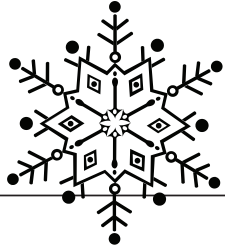







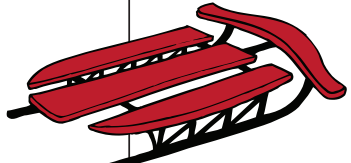


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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						1 CCBDD Eagles Unified Basketball vs. Berea Midpark at Middleburg Hts. Community Center 2pm & 3pm
2 Hanukkah begins at sundown	3	4 	5	6 	7 RRAAC - Tai-Chi 10 - 11am, FREE Beck Center Sensory-Friendly Nutcracker performances, 9:30am and 11am, Reservations required, For info, call (216) 521-2540 x12	8 CCBDD Rockets vs. Summit County at GRSC, 10am
9	10	11 CCBDD Eagles vs. LEAP at Wildcat Sport and Fitness, 6116 Wilson Mills Rd., 6:30 pm	12	13	14 RRAAC, PAAC - Holiday Parties	15 CCBDD Rockets vs. Summit County at GRSC, 10am 
16 Royal Redeemer Lutheran Church Buddy Break, Inclusive Respite w/activities for children age 16 and under 1- 4pm, 11680 Royalton Rd. North Royalton, For info, email lebner@royred.org	17 People First of Cuyahoga Cty. Meeting, 6:30 - 8pm For info, call The Arc at (216) 736-8395	18 SOUP Advocacy Group Meeting 10:30am & 6pm, Garfield Hts. Library, 5409 Turney Rd., For info or to RSVP call (216) 736-2924 RRAAC - Food Pantry Pack and Sort, 6:30 - 7:30pm	19 RRAAC - Rocky River Assistance Program Food Distribution, 1 - 2pm	20 SAW, Inc. Board Meeting 7:30am MHAAC - City of Maple Hts. Food Pantry, 9:30 - 11:30am MDA - CCBDD Board Meeting, 5:30pm	21 BAAC, BrAAC, EAAC ECAAC, MHAAC, SWAAC Holiday Parties Winter begins	22 
23 	24 Christmas Eve	25 CCBDD offices open 12/26, 27, 28, 2018 AACs closed thru 1/2/19 for Winter Break	26	27 	28	29 
30	31 New Year's Eve	Christmas	Kwanzaa begins	AACs closed thru 1/2/2019		

***All dates and times are subject to change. Please contact your site for updates. For additional information, go to www.CuyahogaBDD.org or find us on Facebook.*

Severe weather notification

In the event that we feel a need to close our Adult Activities Centers (AACs) and/or our transportation services due to severe weather, we will use multiple methods to communicate any changes, including:

- iAlert on WKYC Channel 3
- Cleveland Fox 8 closings
- Facebook posting (www.facebook.com/CuyahogaBDD/)
- Phone message for those who attend one of the Adult Activities Centers
- Cancellations.com (You can sign-up on this site to receive CCBDD notifications.)

There may be times that we decide to keep our Adult Activities Centers open but not offer CCBDD transportation services. In these instances, it is the responsibility of the individual, family or provider agency to provide transportation to and from the AAC if the individual wishes to attend on that day.

Please note that if you use a nonmedical transportation (NMT) provider, such as Lakefront Lines, Rybak, CTS, or Take Two, you will need to contact them directly to learn if they are providing transportation on days that the weather is inclement.

If you work a job in the community and use a NMT provider for your transportation, you will need to contact them directly to learn if they are providing transportation on days that the weather is inclement.

Please remember to inform your Support Administrator and/or the AAC Manager if you have changed your telephone number so we can be sure you receive our notifications.



Tis' the season

The CCBDD Rockets and Eagles' Unified Team are kicking off their basketball seasons this month. The Eagles' season begins Dec. 1 with a game against Berea Midpark at the Middleburg Heights Recreation Center, 16000 Bagley Rd., at 4pm. The Eagles play a midweek game on Dec. 11 against LEAP at Wildcat Sport and Fitness, 6116 Wilson Mills Rd., at 6:30pm.

The Rockets' season opener is Dec. 8 against Summit County at Green Road Services Center, 4329 Green Rd., at 10am. The two teams will face off again the following week on Dec. 15, same time, same place. Plan to come out and cheer them on!

If you can't make any of these games, there will be more opportunities throughout the next couple months. Look for game information on future calendars and our Facebook page.

Winter break

All CCBDD buildings will be closed Dec. 24, 25, 31 and Jan. 1 in observance of the winter holidays. The AACs will be closed from December 24 thru Jan. 2 and will reopen Jan. 3.

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Cuyahoga County Board of DD's Lending Libraries



CCBDD has two equipment lending libraries containing over 2000 pieces of equipment that are used to increase participation and promote safety and independence for individuals with developmental disabilities.

- OT/PT library – contains items used for mobility and activities of daily living such as wheelchairs, lifts, toileting and bathing equipment, etc.
- Assistive Technology library – contains items ranging from low to high tech devices such as adaptive switches, watch minders and video doorbells.

Equipment can be loaned for trial periods to eligible individuals as well as to public school districts (Cuyahoga County only) and provider agencies to support people with developmental disabilities they are serving. CCBDD's equipment lending allows individuals to move through multiple trials, if necessary, in order to find the right fit before purchasing. Equipment can also be loaned for short term needs where no future purchase may be necessary.

For more information, contact Janet Cimino (OT/PT) Cimino.Janet@CuyahogaBDD.org or Kathy Zielinski (AT) Zielinski.Kathryn@CuyahogaBDD.org.



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