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**July 2017** 

## **Come to Our Annual Picnic!**

"Integrity! Health and Safety! Compassion! Diversity! Teamwork! Excellence! We are proud of our Core Values!" You are all invited to celebrate at our annual picnic event! This includes everyone from MCE participants, staff, friends, case managers, guardians, supporters, and family! Stop by the Kiwanis Community House located at Lyons Park on Wednesday, August 9th, from 11am to 2:30pm!

#### Have some fun!

During this event, our Client of the Year, Direct Support Professional, and Support Staff of the Year Awards will be announced! We will also have a drawing for our annual Staff of the Year prize giveaway!

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Janice and Virginia at Relay for Life

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#### Our MCE Picnic Theme this year is Elvis Beach Party! Stop by to enjoy any or all of the following great activities:

- Fun Carnival Games
- The incredibly talented Alpacaglobo Balloons and Funky Mugs Face Painting will be there to entertain and amaze you
- Try your cream pie throwing skills at your favorite staff
- Everyone Wins— Prizes for All!
- Music and Dancing
- Enjoy delicious BBQ provided by the Cheyenne Kiwanis Club

Come on out to share some BBQ, laughs, and good times with your MCE family! We look forward to seeing you there on August 9th from 11am to 2:30pm!

For more information or to volunteer for this event, contact:

Shay Ingram 307-637-8869 ext: 290.

MCE offers a variety of Services!

What are those?

**Adult Day** 

Community Integration

Residential

**Alternative Living** 

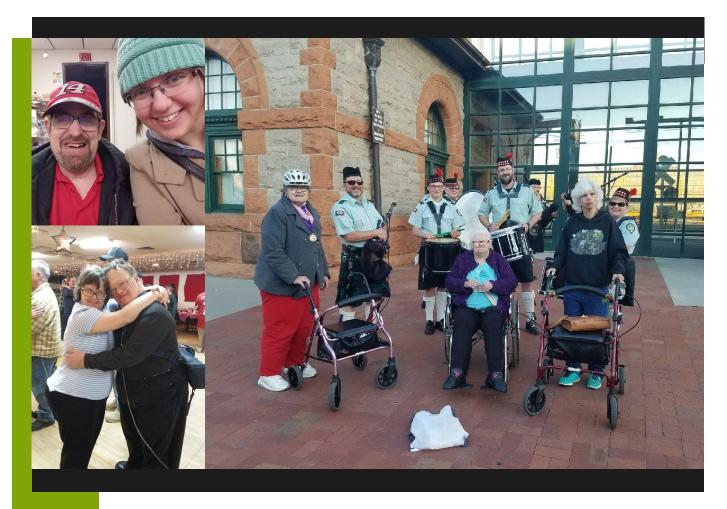
Supported Living

Customized Employment

Community/ Contract Employment

Occupational Therapy

Don't forget that the first Friday of every month is considered Magic City Spirit Day. Support MCE by wearing colors, hats, shirts, jackets, or anything else you may have that makes people think of MCE!



## **Monthly Awareness**

The people of Magic City want to make sure that everyone is aware and recognizes certain days, as we like to celebrate and have fun all the time!

June 16: National Picnic Day June 21: International Humanist Day June 24: National Kissing Day

July 1: International Reggae Day July 10: Don't Step on a Bee Day July 24: Samaritans Awareness Day

August 3: National Watermelon Day August 6: Friendship Day August 21: Senior Citizens Day August 26: Women's Equality Day June 19: Rheumatoid Arthritis Day June 23: Bring Your Dog to Work Day! June 27: International Sunglasses Day

July 4: Independence Day July 11: World Population Day

August 5: National Clown Day August 9: Book Lovers Day August 23: Ride the Wind Day August 30: Toasted Marshmallow Day



Let's get to know some facts and myths about lightning, considering it's that time of the year, folks!

Myth: Lightning never strikes the same place twice.

Fact: Lightning often strikes the same place repeatedly, especially if it's a tall, pointy, isolated object. The Empire State Building is actually hit nearly 100 times a year!

Myth: If it's not raining or there aren't clouds overhead, you're safe from lightning.

Fact: Lightning often strikes more than three miles from the center of a thunderstorm, far outside of the rain or thunderstorm cloud. "Bolts from the blue" can strike 10-15 miles from the thunderstorm.

Isn't that impressive?

#### Therap Hint IPOPs

Keep on the look out for new "To Dos" called IPOPs. The term IPOP stands for Individual Plan of Protective Oversight. These are, in a nut shell, a quick "get to know me" about each

person. Every time you see an IPOP show up, please take the time to review the information so that you know and understand each individual's needs.

## Therap Hint <u>Finding IPCs</u>

On the left side of Therap, you'll notice a fancy button called "Individual Home Page." Click on this button and type in the name of the individual you are looking for. Once their profile shows up, you can select the "Plans" button beneath their name and scroll down to find a direct link to that individuals Plan of Care! Yes, it's just that easy! Jeff's Weather Report The Upcoming Months! 300% chance of being cloudy and then sunshine 74% fluctuation **Precipitation:** -15 degrees Humidity: 30 degrees Wind: 10 mph





#### Attention!

We are currently asking for ideas from any and everyone to come up with a bunch of fun and creative safety slogans!

The prize for the #1 selection is a \$25 IHOP gift card and a few unique bottle openers donated by this year's Brewfest.

Multiple entries are encouraged!

The winning submission will be adopted as MCE's official Safety Slogan, starting this year.

Please submit your entry to:

John Abas Risk Reduction Coordinator 307-637-8869 ext: 239

# **Magic City is Moving Forward!**

Please welcome Susan Brown in the newly developed position of Living Options Developer!

## What does this position do?

- . Enriches lives and encourages independence in daily living.
- Searches far and wide for apartments and settings of choice.
  - . Works towards individualized living settings.
  - Supports the latest trend of helping people move into the community and promoting integration with everybody.
    - Researches low-income housing opportunities!

We are looking for new people to provide services for in a new living capacity, be it a house, an apartment, a studio, and more!

## Are you interested in apartment living?

Please contact:

Susan Brown (307) 637-8869 ext: 240 sbrown@mcewyo.org

#### Guess what else is new!?

Susan is also our staff scheduler, so please call her for scheduling! We're getting ready for Cheyenne Frontier Days!

Concerts, funnel cakes, the Rodeo, Championship Bull Riding, Old West Museum, Behind the Chutes, and more... We can't wait to be there!

Aren't you excited !?

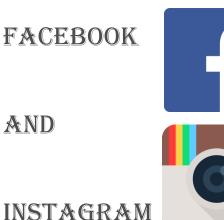
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#### Please Welcome Back Arc-Scursions!

The Arc of Laramie County is proud to announce that they are bringing back their Arc Excursions!

The first big trip is to a Rockies game on September 3rd! Cost: Members \$30 Non-Members \$40 Transportation, lunch, and the game ticket are included.

Ticket purchases are due by August 3rd. Order now, as the bus only seats 56 people!

Please contact: Charity Moore Executive Director of The Arc of Laramie County arcoflc@gmail.com (307) 632-1209



**Meet Jimmy!** 

# Meet our Newsletter Team!

 Sam Clark, Mandy Liley, Kim Casner, Kim Shaw, Shay Ingram, John Abas, and Jeff are the writers, contributors, and editors!

## What do we do?

- Many of us are a part of the MCE Marketing Committee, which strives to get Magic City's name out there and known!
- Every one of us works in a different MCE department, but we all work together as a part of Magic City's amazing team!

**DO** you have ideas for our next edition?

If you are interested in being a part of our next issue, please contact Sam Clark. Phone: 307-637-8869 ext. 263 Email: sclark@mcewyo.org

We are accepting a variety of submissions and would love to hear more voices!

Deadline is August 28, 2017

Magic City Enterprises, "Supporting Individuals with Disabilities to Live Successfully."

Magic City Enterprises 1780 Westland Road Cheyenne WY, 82001 www.mcewyo.org



#### **Upcoming Events**

MCE Movie Night

Come watch a movie, enjoy some popcorn, and play some games with your friends! Friday, July 14th 5:30-8pm 1750 Westland Road

Seasonal Birthday Bash!

August 17th, 11am-2pm 1750 Westland Rd.

MCE Auxiliary Team

July 18th, 5:30pm August 15th, 5:30pm September 19th, 5:30pm 301 Deming Drive

<u>Shoot for the Stars</u> Masquerade Prom July 8, 5-9pm First United Methodist Church

<u>Arc-Scursion to a</u> <u>Rockies Game!</u> September 3rd, 2017 Ticket information at the Arc of Laramie County

MCE Annual Picnic August 9th, 11am-2:30pm Kiwanis Community House

If you have events that you would like to add to our community calendar, please submit them to Sam Clark.