

NORTH KENT CHURCH & COMMUNITY CONTACTS & LIAISONS COMMUNICATIONS May 2009



North Kent Service Center
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New Summer Hours

June 1st ~ September 4th

Monday ~ Thursday 8:00 am ~ 6:00 pm

Closed Friday

Gates will be open for donations Monday—Thursday until 6:00 pm
Friday & Saturday – 10:00 am ~ 2:00 pm

*Our Next Board Meeting
is scheduled for:*

*Thursday, May 21st
At 8:00 AM*



North Kent Service Center's 21st Annual "People Helping People" Golf Outing

Wednesday, June 24, 2009

Silver Lake Country Club

Registration Deadline: Friday, June 17

Format: Four-person scramble

Fee Includes: Golf Pro at driving range to assist prior to
event, cart, lunch and dinner.

Mark Your Calendar's Now! Call 866-3478 to Register



NKSC NEEDS LIST:

- ~Save your egg cartons. We will soon be able to offer our clients fresh eggs, so please save those egg cartons!
- ~Are you planting a garden this year? Consider planting an extra row of corn or beans for NKSC.
- ~Spring cleaning—Keep us in mind for donations of furniture in good condition, clothes, household items.
- ~Personal Care Items are always in high demand!
- ~Now collecting Christmas items for our Christmas in July Sale. Open to the public!
- ~A **BIG THANK YOU** to the North Kent Community for continuing to support food drives through the schools, churches, boy scouts and many other civic organizations. With these donations we are able to keep our Food Pantry stocked so we can truly "Help Our Neighbors in Need."

Wondering how you can get the community involved and support NKSC?

500 Club Donations
Financial Support
Collect for a Special Project
Senior Activities
Personal Care Items Drive

Fundraising Events
Community Garden
Food Collections
Children Activities
Meijer Rewards #193834



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Backpack Supplies Needed!

Even though school isn't out for the summer, here at the NKSC we are already working on our back to school project. Our goal is to supply about 500 backpacks, full of school supplies, to our client's school age children. Any donations of new backpacks, calculators and other necessary school supplies, would be greatly appreciated.

Take Me Out to the Ballgame! 5/3rd Ballpark 50/50 Raffle

On Saturday, June 13, The North Kent Service Center will receive all proceeds from the 50/50 raffle at the 5/3rd Ballpark. Come on out and support your local West Michigan Whitecaps and the NKSC!

START OF SUMMER CELEBRATION

***Be sure to stop by
our food booth
for the Best Pulled Pork
Sandwiches in town!!***



Check out this new program!

The Parent-Child Assistance Program

Do you know an expectant mom with a substance abuse problem??

The Goals of the program are:
~to help mothers build and maintain healthy independent family lives;
~to assure that children are in safe and stable homes;
~to prevent future births of alcohol and drug exposed children.

Who is Eligible? Women who:
~abuse alcohol during pregnancy
~are pregnant or up to 6 months postpartum &
~are ineffectively connected to community services.



MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR OUR UPCOMING EVENTS & VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

June 12-14th	Start of Summer Food Booth
June 13th	50/50 Raffle at Whitecaps Game
June 21st	Board of Directors Meeting
June 24th	Golf Outing "People Helping People"
July 23rd	Christmas in July Sale

Volunteers are always needed to assist in sorting and hanging up donations, and at our check out table!!

***If you have any questions
feel free to contact:***

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Thank You to everyone who supported our 4th Annual Gently Used Spring Sale. It was a great success!