



Resource of Hope Inc is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization dedicated to providing resources to help meet the physical and emotional needs of foster youth living in Johnson and surrounding counties.

The Resource

February/March 2020

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As you can see, we have a new Newsletter format! We'd love to hear what you think of it. Send us an email or Facebook message if you have suggestions on what you'd like to see here. We sure hope you enjoy this new format – but if you don't, we're open to (kind) suggestions.

We're excited to welcome Heath Brant to our Board of Directors. We know he'll be a STAR component of our Resources of Hope team. Keep your eyes open for some exciting news regarding Heath in the months to come!

BIRTHDAY BLESSING

Let us help you make your foster little's special day even more special! You can find the request for Birthday Blessing on our website: www.resourcesofhope.org/birthday-blessings and pick up their wrapped gifts at Resources of Hope during our open hours.



Meet-up with other foster parents to share in the ups and downs of foster care. This group is intended to provide support and education to foster parents. Each meet-up will provide an opportunity for parents to share their experience as well as have an informative topic related to foster care for discussion. Please register via our website at: <https://www.resourcesofhope.org/morning-meet-up>

A reminder:
We believe our foster friends deserve the very best we can offer them. When dropping off donations, please only bring NEW or GENTLY USED toys & clothes. We simply cannot accept broken toys, toys with missing pieces, stained or worn out clothing, etc.
Thank You for your understanding.



**Saturday April 25th
Center Grove High School**

Walk/Run for a cause.

**Please join us on April 25th at
Rock the Block.**

Early registration is open through April 7th

Visit our website to Register.

**On Step 2 of your on-line registration, please select
Resources of Hope under "Select your charity."**

Are you looking for books for kids with anxiety, trauma, ADHD, neglect, OCD, depression, etc? If so, check out this amazing compilation of books:

<https://childmind.org/article/best-childrens-books-about-mental-health/>

*Shopping for a Prom dress?
Check out these FREE options!*



Trafalgar Branch/Sat / Feb. 29 / 10 a.m.-2 p.m.
White River Branch/Thu / Mar. 26 / noon-6 p.m./Fri / Mar. 27 / noon-6 p.m./Sat / Mar. 28 / 10 a.m.-2 p.m.
Franklin Branch/Thu / Mar. 29 / 1-3 p.m./Mon / Mar. 30 / 3-7 p.m./Tue / Mar. 31 / 1-4 p.m.
Indy Public Library, East 38th Street Branch/Thu / Apr. 2 / 2:30-5:30 p.m./Fri / Apr. 3 / 2:30-5:30 p.m./Sat / Apr. 4 / noon-4 p.m.

**PROM DRESS
GIVEAWAY!!!**



Designers:

Sherril Hill
Ellie Wilde
Primavera
Faviania
And More!!

Clark Pleasant Academy, 129 U.S Highway 31
Anyone in need of a dress is welcome!
February 22, 2020 Time: 10am-Noon
317-535-3241



Dresses are FREE and most NWT!!

**WANT TO KEEP UP TO DATE ON
RESOURCE OF HOPE'S LATEST NEWS?**

Follow us on Social Media:

Facebook.com/ResourcesOfHope

Instagram.com/ResourcesOfHope



**In addition to our Board of Directors
and our Staff, Resources of Hope Inc
would like to Thank the following
people and organizations for making
Hope for the Holidays 2019 a success.
We had 58 Families and 158 Children
register, this wouldn't have been
made possible without you all!**

- A+ Restoration
- Ancor
- Angel Horn Photography
- Anytime Fitness Center Grove
- Artcraft Theatre
- ATI Physical Therapy
- Bombas
- Canary Creek Cinemas
- Center Grove Fine Arts Academy
- Chick-Fil-A/Greenwood
- City BBQ
- Compass Park Rec Center/Jenna Butler
- Daily Journal
- Elite Salon
- Franklin College
- Grill Bar & Elks
- John Venter & Karen Robertson
- Josh Grow
- Kohl's Cares Employees
- Korn Country
- Kristi Mann, Toni & Peer Class at Whiteland HS
- McAllister's
- NSK
- One Click Ventures
- Patrick's Car & Truck
- Peak Stone Company
- Quinn Schantz
- RNR Tires
- Shawna Brooks Home Team
- Sherry McMichael
- The Grill Bar
- Toodley Doo Toys
- Wilhelm Construction

February

2020

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
26	27 OPEN 10-6	28	29 OPEN 10-6	30	31 OPEN 10-6	1 OPEN 9-12 9:00-1:00 CPR
2	3 OPEN 10-6	4 10:00- 11:30 Morning Meet-Up	5 OPEN 10-6	6	7 OPEN 10-6 6:00-8:00 Teen Connect Guys	8
9	10 OPEN 10-6	11	12 OPEN 10-6	13	14 OPEN 10-6	15
16 2:00-5:00 Recharge!	17 OPEN 10-6	18 <u>10:00- 11:30 Morning Meet-Up</u>	19 OPEN 10-6	20	21 OPEN 10-6	22
23	24 OPEN 10-6	25	26 OPEN 10-6	27	28 OPEN 10-6 <u>6:00-8:00 Teen Connect Girls</u>	29
1	2 OPEN 10-6	3 <u>10:00- 11:30 Morning Meet-Up</u>	4 OPEN 10-6	5	6 OPEN 10-6	7 OPEN 9-12



We know these teen years are tough and we're here to help.

Teen Connect is for any youth in foster, kinship(guardianship) care or adopted.

Guys group typically meets on the the 2nd Friday of the month.

Girls group typically meets on the the 4th Friday. We have quarterly Co-Ed events.

We hope your teen will join us for pizza, snack, conversation, laughs and a fun get together!

Please register via our website at: www.resourcesofhope.org/teenconnect

Questions? Email Renae: r.furnee@resourcesofhope.org

March

2020

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2 OPEN 10-6	3 10:00-11:30 Morning Meet-Up	4 OPEN 10-6	5	6 OPEN 10-6	7 OPEN 9-12
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15	16 OPEN 10-6 Provider Open House	17 10:00-11:30 Morning Meet-Up	18 OPEN 10-6	19	20 OPEN 10-6	21
22	23 CLOSED	24	25 OPEN 10-6	26	27 OPEN 10-6	28
29	30 OPEN 10-6	31	1 OPEN 10-6	2	3 OPEN 10-6	4 OPEN 9-12 Volunteer Orientation
5	6 OPEN 10-6	7 10:00-11:30 Morning Meet-Up	8 OPEN 10-6	9 “ Afternoon of Hope ”	10 OPEN 10-6 6:00-8:00 Teen Connect-Guys	11

Items Needed at The Closet:

IKEA bags (or larger bags for our foster families to bring home clothes)
 Deodorant * Diapers (sizes 4, 5, & 6) * Boys size 5 & 6 clothing (we're out)
 Baby Wipes * Boys shoes youth sizes 10, 11, 12, 13 & 1