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ROH NEWS

Resources of Hope 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.

UPDATES

Hello! We have so many exciting things happening at Resources of Hope and we can't wait to share them with you!

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This past month we partnered with Greenwood Christian Church to host our Recharge Event. Recharge is essentially a day off for foster parents in our community. With the help of GCC High School Youth Group (pictured above) we were able to watch 30 kids who enjoyed playing games, doing crafts, watching movies, and eating plenty of snacks; while the parents enjoyed having a few hours to themselves. We would like to give a special thank you to our teen volunteers and everyone else who played a role in making this event successful. We could not have pulled it off without you guys. Stay on the lookout for more events like this in the future!

Upcoming Events

December 8th: Hope for the Holidays

2pm-5pm

December 13th: Teen Connect: Coed Party

6pm-8pm

December 23th-27th: Closet Closed

January 1st: Closet Closed

January 7th: Morning Meet Up

10am-11:30am

January 10th Guys Teen Connect

6pm-8pm

January 11th Stewards of Children

9am-11am

January 21st Morning Meet Up

10am-11:30am

January 24th Girls Teen Connect

6pm-8pm

February 8th QPR

9am-11am

Teen Connect: Nightmare Before Christmas Party

There will be food, games, karaoke, Nightmare Before Christmas movie playing and a "White Elephant" gift exchange. This isn't something you should spend money on, this is simply something you find around the house. It can be an actual gift (game, book, toy, etc), or something as silly as a 1/2 roll of TP. (We will have a few extra gifts if you're unable to bring one.) We hope you will join us for the fun!



BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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*Are you interested in becoming a board member? Email s.huber@resourcesofhope.org

Meet Brian Brewer

What is the most important thing you have learned in the last 5 years?

I got my MBA.

When was the last time you laughed so hard you cried?

In October with my family at my cousin's wedding.

Where is the best place you've traveled and why?

Melbourne, Australia because the people are super friendly, and it is packed with interesting wildlife to entertain my love for nature.

Tell me about someone who has influenced your decision to volunteer with RoH?

Definitely Summer and her stories.

What are 3 words to describe RoH?

Passion, community, resourceful



Thank you Volunteers!

Resources of Hope Relies 100% on volunteers. Volunteers play a vital role as part of the ROH Team. It is because of volunteers that ROH is able to provide resources to foster families.

We have a variety of service opportunities:
Clothing closet volunteers, special events, fundraising, grant writing, and more!

Do you have a group or organization that would like to get involved by hosting a collection drive? We are currently looking for groups to host the following drives: Diaper, New Toys, New Pajamas, and New undies. For more info email Renae at r.furnee@resourcesofhope.org

If you are interesting in learning more about volunteering, visit our website:
www.resourcesofhope.org

ROH is looking for volunteers who have experience in Fundraising and Marketing. Is that you? If so email Renae.



Closet Needs

General:

- Diapers Size 3-7

Shop our Registry on Amazon by visiting our website. Click on the donate tab, and then the link to our wish list!

You can also designate Resources of Hope as your organization of choice on Amazon Smile.

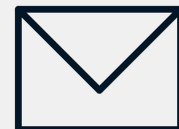


Kroger Community Rewards
To use this program simply visit <http://www.kroger.com>. Search for **RESOURCES OF HOPE INC** either by name or DD093 and then click Enroll.



Online Financial Donations can be made on our website.

Checks can also be made and mailed to:
Resources of Hope
410 US 31 Suite R, Whiteland IN 46184



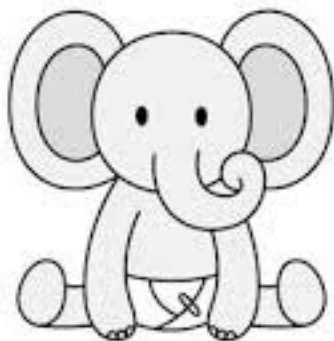
Resource Parent Hub



Indiana Diaper Source

Indiana Diaper Source is committed to improving the physical, mental and economic well-being of families with diaper age children by providing diapers and diapering essentials to those in need.

For more information go to
www.indianadiapersource.org
317-641-1337



Morning Meet-Up at ROH

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.

*If you would like to use this group for training hours please contact your licensing specialist for approval. Registration will be available on the website beginning in January.



Foster Family Care Corner

Even if you aren't able foster yourself, there is always something you can do to help a foster family.

Each month we will be highlighting one way.

'Tis the Season For Giving

Get with your church and build a respite care team. Certified babysitters can watch a child for a short period of time (generally less than 48 hours). When extended breaks are needed or travel plans require it, respite care providers are needed.

These are extremely hard to find. Help serve foster families by having a team in place so they have someone to call on if they need to travel.



Clothing Closet Hours

Monday	10:00 am - 6:00 pm
Wednesday	10:00 am - 6:00 pm
Friday	10:00 am - 6:00 pm
1st Saturday each month	9:00 am - 12:00 pm

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