



Edgebrook Arts Exhibit

The Arc's

Project Art

and

Beadware

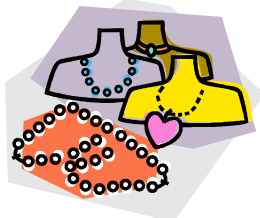
Artists will have their art and jewelry on display and for purchase.

Saturday June 12th

10:00am to 5:00pm

1639 N. Alpine Rd.

Rockford, IL 61107



The Arc's Shining Stars recently performed at The Arc of Illinois Convention.

Congratulations on a great performance!



Josette Beek, Todd Montgomery, Alexis Malachowski, Heather Caudell, Tina Stringham.



Family Support Grant Eliminated

Illinois' disastrous budget includes the elimination of The Family Support Grant.

That grant funds many of the services we provide including: Low-Cost Guardianships, Resource and Referral, Money Management/Rep Payee, Social Activities, and Family/Participant Workshops.

We plan to continue to provide Family Support; so here is how you can help:

1. Buy/Sell Great Home Giveaway Tickets
2. Make a Contribution
3. Urge Legislators to pass a responsible budget with adequate revenue

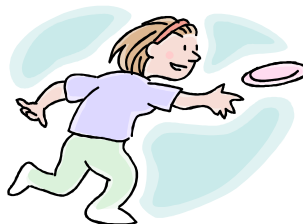
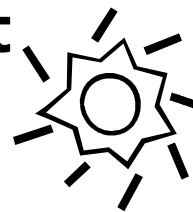
Visit www.thearcofil.org for budget crisis updates and other news affecting people with disabilities and their families.

"Welcome Summer" Rec Night

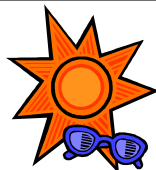
Wednesday, June 9th

6:00-8:00pm

at The Arc
**\$3.00 per
person**



DJ ~ Dancing ~ Bumper Pool
Board Games ~ Outdoor Games ~ Darts



"In Summer, the song sings itself."

William Carlos Williams

Anyone planning on coming to any Arc activity MUST sign up at least 48 hours in advance. Call (815) 965-3455. Right of admission reserved.

If you have never attended an Arc activity, or have not done so in the past year, you must schedule an intake meeting with the Activities Coordinator, Lauren Prchal, before signing up for any activities.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3 Project Art 3:30-5:00 pm	4	5
6	7 Beadware 3:30 -5:00 pm	8	9 Rec Night 6:00 -8:00pm	10 Project Art 3:30 -5:00 pm Skills Training 5:30-7:30 pm	11	12 Edgebrook Arts Exhibit 10:00 -5:00 pm
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Illinois by the numbers: *(all figures according to The 2008 State of the States of Developmental Disabilities)*

- Illinois institutionalizes more people with developmental disabilities than any other state.
- Illinois RANKS LAST (51 out of 51) in the % of people with a developmental disability living in a setting of 1-6 people.
- Illinois RANKS 47th in spending per capita on the HCBS Wavier.
- Illinois RANKS 40th in total fiscal effort.
- Americans with Disabilities for Attendant Programs Today (ADAPT) names Illinois to the 2008 list of Ten WORST States in the delivery of home and community services to people with disabilities and older Americans.



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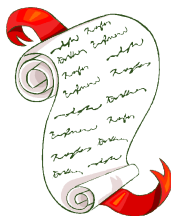
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Our Vision:
A Society For All:
Equal Access,
Equal Opportunity
Empowerment



The Arc's Wish List

- Copy Paper
- Seminar Tables (narrow)
- Fax Machine
(less than 3 years old)
- Bean Bags Outdoor Game
- Other Games (indoor and outdoor)
- Beads/Jewelry Making Supplies
- Art Supplies
- Darts (plastic)



Arc T-Shirts For Sale

\$10.00

Cash

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I love my
Arc T-shirt!

