

Parents Loving Children Through Autism Foundation April Newsletter

Dear Families and Friends:

April is here! How fast did that year go? See what happens when you're buried in snow for a few months. We wish you all a month of wonderful celebrations with your families. Happy Easter! Happy Passover! May we always be mindful how blessed we are to live in a country where we have the freedom to worship in so many ways.

By the time you receive this newsletter, preregistration will be closed. We look forward to a wonderful event for all of your families. Much planning has gone into making it a fun filled day for every family that attends. A reminder that we are still collecting baskets, gift cards, and baked good items. Contact numbers are enclosed if you have any questions. We look forward to seeing you all on April 18th.

The night before the walk THE CREW ROOM FITNESS CENTER will be holding the 4th Annual KYLE'S KCLASS April 17th at 5:30pm. Suggested donation is \$5. The Crew Room is located at 250 Scranton Carbondale Highway (across from Sebastianelli's Restaurant. Proceeds go to PLCTA.

Make sure you also mark your calendar for the 10th Annual Autism Awareness Night hosted by Minooka Lion's Autism Foundation. It is always such a great night. April 25th at 6:00pm-11:00am Divine Mercy Parish Hall Davis Street Minooka Section of Scranton. We are very fortunate to have such dear friends hosting events to help our children.

A reminder there are no social this month. MaryEllen has a special trip planned in May to SkyZone. I know the children have been waiting anxiously for this wonderful event. Also in May will be our Annual Dinner to honor some very special individuals as we continue to celebrate the wonderful accomplishments made by our amazing children living through autism. Once you choose Hope everything is possible! Roots Before Branches.

*Parents Loving Children
Through Autism
Foundation presents*

**ANNUAL AUTISM
AWARENESS MONTH 2015**



DRESS DOWN DAY
Students \$1.00
FOR INFORMATION CALL 341-3388

APRIL AUTISM AWARENESS EVENTS

April 1st to April 30th Presentations in local schools across Lackawanna County

April 7th Mike Slater's Annual Basket Raffle at Riverside East Elementary

April 17th 4th Annual Klass for Kyle at The Crew Room Fitness Center

April 18th 12th Annual 5k Walk and Run for Autism Awareness

April 25th 10th Annual Autism Awareness Night hosted by Minooka Lions

Fundraisers for PLCTA

Autism Gear with Tara Conrod (20% proceeds to benefit PLCTA) See flyer

Jamberry Nail Wraps to benefit PLCTA contact Stacey at staceylenn.jamberrynails.net. Beautiful designs for this month.

Amber Ferbach (mother of two children on the Autism Spectrum) is selling a wonderful book called "Jenna's Brother Had Autism" This book is written to help others understand autism. Book is \$10.00. Book is available at Terry's Diner during the month of April or by contacting Amber at createspace.com/3836951 No proceeds will be donated ; this is just suggested reading for you to know.

FUNDRAISER TO BENEFIT THE PLCTA



Show Your Support For Autism Awareness!!

April is Autism Awareness
Month.

There five **AWESOME** ways to
show your support

The best part is that **20%** of the
profits go to **PARENTS LOVING
CHILDREN THROUGH AUTISM.**

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- _____ \$9.00 - 5" Autism Awareness Bow
- _____ \$8.00 - Cheer-style Bow w/bottlecap
- _____ \$6.50 - Autism Awareness Pin
- _____ \$6.50 - 3" Pin or Bow (please specify)
- _____ \$5.00 - Autism Awareness socks w/beads & ribbon
(Infant, Child, or Adult)



Gumpiegirl's Gifts

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<https://www.etsy.com/shop/GumpiegirlGifts>

Love Overcame

Love overcame emerging from a cold tomb All the truth,
majesty and creativity of a living God Transforming a
broken heart Making quite a return, in a still sorrowful
garden The grave stone rolled away, to release
redemptive love, Jesus resurrected and restored
comforts a weeping woman Speaks with travelers on a
journey Meets with his faithful friends And they bow
down before Christ alive And acknowledged that the
savior has arrived That the word of God come alive And
the extraordinary transformation of heaven and earth is
complete.

Wishing you and your family a Happy and Blessed Easter
Day. Christ is Risen, Indeed He is Risen!!

Michael



P.L.C.T.A. Foundation



Walk and 5k Run For Autism Awareness

Saturday April 18, 2015

Nay Aug Park, Scranton



Run registration begins at 7:30 am day of run

\$15 early reg. if received by April 3rd

\$20 Day of run

5k Run begins at 8:30 am

Starting line near pool pavilion

Registration day of run is 7:30 - 8:15



Raffles

Music

Post Walk Picnic

Items for sale

Kids games

Information booths



Walk registration begins at 9:30 am day of walk

\$15 early reg. if received by April 3rd

\$20 Day of walk

Walk begins at
Everhart Pavilion
at 11 am



PH 570-575-0156

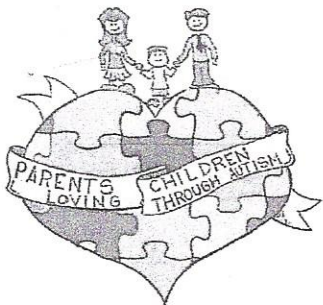
for details & registration info

or visit

www.plcta.org

*click on events/ awareness walk 2015
for downloadable forms*

All participants in events must be present to receive a shirt
Shirt only guaranteed with pre-registration!



Walk for Autism Awareness

2015 Teams/Contact Information

Walk / Run Co-Chairs

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