

COMMUNITY CARE SERVICES



INTENSIVE FOSTER CARE & ADOPTION PROGRAM

JUNE 2010



Join us at Buttonwood Park Zoo for
the
"Walk For Kids"
Saturday, June 12, 2010 @ 9AM
Rain or Shine

For more information check out:
<http://walkforkids@communitycareservices.org>



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This Month...

National GLBT Month
National Smile Month

June 10-13: Superman Week
June 24-27: Watermelon Seed Spitting
Week

June 1: Say Something Nice Day
June 20: Father's Day

Foster Parent Appreciation Dinner

Thank you to all the foster parents and family members who attended the dinner on May 13th and made the event such a success! We missed those of you who couldn't be with us and hope to see you next year.

*A great time was had by all!
And to all the foster parents in our program, thank you again for your commitment to providing children with stable, supportive and nurturing homes!*

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Mark Your Calendar

Summer is fast approaching! Have you thought about summer camp for the children or teens in your home? Please speak with your case manager regarding information on scholarships and the enrichment fund. For more information on YMCA camps you can call your local YMCA or go to: www.ymcasouthcoast.org.

Upcoming Trainings

Presented by Bailey's Team:

- ★ June 16: Autism in the Community:
Inclusion and Acceptance

To register for this **free** education trainings visit www.baileysteam.org

The New Bedford Career Center is now taking applications for summer jobs!

Location: 5 Dover Street,
New Bedford, MA

Please Note: Wareham residents can pick up applications at:
48 Marion Road, Wareham, MA

Time: Monday through Friday between
2:30 p.m. and 4 p.m.

****Reminder****

Behavior Management (CPI) training is now an annual requirement for all foster parents. This training will be offered as a Large Group at each of the four sites. See schedule at the bottom of this page. Please watch for additional dates to be announced in upcoming newsletters.

Please note: If you are unable to attend one of the four CPI Large Group trainings mentioned above, you will need to contact Suzanne Gaspar at 508-821-7774 to register for one of the bi-weekly, all day CPI trainings regularly held at the Taunton, MA office.

Just a reminder...foster parents need to take **CPR/First Aid** every two years. The agency offers this training on every other Wednesday from 9:00 - 3:30 p.m. at the Taunton office. Please call Suzanne Gaspar at 508-821-7774 to schedule this training.

Clothing Checks

In Massachusetts, clothing checks are issued by DCF on a quarterly basis. This quarter, Foster Parents can expect to receive their checks in June. If you have not received your check by the end of June contact your case worker.

Large Group Schedule

- **JUNE 15: NEW BEDFORD, MA OFFICE**
6 - 8PM— BEHAVIOR MANAGEMENT



Staff Anniversaries

2 Years

Katelyn Caton
Caitlin Walsh



Join us in wishing Christine Forsyth good luck. She has been a Foster Parent Recruiter with us for 2 years and is transferring to our Therapeutic Foster Care Agency in Connecticut. She will be missed.

Welcome Aboard!!

A warm welcome to our
new Foster Parent:

Franz Jean Gilles (Dorchester, MA)

Foster Parent Anniversaries

1 Year

Karen & Glen Palmer

5 Years

Marge & Richard Telford

6 Years

Phil Dann & Kathy Egan-Dann

18 Years

Marie Auglis

21 Years

Sue & Bill Taylor

27 Years

Elaine Rose

OUR PROGRAM WOULD LIKE TO
CONGRATULATE ALL THE
GRADUATES OF 2010!!

GRADUATING FROM 8TH GRADE:

- ★ ANTHONY B.
- ★ SHAWN H.
- ★ KAYLA K.
- ★ ADRIAN L.
- ★ MARC L.
- ★ LAKESHA M.
- ★ TYLER P.
- ★ LIZZY P.
- ★ TEVIN G.



GRADUATING FROM 12TH GRADE:

- ★ ALEXANDER A.
- ★ NATHAN H.
- ★ BRIAN L.
- ★ PAUL M.
- ★ MELVYN W.
- ★ ASHLEY D.
- ★ CHRISTIANA P.



GRADUATING FROM ROB ROY ACADEMY:

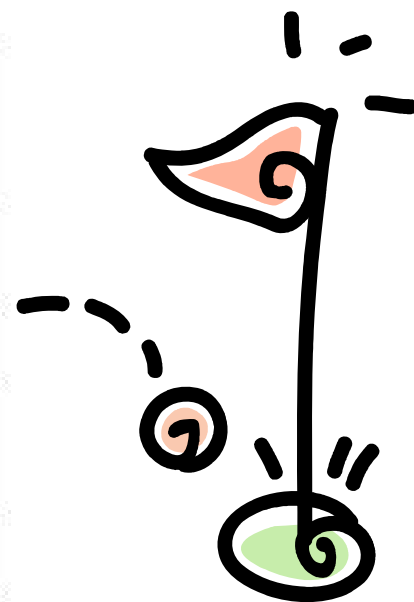
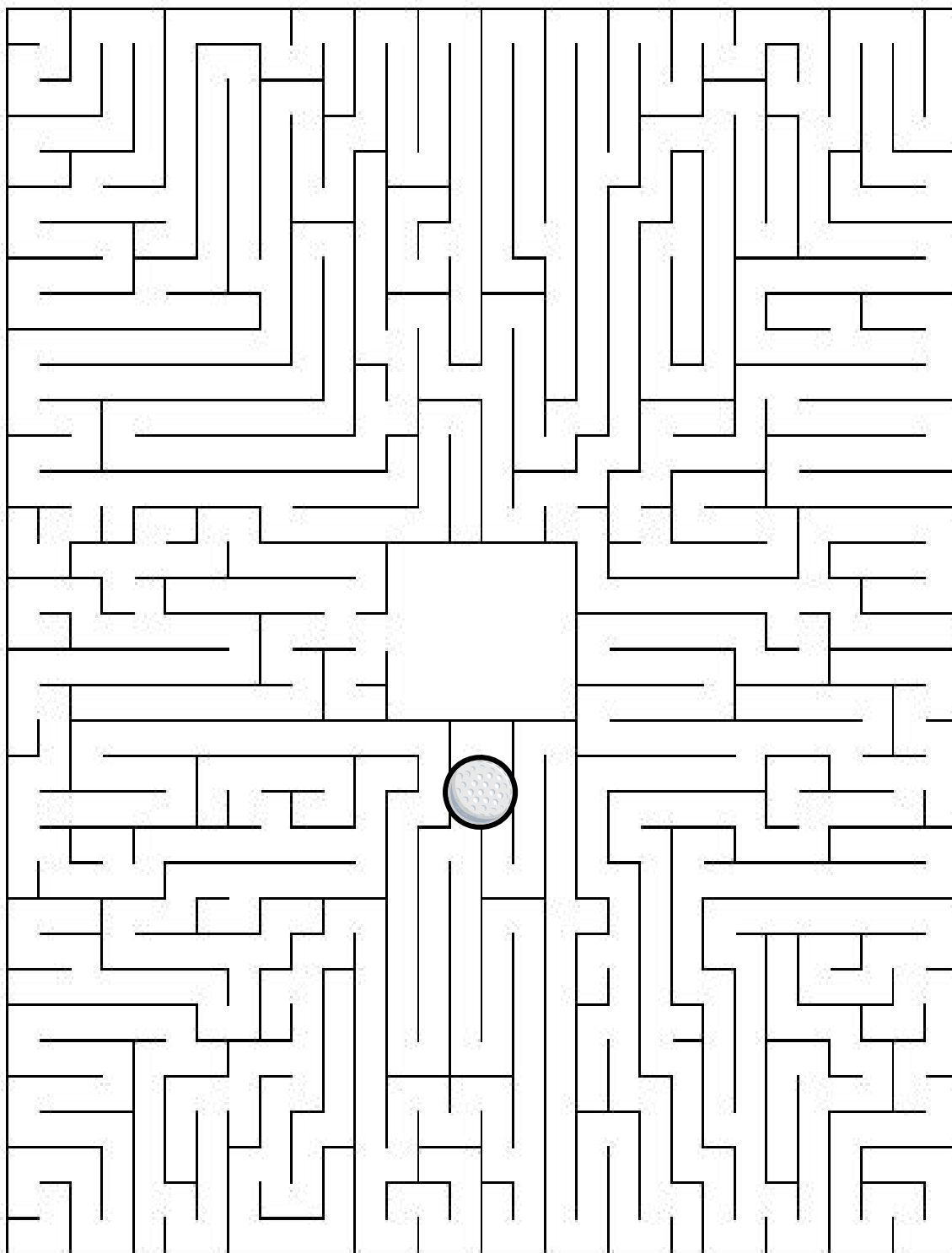
- ★ LIZZY W.

SPOTLIGHT

Congratulations to Ashley D. on being accepted into the ASCL program at Bridgewater State College for the Fall of 2010. Ashley has worked hard at earning good grades, while playing for Wareham High School's Girl's Basketball team. We wish you the best of luck! You have more than earned this opportunity!!

GREAT WORK ASHLEY!

Puzzle Page



Can you help find
the golf ball?
←START HERE



Q: Why do golfers take an extra pair of socks?
A: *In case they get a hole in one!*