

“Lighting the Way for a Brighter Day!”

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Staff Spotlight - Case Navigator: Say hello to our new part-time Case Navigator, Hillary Adams! Hillary comes to us from the mental health field as a Qualified Mental Health Specialist (QMHS) MHS with experience in parent coaching and running various types of groups for youth and adults. Hillary even created her own life-skills curriculum for youth, and worked as a program manager for our county’s Board of Developmental Disabilities. With additional training as a Strengthening Families facilitator and also in Growing Great Kids, we are excited to see Hillary start working with individual families while also developing and running one or more groups to meet needs within the Resource Center’s target population. What’s great is that Hillary is already experienced in connecting families with local resources and other agencies! And, the icing on the cake is that Hillary also has experience in working with families in Judge Shriver’s Family Recovery Court, which specializes in helping parents in recovery to regain custody of and reunite with their children while also gaining vital life- and job-skills. So, welcome to the team, Hillary!



Webpage:

<https://clermontcountyohio.gov/clermont-county-juvenile-community-resource-center>

The Parent Project: Changing Destructive Adolescent Behavior: The Parent Project is an open, free-of-charge class for parents of children ages 12 and older ... even for parents of adult children still living at home. This class is designed for parents whose child is out of control (or nearly so) and whose strong-willed and defiant nature renders traditional parenting techniques ineffective. The next class will begin on **Thursday, 2/12/2026**, from **5:45 - 8:00 PM**, and will run for ten weeks. Only parents attend. For more information or to sign-up, please contact Greg Handleton at **ghandleton@clermontcountyohio.gov** or **513.732.7699** ASAP. See our webpage for full details. Please contact Greg first about childcare needs.

The Parent Project was started in Los Angeles as a parenting class to help parents whose children were involved with the gangs. Over the years the content of this curriculum has been developed with the direct input and help of countless parents looking for solid, actionable answers to their questions. Some of the topics that are covered include:

Establishing House Rules - Compliant vs. Strong-Willed Children - Love & Affection - Positive & Negative Consequences - How To Never Argue With Your Children Again - How To Intervene with Poor Peer Choices - The Difference Between 'Influence' & 'Control' - The 5-Step Action Plan - Spot Checks - Intervening with Alcohol & Other Drug Use - The Things Parents Can & Cannot Control - Handling Wayward Adult Children, etc., etc.

Quotable Quote:

“There’s no such thing as a ‘bad’ child, rather, ‘bad’ kids are simply immature, afraid, unskilled, grieving, hurting, or unsupported.”

A CLASS FOR PARENTS OF KIDS WITH AUTISM (ASD)

An Open Educational Support & Discussion Group – Basic Information, Guidance, and Resources
Slowly but surely we're getting this new, free resource off the ground! Please visit the following webpage to find ALL of the information you need to be able to attend this class either in-person or via the Microsoft Teams app: <https://clermontcountyohio.gov/clermont-county-juvenile-community-resource-center>.



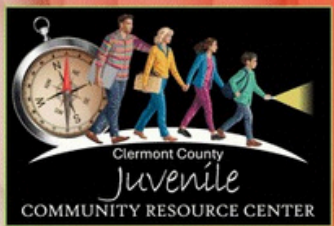
Coffee Talk

A support and resourcing group for custodial grandparents

For More Info. or to Sign-Up: Contact:
Paige Olson: 513.732.7697 (office)
polson@clermontcountyohio.gov

Dates: Wednesdays, starting 1/14/2026
Location: 2339 Clermont Center Dr. - Batavia, OH - 45103
Time: 11:00 - 12:00 PM

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!!! Community Resources Spotlight !!!


😊😊😊 One of the goals of our new Resource Center is to make people aware of resources, some of which may have remained unknown in their own back yards! Many of these resources are NFPs (Not-For-Profit organizations) and church or para-church ministries. 😊😊😊

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HANDS OF HOPE PROJECT

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GOSHEN, OHIO 45122

This is also an **after-school program** for the Goshen area, which includes **free transportation** to and from the Goshen Church of God (Note: This is faith-based programming that is still covered by Medicaid. Staff can help you get your child or yourself signed-up for Medicaid. They also run a **4-hour summer camp program** Monday through Friday over the summer! Basically, if your family has a need, it can't hurt to call them and see how they might be able to help! There are even **telehealth-based psychiatric services** available 😊😊😊