Socials held on Saturdays 1-3 p.m. at First Lutheran Church in Fargo.

Autism Support Group—Autism support group in Bismarck. The group meets each second Tuesday at BECEP Parent Place from 7-8:30 p.m. in Bismarck.

FVND Parent to Parent Program—Helps match families with another parent for emotional and informational support. If you are a family who wants to become a mentor family please call 1-888-522-9654.

Circle of Parents in Lisbon—Join other parents in a support group setting. No one's situation or stories are ever judged. Parents meet 2nd and 4th Monday of each month, from 6:30 - 8 p.m. at Trinity Lutheran Church. Call Ransom County Extension to register or for more information at 701-683-6128. Drop-ins welcome. Refreshments and free childcare are provided.



Summer Sale Rescheduled

Due to Special Olympics weekend and the ACC Golf Tournament, the Center's Spring/Summer Sale has been rescheduled. The event will be held June 26th—watch for more information. Donations for the sale are being collected. If you have items for the sale, please bring them to ACC.

Two Students Set to Graduate

The Anne Carlsen Center will say goodbye to two remarkable individuals in May as Nikki B. and Jimmy B. will graduate from the Center.

Both students have served important roles in ACC's student government, with each winning elections to be class president.

The graduation ceremony will be held May 21 at 2 p.m. in the ACC campus auditorium.

Family Survey

Watch your mailbox for a survey from My InnerView that will help ACC identify opportunities for improvement and areas in which our staff has achieved excellence in care.



Look for the Nurture Circle online.

See photos in vibrant color in an easily downloadable PDF format for sharing with family. Check out past issues at www.ncccenter.org if you are new to the newsletter and keep in touch with ACC.