

April 2022 Newsletter



Isaac's Story

By Brenna Destito

My name is Brenna, and I love being mom to 2 amazing kids. My oldest child, Isaac was born the day after Christmas. We had experienced infertility struggles for two years prior, and he was the Christmas gift we had long awaited. As a nurse I've had the great privilege of watching many families interact with their newborns during those first days and weeks of life. Finally experiencing those moments with our own baby felt almost surreal. [Read More](#)

For more family stories, visit our [Parent to Parent Family Stories](#) page

A Note from Parent to Parent

Spring has sprung!! Spring always feels like an awakening from a long sleep to me. I love all the buds on the trees, flowers popping up and most of all the sunshine. With mask mandates lifted and covid numbers down, this spring we will be offer more in person events and recreational opportunities. Baseball and softball are back, our Easter potluck and hunt will be in person and our meetings will be in person as well. It will be so nice to be able to see your full face and your smiles.

We are available for one on one appointments either in our office or out in the community and would love to assist you in filling out paperwork, helping with

resources or just meeting to touch base about how things are going in your family. Give us a call, we look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,
Angie and Ysabel

YMCA Spring Break Swim Lessons

April 4-8, 6:15pm to 6:55 pm
Just a few spots left!



[Information & Registration](#)

Challenger Baseball LET'S PLAY BALL



Registration is open at <https://www.w2pacificll.com/>

Challenger baseball games will be played on Fridays from 5:30 PM-6:30 PM, beginning April 15th at the Pacific Little League Fields.

For questions regarding registration please reach out to Karen at 509-520-8447

For other questions and scholarships, please contact Angie Witt at 509-540-9880



Register Now for Challenger Baseball

Games are played on Fridays, 5:30-

6:30 pm starting April 15.

\$30 Registration Fee

Register for Challenger Baseball



COME JOIN US FOR OUR EASTER POTLUCK AND HUNT

In Person (yay)

SATURDAY, APRIL 16, 2022

11:00 AM-2:00 PM

Center for Family and Children

1150 W. Chestnut (Blue Ridge)

Bring a dish to share and a basket for kiddos

A-K-Main Dish (casserole, pizza etc.)

L-S-Side Dish (salad, fruit etc.)

T-Z-Dessert

Registration on the www.vdn.org website



For questions: call Angie Witt at 509-540-9880 or email at p2p@www.vdn.org

RSVP for Easter Potluck



Dynamic Devils

Adult Co-Ed Softball is BACK!

Who: Players 16 and older

Cost: \$30

Deadline to Sign Up: April 20

When: Games are Wednesday
Double Headers

Where: Mill Creek Sportsplex

[Register to Play](#)

Guardianship, Power of Attorney, & Supported Decision Making

Wednesday, April 27 at 6 pm

At the Center for Children & Families



[Information & Registration](#)



Monthly Activities & Events

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- Weekday Walks at Murr Park - 7:00 am
- Virtual Fridays: April 1, 8, 15, & 22 - 1:00 pm
- Computer Skills Training - April 5, 12, & 26 - 6:00 pm
- Meeting at Center for Children & Families - April 19 at 6:00 pm

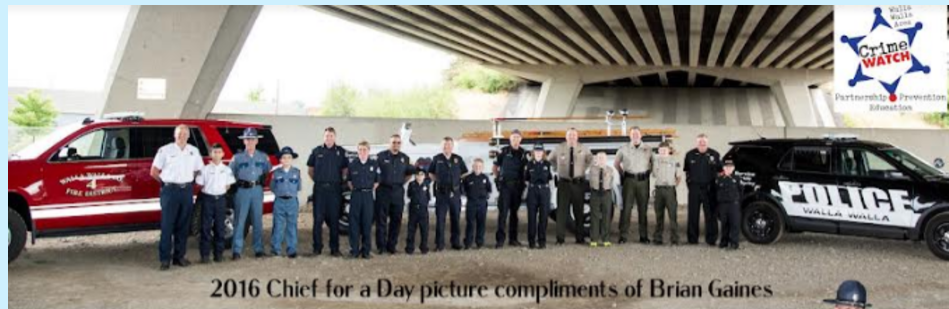
Columbia County P2P Group

- April 22 at 5:30 pm

Parent to Parent Meetings

- Apr 13 - No Host Dinner at Shari's - 6:00 pm
- Apr 21 - Autism Family Celebration Potluck & BINGO - 6:00 pm

[See Calendar of Events](#)



NOMINATE an
absolutely incredible kid
for
"Chief for a Day"

The Chief for a Day is for children in grades 4-8, who currently have a permanent disability or chronic health condition. At least eight children will be selected and paired with an emergency services agency and provided with a uniform representing that agency. This is limited to Walla Walla County children and their families.

<https://bit.ly/3qsQdW9>

Deadline is April 22, 2022

Questions? Contact Walla Walla Area Crime Watch -Vicki
509-525-3342



NOMINATE an absolutely incredible kid for "CHIEF FOR A DAY"!

Nomination Deadline is April 22.

[More Information](#)

Free Cooking & Craft Kits at Valley

Residential Services

Pick up a cooking or craft kit each Wednesday, take it home and complete it. Join the VRS Cooking & Craft Facebook page for more information or call their office (509.522.0400). Please RSVP to VRS if you are new to this program so they can make enough kits for pick up.

[VRS Cooking & Crafts Facebook Page](#)

Spring Dance Party - (In Place of Night to Shine)

Saturday, April 23, 3:00 to 5:00 pm
600 Shockley RD
Richland, WA 99352

[Learn More](#)

Two-Part Choking Video Series and Updated Choking Care Provider Bulletin

Do you know the top causes of choking and how to respond if it happens to someone you care for?

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