

March is Developmental Disabilities Awareness Month



Each year, March is designated Developmental Disabilities Awareness Month to celebrate the accomplishments of those we serve at Clermont DD. In 2022, we are “celebrating abilities” in lots of ways. See the calendar below of ways we are staying active in a socially-distanced way!

John Hicks (below, center) accepted the Clermont County Commissioners proclamation for DD Awareness Month on February 23.

Staff will join with self advocates for a Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Meeting on March 1 with Dr. Kara Ayers, UCEDD

Self Advocates and staff will attend the “Awareness and Advocacy Day” via Zoom. We will watch the events taking place at the Ohio Statehouse on March 2.

Our poster above, featuring Micah Prather, John Hicks, and Austin Porter, will be featured as an ad in Southwest Ohio Parent Magazine during March.

Kim Hauck, Director of the Ohio Department of Developmental Disabilities, will join us for a visit and tour on March 4.

Ellen Thompson, a member of the Turn Up Clermont self-advocacy group, will begin a book club on March 7 at the Miami Township Branch of the Clermont County Public Library.

Willey School students will participate in a poster contest that will be judged by the Turn Up Clermont self-advocacy group on March 16.



We will hold a kick-off event for our new Aktion Club that is being sponsored by the Kiwanis Club of the East Fork Region. This will be held March 16 at the Willey Center in Owensville.