

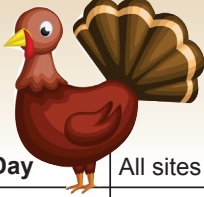





# November 2017

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b> 17 <sup>th</sup> Annual Ohio SIBS Conference, <i>Reaching for Benefits, Rights and Resources</i> , Embassy Suites, Dublin, OH, See info on back, or visit <a href="http://www.ohiosibs.org">www.ohiosibs.org</a>	<b>4</b> 17 <sup>th</sup> Annual Ohio SIBS Conference, Embassy Suites, Dublin, OH
<b>5</b>  End of Daylight Saving Time	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b> ECAAC - PTCU Meeting 10am  <b>Election Day - VOTE!</b>	<b>8</b> Northeast Ohio Transportation Equity Forum 12:30 - 4pm (See back for registration details)	<b>9</b> MDA - PTCU Board Meeting, 10:15am	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>  Veterans' Day
<b>12</b> 	<b>13</b> SWAAC - PTCU Board Meeting, 10:30am	<b>14</b> SOUP Advocacy Group Meeting, Garfield Hts. Library, 5409 Turney Rd. 10:30am & 6pm, RSVP to (216) 736-2924 <u>EAAC - PTCU Meeting, 6pm</u> <u>BrAAC - PTCU Meeting, 6pm</u> REDI Alliance Group/Parent Group Meeting, LGBT Community Center, 6600 Detroit Rd., 6 - 7:30pm, ages 18+ Call (216) 931-7450, for info.	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b> SAW, Inc. Board Meeting <u>ECAAC, 7:30am</u> MDA - CCBDD Board Meeting, 5:30pm	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b>
<b>19</b>	<b>20</b> People First of Cuyahoga County Meeting, 6:30 - 8pm, Cleveland Clinic Building, Room A, 5001 Rockside Rd., To register, call The Arc at (216) 736-8395	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>  All sites closed <b>Thanksgiving Day</b>	<b>24</b> All sites closed	<b>25</b>
<b>26</b>	<b>27</b> 	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b> 	<b>30</b>		

\*\*All dates and times are subject to change. Please contact your site for updates. For additional information, go to [www.CuyahogaBDD.org](http://www.CuyahogaBDD.org) or find us on Facebook.

## Northeast Ohio Transportation Equity Forum

Hear about transportation from national perspectives as well as proposed policy and strategies to address transportation barriers faced by persons with disabilities. Learn about the 2018 - 2019 state budget and its impact on transportation. Connect with advocates and leaders in the disability, aging, and transportation arenas to discuss ideas, exchange strategies and organize a course of action for future collaboration.

This forum takes place November 4 from 12:30 - 4 pm in Parma. RSVP required by Nov 1. Register at <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/northeast-ohio-transportation-equity-forum-tickets-38640162767>

Advertisement for ASD Research Project

### Are You a Parent or Guardian of a Teen or Young Adult (age 16-30) with Autism?

Consider participating in a research study at Case Western Reserve University about experiences of families caring for teens or young adults (age 16-30) with Autism Spectrum Disorders. Information from the study can help us create programs and services to support families like yours in the community. Participation involves a private in-person interview that lasts about 90 minutes. The interview will be scheduled at a time and place convenient for you. Participants will receive a VISA Gift Card. To hear more about this study, please contact Dr. David Biegel at [david.biegel@case.edu](mailto:david.biegel@case.edu) or 216-368-2308. We look forward to hearing from you.



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## The 17th Annual Ohio Adult Sibling Conference



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## Reaching for Benefits, Rights and Resources

Friday, Nov. 3 & Saturday, Nov. 4 • 2017

### Conference Details

- Registration: \$120
- Location: Embassy Suites Dublin, 5100 Upper Metro Place, Dublin, OH 43017
- Phone: (614) 790-9000 or (800) 220-9219

Contact Bobbi Montenegro at (330) 705-8367 for more information



Registration available at [www.ohiosibs.org](http://www.ohiosibs.org)

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## Winter Card Contest

The Cuyahoga County Board of Developmental Disabilities would like to have a festive image to share with other organizations, businesses and people in the community during the holiday season. We are inviting individuals with developmental disabilities to help with its design. The artwork will be shared in electronic greetings, along with a bio of the winning artist.

The winning artist will receive \$100. So get out those paints, pencils, markers or cameras and think winter!

### Here are the rules:

- Submit artwork on 8.5 x 11 paper or send in a photograph.
- *Please do not represent any one holiday.* Stick with winter scenes or symbols that represent the season or create an abstract, colorful design.
- Attach the artist's information form carefully to the back of art. (Form can be downloaded at [www.CuyahogaBDD.org](http://www.CuyahogaBDD.org), or simply list artists's name, address, phone number or email, and whether the entry was created independently or with assistance.)
- Send your artwork to CCBDD. Please do not fold.  
1275 Lakeside Ave. Cleveland, OH 44114-1129  
Attention: Holly Grady

Contest Deadline is November 22, 2017

For additional info, call (216) 736-2696 or email [grady.holly@CuyahogaBDD.org](mailto:grady.holly@CuyahogaBDD.org)



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