

#ProtectPAKids NEWSLETTER

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- At PFSA, we're getting ready! -

April is Child Abuse Prevention Month

Find out more on our website, pa-fsa.org, and in our next newsletter!

GET INVOLVED!

Saturday, March 30, 2019

Flag Planting on Front & State Streets in Harrisburg

Wednesday, April 3, 2019

Annual PA Blue Ribbon Champions for Safe Kids Awards & Child Abuse Prevention Month Ceremony in Harrisburg

Monday, April 8, 2019

Painting for Prevention Community Mural in Wilkes-Barre, PA

Wednesday, April 10, 2019

Flag Planting & First Annual PA Blue Ribbon Champions for Safe Kids Ceremony in Pittsburgh

UPCOMING TRAINING DATES & PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Mandated Reporter Training

PFSA Harrisburg • April 12th

Mandated Reporter Training TTT Sessions

Philadelphia • April 16 & 17 | Harrisburg • May 20 & 21

Families in Recovery Training TTT Session Westmoreland • May 9 & 10

The Front Porch Program Training TTT SessionYork • May 17

Find more dates on our calendar: pa-fsa.org/calendar

Tackle Tough Parenting Subjects With Our New Series

PFSA is excited to announce new additions to our collection of caregiver publications!

At PFSA, we believe all families deserve access to two vital resources: Quality, reliable information and support for the good times and the more challenging moments of parenthood. Take some time to visit our online store at pa-fsa.org/Online-Store and request a free sample pack today. The publications include:

- Setting Limits on Screen Time for Kids & Families: Support for Caregivers in a Digital Age
- Creating a Family Social Media Policy: Guidance for Setting Limits & Healthy Boundaries Online
- Difficult Conversations with Teens: What is Sexting, and What Should I Do About It?

There are more where that came from! Check out our upcoming newsletters, and visit our website often to stay up-to-date with future resources like these. Spring 2019 will feature new publications focusing on topics like:

- Cyber & School-Based Bullying: Conversations with Kids & Teens
- Responding to Teen Pregnancy:
 Guidance and Support for Caregivers,
 Mentors, and Providers
- ► Teen Dating Violence: Guidance & Support for Caregivers













Painting for Prevention: Fostering Connections & Raising Awareness Through Creativity

Every year, PFSA works with local organizations and agencies across PA to bring awareness to communities statewide through creative community engagement and education. This year, United Way of Wyoming Valley will host artists and students at E.L Meyers High School in Wilkes-Barre, PA, to create a vibrant mural with a message that celebrates community connections and the vital role every citizen plays in keeping kids safe.

Thank you to United Way of Wyoming Valley for sponsoring this event, which will serve as a reminder that child abuse can be prevented in all PA communities year-round.

For more information on this program or to sponsor a mural in your community, please contact us at 717-238-0937.