

Friends For Hope

September 2010

Calling all HEROES....

Friends For Hope is looking for all boys and girls, K-5th grade, who are interested in joining our HEROES program. This program is every Monday at the Friends For Hope office located at 1001 2nd St. from 4:00-5:00 pm.

This free, fun, and exciting class teaches boys and girls about self-esteem, character building, respect, and much more. Melissa Stark has many new and creative crafts also planned for this new year and would love for each and everyone to come enjoy the fun. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the Friends For Hope office at 325-884-9804 / 325-884-2281. We look forward to seeing you there and discovering the HERO in you.

ESL Classes

Our English as a Second Language classes will begin again soon. Keep watching the sign in front of the office and the newspaper to the exact date and time. This class is available for anyone wishing to better their English speaking skills. For more information please contact the Friends For Hope Office.

Develop a passion
for learning.

If you do, you will
never cease to

grow.

A.J D'Anjelo



The Hope Chest

There are new and used items arriving daily at the Hope Chest. In the new section, we have a great selection of purses, totes, and jewelry including unique owl jewelry for the school year. The thrift store side has great finds sure to please each and everyone. There is everything from clothes, household items, baby things and those bargains only you can appreciate. Please stop and see what all we have.



Hours:

Monday - Friday

12:00 to 6:00

Friends For Hope
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Vicky Fisher-Pres.
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Debbie Baker-Sec.
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Wanda Ables
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Our Mission....

Friends For Hope provides safety, security, and restoration of hope for people in crisis.

Just a reminder...

October is Domestic Violence Awareness Month. Friends For Hope has started working on the details of the Annual Candlelight Vigil. The actual date has not been set yet, but it will be held on the courthouse lawn again this year. The date will be in next month's newsletter as well as there will be articles in the newspaper. Please make plans to attend this event to honor those who lost their lives this past year to domestic violence.



School Supply Drive Successful

Friends For Hope would like to say "Thank You" to everyone who donated to the School Supply Drive. This year's drive was another great success. With all the contributions received, we were able to help 44 kids have the proper supplies to go back to school. Thank you to everyone that contributed either monetarily or with supplies, we could not have done it without you.

August Private Donors

Dale & Vicky Fisher
Bethel Baptist Church
Bill Day
Leslie Davidson Ministries
Christopher Hull
LaRee & John Agee
First Baptist Church
William Hall

Friends For Hope Services

- *24 HOUR VICTIM ASSISTANCE HOTLINE*
- *ACCOMPANIMENT FOR VICTIMS TO LAW ENFORCEMENT CENTER, HOSPITAL, COURT, CHILD INTERVIEWS, AND OTHER APPOINTMENTS*
- *EMERGENCY SHELTER / AND TRANSPORTATION IF NEEDED*
- *COUNSELING SERVICES*
- *SUPPORT GROUPS FOR ADULTS AND CHILDREN*
- *MONTHLY LEGAL AID CLINICS ADDRESSING CIVIL MATTERS ONLY*
- *TEEN PROGRAMS (PEACE) - ADDRESSING SEXUAL ASSAULT, SEXUAL HARRASSMENT, DATING VIOLENCE, OTHER FORMS OF VIOLENCE, DRUGS AND ALCOHOL*
- *CHILDRENS PROGRAMS (HEROES) - ADDRESSING SELF ESTEEM, PERSONAL SAFETY, AND LIFE SKILLS*
- *WEEKLY ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE (ESL) CLASSES*

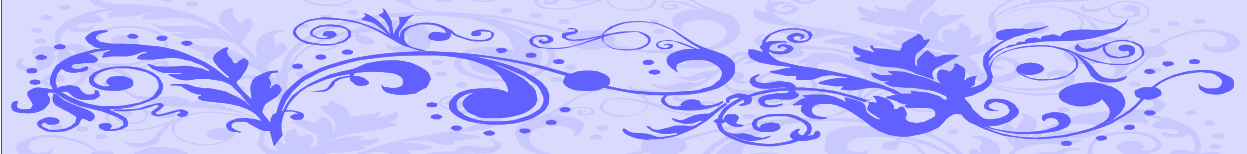


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We are here to help.

