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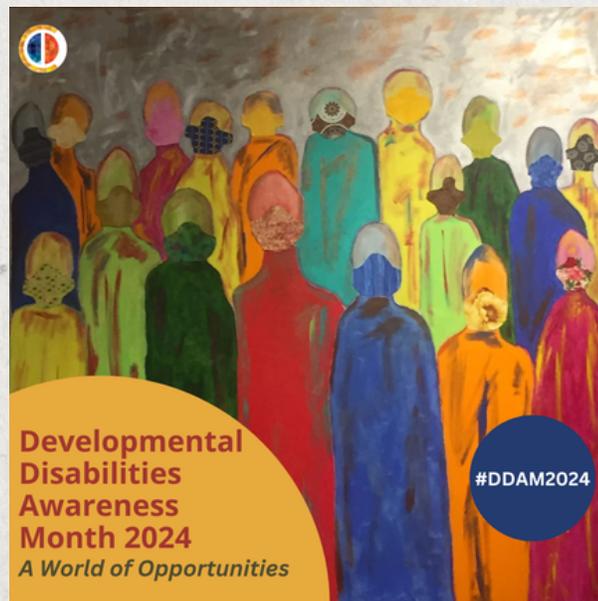
My name is Brandon Hayden, and I was born in Goodland, Kansas where I grew up and then decided to pursue a degree in Human and Health Performance in Physical Education with an emphasis in Athletic Training from Fort Hays State University. During college I became involved in Special Olympics where I helped coach basketball and track and field. I then took a passion for helping individuals with special needs and became a paraprofessional for 9 years before moving to Colorado with my fiancé at the time. While living in Colorado I got married and had two children before my wife passed away. I then moved back to Kansas to be closer to family where I then got engaged to my wife now. Together we have five children ranging from 15 years old to 4 years old. Our family loves to go on adventures such as fishing, kayaking, hiking, and camping. Before moving to the area I worked in Hays, Kansas in the KidLink program working for the Developmental Services of Northwest Kansas. There I was the Family Care Supervisor working with children 0-3 in age.



March is.....

Developmental Disabilities Awareness Month. Each March, the National Association of Councils on Developmental Disabilities, and their partners work together to create a social media campaign that highlights the many ways in which people with and without disabilities come together to form strong, diverse communities.

The campaign seeks to raise awareness about the inclusion of people with developmental disabilities in all facets of community life, as well as awareness of the barriers that people with disabilities still sometimes face in connecting to the communities in which they live.



Indoor Garage Sale & Market Place

Join the Camden County Museum on March 1st and 2nd at 206 S Locust Linn Creek, MO 65052 for indoor garage sales with many different sellers. There is free admission to the event and free tours of the museum. Lunch is also available for a donation. More information can be found here;

<https://events.timely.fun/m3umatb5/event/75710401/20240301090000>



Camden County

MUSEUM

9am-4pm. Lunch Available. FREE Admission

206 S Locust, Linn Creek Mo 65052. 573-873-2990

www.camdencountymuseum.com FB Camden County Museum of Missouri

Pregnancy Help Center Chili Cook-Off

Join the Pregnancy Help Center on March 7th at 6:00 PM at the Exchange Venue (57 Court Circle SW Camdenton, MO 65020) for a fun filled evening eating delicious food and enjoying great music! Proceeds from the event will go to help cover costs and services provided by the PHC. Adults 14 and over will be \$20 at the door and \$15 in advance. There will also be a dessert live auction. For more information or to purchase tickets go online here; <https://runsignup.com/TicketEvent/PHCAnnualChiliCookoff>



Pizza for a Purpose

Join Children's Learning Center on March 8th at 6:00 PM at Redhead Lakeside Grill (1700 Yacht Club Drive Osage Beach, MO 65065) to help raise funds and awareness for inclusive programming for children with developmental disabilities and delays. There will be a silent auction, prizes, and lots of fun! Tickets are \$25 at the door and \$20 in advance. This includes all you can eat pizza. Children under 6 are FREE with the purchase of an adult ticket. For more information or to purchase tickets go online here;

<https://clcforkids.org/events?fbclid=IwAR21WsMOU-4TID9MrYzVQ-COTDthBljptd6wjNzv-GrYyiDmVH1tC>

Tickets are \$20 in advance or \$25 at the door

- PIZZA
- CASH BAR
- HUGE SILENT AUCTION
- PRIZES

MARCH 8, 2024
DOORS OPEN @ 6PM

Pizza for a Purpose

AT: **Redhead Lakeside Grill**
1700 Yacht Club Drive
Osage Beach, MO

CLC
Children's Learning Center
88 Third Street • Camdenton, MO
573-346-0660 • clcforkids.org

A FUNDRAISER FOR:

Lake Area Transition Fair

On Friday March 15th the annual Lake Area Transition Fair will be held at the State Fair Community College Campus in the Stone Crest Mall. The transition fair will run from 9:00 AM - 12:30 PM and will be host to many different organizations and information sessions to provide information for attendees. These will serve as sources of information for individuals on how to move from school life into the community in whatever capacity they see fit. State Fair Community College will provide lunch for those in attendance.

IT'S TIME TO THINK ABOUT LIFE AFTER HIGH SCHOOL

YOUTH WITH DISABILITIES, THEIR EDUCATORS AND FAMILY MEMBERS COME AND JOIN US FOR PRESENTATIONS AND RESOURCES ON INDEPENDENT LIVING, EMPLOYMENT AND EDUCATION

11TH ANNUAL LAKE AREA TRANSITION FAIR

FRIDAY MARCH 15TH, 2024
9:00AM-12:30PM
STATE FAIR COMMUNITY COLLEGE
OSAGE BEACH, MO
3797 OSAGE BEACH PKWY, OSAGE BEACH, MO 65065

PIZZA AND SALAD WILL BE PROVIDED

PLEASE INFORM YOUR STUDENT'S SCHOOL IF YOU WILL BE ATTENDING

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St. Patrick's Day

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40th ANNUAL PARADE

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40th Annual St. Patrick's Day Parade
Saturday, March 16th, 2024 - 1:00 p.m.
Sponsored by the Bagnell Dam Strip Association

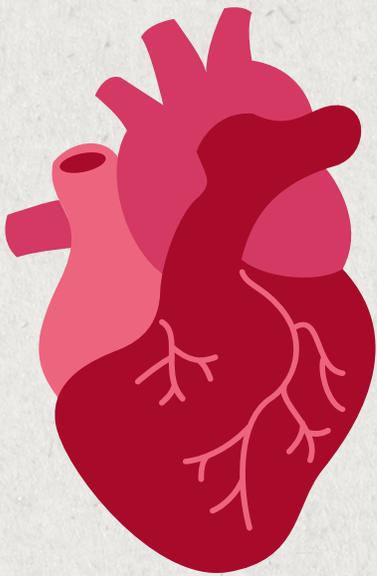
St. Patrick's Day Parade

Join Benne Media at the Bagnell Dam Strip for the 40th annual St. Patrick's Day Parade! The parade will begin at 1:00 PM on March 16th. Bring the entire family out to see various floats, cars, motorcycles, and boats! You may even receive some candy! For more information visit;

<http://lakestpatsparade.com/>

Lowe's DIY-U

Come to Lowe's in Osage Beach to build a DIY Flower Bird Feeder. Kids will learn basic building skills as they create a unique ornament to attract some feathered friends. The workshop will be held on March 16th from 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM. To register in advance sign up here; <https://www.lowes.com/events/register/flower-bird-feeder>



Cardiovascular Screening

Join Lake Regional Saturday March 16th for free screenings including a lipid profile, blood sugar test, blood pressure screening, and a BMI screening. Fasting is necessary 12-14 hours in advance for some tests. To register call Rosete Ward at 573-348-8797.

Lake West Chamber Business Expo

Join the Lake West Chamber of Commerce on March 23rd from 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM at Lake Christian Academy (17178 Hwy 5 Sunrise Beach, MO 65079). Come to meet the owners, management, and staff of local businesses to find the perfect home improvement idea or gift. You will also be able to visit with local non-profits. Admission and parking is free for the event and lunch/snacks will be available as a fundraiser for Lake Christian Academy. More information can be found here; <https://events.timely.fun/m3umatb5/event/76024851/20240323090000>.

Save The Date

March 23, 2024

9:00 - 4:00

**Lake West Chamber of Commerce
Business Expo**

*Best place to display, promote
and explore products and services
under one roof.*



Booth Applications will be available early January

11th Annual Mid-Missouri Collectors Show

March 29th & 30th, 2024

Lake Ozark Lions Club
131 Fish Haven Rd.
Lake Ozark, MO 65049

Show Hours:
Fri., March 29th
2 p.m. - 6 p.m.
Sat., March 30th
9 a.m. - 5 p.m.
FREE ADMISSION
FREE PARKING

Featuring:

- Coins & Currency
- Gold & Silver
- Sports Cards & Memorabilia
- Comic Books & Much More

Public invited to attend
& buy, sell, or trade

Free appraisals

Sponsored by Osage Coin & Bullion LLC
Contact Aaron Salsman at (573) 280-4512
Email: osagecoinandbullion@gmail.com

Visit the Lake of the Ozarks, The Fun Lake!

Mid - MO Collector's Show

Held at the Lake Ozark Lions Club (131 Fish Haven Road Lake Ozark, MO 65049) from March 29th – March 30th. Come check out collector coins, gold, silver, sports cards, and other memorabilia from a variety of dealers. There will be concessions available. The event will be open on the 29th from 2:00 PM – 6:00 PM, and on the 30th from 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM. More information can be found here; <https://events.timely.fun/m3umatb5/event/77323194/2024032900000>.

Linn Creek Easter

The City of Linn Creek will hold their annual Easter Egg Hunt on March 30th from 2:00 PM – 4:00 PM. It will be held at LOSA Soccer Fields (232 N Lake Street Linn Creek, MO 65052). There will be face painting, bounce houses, a DJ, food trucks, and more! For more information about the event go online here;

[https://www.facebook.com/events/1553077958790026/?acontext=%7B%22event_action_history%22%3A\[%7B%22mechanism%22%3A%22discovery_custom_tab%22%2C%22surface%22%3A%22bookmark%22%7D\]%2C%22ref_notif_type%22%3Anull%7D](https://www.facebook.com/events/1553077958790026/?acontext=%7B%22event_action_history%22%3A[%7B%22mechanism%22%3A%22discovery_custom_tab%22%2C%22surface%22%3A%22bookmark%22%7D]%2C%22ref_notif_type%22%3Anull%7D)



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