

Low Incidence Transition News

NOVEMBER

VOCATIONAL PROGRAM AT THE HIGH SCHOOL

The Life Skills and Autistic Support Classroom have been very busy building on their vocational skills this year.

Each week, the classes are learning about a job and the specific skills and requirements of that job. They then get the opportunity to practice that skill within the classroom and community. For example, the students learned about being a photographer and then had the opportunity to walk in the community and take pictures of the things they saw.

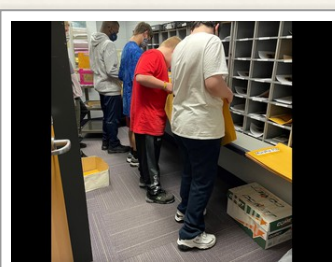
The classes also run a food cart within the high school where they can practice retail skills such as inventory, money management and communication skills. The students also have the opportunity to deliver mail to teachers, make copies and deliver them to teachers and help file for administration.

We have certainly been busy this year!



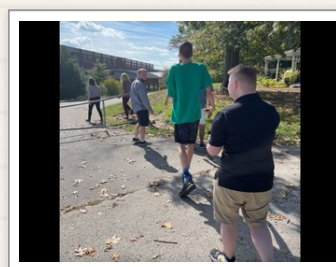
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Some of students selling to
school administrators



MAIL DELIVERY

Some of our students delivering
mail



COMMUNITY WALK

Our students practicing their
photography skills

ACHIEVE

The CCIU provides Adult Support Services in accordance with the Office of Developmental Programs (ODP) and the Office of Long-term Living (OLTL) waivers/Community Health Choice regulations.

Achieve is a program for adults with disabilities, ages 21 and older, who wish to develop a wide range of life skills while engaging and participating in their community.

Achieve uses a person-centered approach to develop learning opportunities based on the unique skills and interests of the individual. Some community opportunities in the past are trips to the local library, gym and local stores or restaurants. The program will help build communication skills within the community, meal preparation, recreational activities and vocational skills.

For more information you can reach out to adultservices@cciu.org

UPCOMING EVENTS AND INFORMATIONAL SESSIONS

WAIVER BASICS 101 PARTS 1 AND 2

WHEN

TUESDAY, NOV. 2ND, 6PM TO THURSDAY,
NOV. 4TH, 6PM

WHERE

THIS IS AN ONLINE EVENT.

MORE INFORMATION

Waiver Basics* (101) Part 1

Tuesday, November 2, 2021 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm

- Address the importance of having a vision of your loved one's needs to live a good life
- Basic information of how to register, apply and access waiver services

Waiver Basics* (101) Part 2

Thursday, November 4, 2021 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm

- Individual Services Plan (ISP) Basics
- Overview of waiver services

Click to Join the Zoom Meeting:

Meeting ID: 829 0563 3941

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ACHIEVA FAMILY TRUST: FOCUS ON THE FUTURE

WHEN

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 10TH, 8:30AM-3PM

WHERE

THIS IS AN ONLINE EVENT.

MORE INFORMATION

Please join on Wednesday, November 10, 2021, for a day-long virtual conference dedicated to future planning for people with disabilities. The purpose of the conference is to educate and inform families, professionals and self advocates about the importance of Future Planning for Individuals with Disabilities. Topics will include: Planning for the Future with Special Needs Trusts and ABLE Accounts, Understanding Government Benefits, Decision Making, and Housing Options.

PHILADELPHIA AUTISM PROJECT CONFERENCE

WHEN

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 17TH, 9AM TO FRIDAY, NOV. 19TH, 3:30PM

WHERE

THIS IS AN ONLINE EVENT.

MORE INFORMATION

The 2021 Annual Philadelphia Autism Project Conference: Rethinking, Reimagining, Resilience will be held virtually from Wednesday, November 17th – Friday, November 19th, 2021. We are excited to bring together Philadelphia community members to share information, resources, and community initiatives while highlighting the lived experiences of autistic individuals and their family members. Key Note Speakers Include: Morenike Giwa, Family Panel of Experiences and Representative Jessica Benham.

LONG TERM PLANNING

WHEN

TUESDAY, NOV. 23RD, 6PM

WHERE

THIS IS AN ONLINE EVENT.

MORE INFORMATION

Join PA Family Network to learn more about long term planning for your student. Discuss and receive guidance on how to identify and share what is most important to our loved ones to live a meaningful and good life. For more information about this webinar, [click here](#).

Click to Join the Zoom Meeting:

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