



Families and friends of all ages are welcome to join our Annual Sidekicks Thanksgiving Banquet. We will share a great meal and reflect on all that we have to be thankful for.

We expect to serve over 100 people this year.

Friday, November 15 from 6 to 8pm at Lumpkin County Park & Rec 365 Riley Road Dahlonega, GA 30533

The banquet is FREE, but please sign up online to bring a dish to share. Seating is *very* limited and reservations are **required** by November 13.

Reserve seats and sign up for potluck at <u>http://bit.ly/16vx5tT</u>

Interested in Volunteering? <u>http://vols.pt/8eU5cM</u>

Silent Auction

During the Thanksgiving Banquet, we will be offering some incredible items for auction! Start planning now to bid for some really unique Christmas gift ideas!

Here's a partial list of gift ideas:

Spa on Green Street Dollywood Tickets Longhorn Steakhouse Casio Digital Camera Wild Adventures The Glass Blowing Shop

Medieval Times Stone Mountain ...and many more!

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Mark Your Calendars!

- November 15: Sidekicks Thanksgiving Banquet @ Lumpkin Park & Rec
- November 21: PPAC Group for Parents meeting. 7pm @ ConnectAbility Office. Contact Ann Grier @ 770-533-3309
- December 5-6: Special Olympics Bowling @ Yonah Bowl in Cleveland
- December 7: Sidekicks
 Christmas Party @ DBC
- Renewsables Thrifts: accepting donations for ConnectAbility **EVERY DAY**!

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Community Partner Spotlight: Parent to Parent of Georgia

Did you know that ConnectAbility serves as the Parent to Parent Navigator Team for Dawson, Lumpkin & White counties in Northeast Georgia? As a Navigator Team, we can offer lots of resources to the community.

Online Webinars Supporting Parents Phone Assistance Parent Training & Info Special Needs Database FREE Workshops*

Parent to Parent also provides financial support for our activities in the community. Thank you Parent to Parent of Georgia for partnering with ConnectAbility!

*Vicki is a Regional Trainer for P2P. Check out the P2P website for a list of free workshops. Call Karen Burns to schedule.

For more information about how Parent to Parent can help you, please call Vicki Schweitzer at 678-618-4084 or call Karen Burns at Parent to Parent directly using the toll free number:



1.800.229.2038

Save the Date!

SIDEKICKS Christmas Party
 Saturday, December 7, 6 to 8pm
 Dahlonega Baptist Church, 234 Hawkins Street

TOLL FREE

Cookies, ornaments, Santa, FUN!



Special Olympics Update

Congrats to our Unified Teams who traveled to Dalton and did great at State Fall Games in Bocce!

Area Bowling will be held December at Yonah Bowl in Cleveland. December 5: Elementary & Middle School, December 6: High School & Masters

Interested in becoming an athlete or Unified Partner? Contact Kiana: kiacrum@yahoo.com or 706-265-6227

"Let me win. But if I cannot win, let me be brave in the attempt."



ConnectAbility is the Navigator Team for Dawson, Lumpkin & White Counties. The Navigator Teams are a project of Parent to Parent of Georgia under the guidance of the Parent Leadership Coalition (PLC).

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