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INTENSIVE SKILL-BUILDING CLINICS FOR CHILDREN WITH AUTISM

FALL 2019

NIPISSING/MUSKOKA/PARRY SOUND

CIRCLES FOR CHILDREN

Help your child develop the skills for creating relationships and social boundaries by registering for our Circles Clinic. This 5-week program will teach children, ages 4 to 6, about the different types of relationships they have with people and the closeness that is appropriate in each of those relationships. Circles will support learning to form relationships and maintain them, according to social norms and social boundaries. Children, with help from their caregiver(s), will be taught to recognize the characteristics to identify specific relationships. This Clinic includes 4 child-centered sessions, plus a 1-hour caregiver information session (held during the first session)

North Bay – Saturdays from 9:00 am to 10:30 am (September 7, 14, 21, 28 & October 5)

Bracebridge – Saturdays from 9:00 am to 10:30 am (September 7, 14, 21, 28 & October 5)

Parry Sound – Tuesdays from 4:00 pm to 5:30 pm (September 10, 17, 24, October 1 & 8)

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: FRIDAY, AUGUST 30, 2019

EARLY SOCIALIZERS

Help your child develop the skills for creating positive peer interactions by joining our Early Socializers Clinic. This 4-week program will help children, ages 6 to 9, develop and strengthen their social skills with peers. Children will learn these essential skills by engaging in a variety of school-age games and group activities, with the support of their caregiver(s). Early Socializers is also a great opportunity for caregivers to connect and share their experiences.

North Bay – Saturdays from 11:00 am to 12:30 pm (September 7, 14, 21, & 28)

Bracebridge – Saturdays from 11:00 am to 12:30 pm (September 14, 21, 28 & October 5)

Parry Sound – Thursdays from 5:30 pm to 7:00 pm (September 12, 19, 26 & October 3)

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LET'S GET SOCIAL AND START BUILDING

Help your child develop the skills for creating positive peer interactions while having fun building and experimenting in our Social Building Clinic. This 4-week program will help children, ages 9 to 12, develop and strengthen their social skills with peers. Children will learn these essential skills by engaging in a variety of crafts, building activities and science experiments. Areas of focus will include turn-taking, waiting, sharing and positive social interactions in an inclusive and judgement-free space.

North Bay – Saturdays from 1:00 pm to 2:30 pm (September 7, 14, 21 & 28)

Bracebridge – Wednesdays from 5:30 pm to 7:00 pm (September 11, 18, 25 & October 2)

Parry Sound – Saturdays from 10:00 am to 11:30 am (September 14, 21, 28 & October 5)

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INTENSIVE SKILL-BUILDING CLINICS FOR YOUTH WITH AUTISM FALL 2019 NIPISSING/MUSKOKA/PARRY SOUND

CIRCLES FOR YOUTH

Help your youth develop the skills for creating relationships and social boundaries by registering for our Circles Clinic. This program is designed to support each youth in learning and understanding the different relationships and intimacies they may encounter in their life. This 4-week program will teach youth, ages 12 to 16, about the different types of relationships they have with people and the closeness that is appropriate in each of those relationships. Circles will support learning to form relationships and maintain them, according to social norms and social boundaries. Participants can expect to be taught to recognize the characteristics to identify specific relationships.

North Bay – Tuesdays from 6:00 pm to 7:30 pm (September 10, 17, 24 & October 1)

Bracebridge – Mondays from 5:30 pm to 7:00 pm (September 9, 16, 23 & 30)

Parry Sound – Saturdays from 12:00 pm to 1:30 pm (September 14, 21, 28 & October 5)

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: FRIDAY, AUGUST 30, 2019

TRANSITION TO ADULTHOOD

Help your youth develop the skills for independence and day-to-day routines by joining our Transition to Adulthood Clinic, for ages 14 to 18. Participants will learn daily living skills to help develop independence, including personal hygiene, organization, saving, nutrition, and cooking. Your youth will learn with peers in an interactive social and inclusive learning environment.

North Bay – Wednesdays from 6:00 pm to 7:30 pm (September 11, 18, 25 & October 2)

Bracebridge – Tuesdays from 5:30 pm to 7:00 pm (September 10, 17, 24 & October 1)

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