

Monthly Newsletter January/February Newsletter

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February Anniversaries

4 Years

Ann/Peter Roever and Ethan L.

3 Years

Michael Gross and Cameron M. Sherry Becker and Brookelynn B. Kyle Gordon & Kyle F.

1 Year

Melissa Smith and Valori T. Susan Washnesky and Aaliyah C. Brittany Reuter and Alexandria B. Steven/Janet Spaeth and Raiden S. Ben Carlson and Cameron M. Chelsea Wolf and Violet T.



What's goin' on!

Introducing: Navigating the Challenges of Youth

Big Brothers Big Sisters is proud to be the recipient of a grant from the St. Joseph's Hospital Healthy Community Fund. The grant will allow us to provide strategies and resources to Bigs and parents supporting children with physical and mental health issues and to promote healthy lifestyles in Littles. Each month, a health topic will be covered



in the form of a presentation, group discussion, materials, or a combination. These sessions will be for Bigs and parents, not matches or children. The focus will be on how to best guide and mentor a child through many difficult issues to have the most positive impact possible.

We are kicking off the series with a presentation and discussion on the topic of "Bullying". We'll talk about different types of bullying, helping children

recognize bullying in themselves or others, and positive responses. Sara Zingsheim, LPC will lead the presentation. Please join us for information, discussion, refreshments and sharing with other Bigs.

Tuesday, January 30, 2018 6:00 - 7:30 pm Hampton Inn 1975 S. 18th Ave. West Bend, WI 53095

Please <u>RSVP HERE</u> by Jan 25 Navigating the challenges of youth dates

Motorcycle Racing - on Ice?



Yes! This is a unique and fun event to watch. And it benefits Big Brothers Big Sisters of Washington County. Sunday February 11 is the date and Wallace Lake is the place. This event attracts about 100 cyclists who race a track around the lake in an endurance race. Great fun and food for everyone and the proceeds of the event are donated to BBBS. Stop in and check it out!

Big Brothers Big Sisters Match Activities

SKI, SNOWBOARD, TUBE!!

Thanks to a generous donor, we will offer dates for group nights at Sunburst or

individual outings. Join us for a night with other matches or go with your Little on your own. Your lift tickets and equipment will be covered to ski, snowboard or tube. For group nights, please RSVP in advance. We will then email you the waiver form that must be signed by the parent and brought along to the hill. If you choose to go with your little on your own, (parental waiver required) save all receipts and bring to the office for reimbursement.



Group dates: Wednesday, January 31... <u>RSVP</u> by January 29th Thursday, February 8 ... <u>RSVP</u> by February 5th Come and go anytime 4-9pm.

Bowl For Kids' Sake - BOWL-SPONSOR-VOLUNTEER



Here's a great chance to plan a winter activity with your Little, or with family and friends, have a great time and support BBBS. Register for Bowl For Kids' Sake. Form a team of 4-6 people and reserve a date and time. Each adult must raise \$75 in sponsor pledges (Littles do not have to raise money). Then show up for free bowling, shoes, pizza, prizes and unlimited fun! The theme is "Out of this World." Get creative with your out of this world costumes!

Want to bowl with your Little? We can put you on a team with another match. Think it sounds like fun with your coworkers? Tell your employer about the \$500 sponsorship deal that includes sponsorship for 5 bowlers and recognition for the business. Click HERE for information or call the office!

We also need volunteers on each shift to help register, sell raffle tickets and run games. Volunteer on your own or as a service opportunity with your Little (Saturdays only for Littles).

Register to bowl <u>HERE</u> or call the office at 262-334-7896.

Milwaukee Bucks Tickets

We have tickets for:
Friday January 26th vs. Brooklyn - 7:30pm
And we are expecting tickets for
Friday February 2nd vs.New York - 7:30pm
BMO Harris Bradley Center-Milwaukee

RSVP HERE





Schauer Arts and Activities Center Offer!

The Schauer Arts and Activities Center in Hartford has extended their generous offer again this year, When a Big purchases a ticket for any of the performances below-the Little's ticket is FREE.

The code this year is BIGFUN. This will entitle matches to receive a free child's ticket with the purchase of an adult ticket. You use this code when you purchase tickets on-line, if you purchase tickets at the box office bring your Big Brothers Big Sisters card with you.

Theater performances included are:
Cinderella on March 23 @ 7:00 and March 24 @ 2:00
Moon Mouse on April 13 @ 7:00

Tykes in Pikes performances included are:

Miller & Mike (circus comedy) on January 28 @ 3:00

Tom Pease (music) on February 18 @ 3:00

Black Bart (swashbuckling juggling) on March 11 @ 3:00

WEBSITE

BUSY KIDS



This website has activities and local events in Washington County-sign up for their newsletter and receive weekend events delivered right to your mailbox.

Watch your email every Thursday for activities, sports tickets and maybe a few community events...and if you know of any "Happenings" in the area let us know.



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