



A program offered by the  
Summit County Developmental Disabilities Board,  
and coordinated through BlickClinic

## SCHEDULE OF CLASSES

### FALL SESSION

### SEPTEMBER- OCTOBER 2011

The **COLLEGE FOR LIVING** is a program provided by the Summit County Developmental Disabilities Board. This program, in keeping with the agency's mission, provides an opportunity for individuals with disabilities to learn and play in the community where they live. If you would like more information on the Summit DD Board, visit their website at [www.summitdd.org](http://www.summitdd.org)

**BLICKCLINIC** is a private, nonprofit, outpatient clinic that began in 1969 with a group of parents of children with developmental disabilities and a few volunteer professionals. Together, they developed the Clinic into a single, comprehensive source of diagnostic evaluation, treatment, and support group services to persons with developmental disabilities. For more information, visit their website at [www.blickclinic.org](http://www.blickclinic.org)


If you would like to receive this brochure via email, send your request to [mike.smeltz@blickclinic.org](mailto:mike.smeltz@blickclinic.org). Please note that you will still be required to mail in your class registration along with payment.

The Class Descriptions and Registration Form are also available online at <http://www.blickclinic.org/public/services/collegeforliving.cfm> or <http://www.summitdd.org/en-US/SYN/10497/PageTemplate.aspx>


# COLLEGE FOR LIVING CLASS SCHEDULE – FALL 2011

**NOTE:** The Registration Form is at the end of this document.


## DINNER AND A MOVIE

	<p>"What is better than a relaxing evening of going out to eat and then to a movie? Come and meet friends (old and new) for a meal and a short walk to the movie theater (action, drama, comedy – you will pick from one of two different movies). The movies will be announced the day of class. Participants will meet at the Wendy's restaurant on Howe Avenue in Cuyahoga Falls (at 5 p.m.), and after our meal we will walk the short distance to the AMC Theater (please wear appropriate clothing for the weather). Participants can be picked up at the AMC Theater after the movie (around 9 p.m.). <b><i>The dinner and movie ticket are included in the price of the class.</i></b> Participants may bring extra money to purchase items from the concession stand. <b>Please inform instructors of dietary restrictions prior to the first class.</b></p>
<b>Day(s)/Time(s):</b>	September 12 (Monday); 5:00-9:00 p.m.
<b>Location:</b>	Drop Off: McDonald's, 482 Howe Road, Cuyahoga Falls Pick Up: AMC Theater, 500 Howe Avenue, Cuyahoga Falls
<b>Instructor:</b>	Missy Sharpless, Amber Sharpless, and Latrice Knuckles (330-762-5425)


## CROOKED RIVER ALL NATION POWWOW 2011

	<p>Join us for this celebration of Native American culture &amp; heritage, also honoring war veterans. We will learn about the history of local Indian tribes while enjoying singing, dancing, and crafts to view and purchase. Please be on time and bring a lawn chair or blanket to sit on. Also bring a sack lunch and money to purchase items. <b><u>Family members and staff are welcome to join us but will need to bring \$5 for admission per person.</u></b> Participants must be able to walk independently on uneven ground. Please dress appropriately for the weather. <b><i>PLEASE PROVIDE A WEEKEND PHONE NUMBER FOR PICK UP. Please inform instructors of dietary restrictions prior to the first class.</i></b></p>
<b>Day(s)/Time(s):</b>	September 11 (Sunday); 12:00-4:00 p.m.
<b>Location:</b>	Keyser Park, 783 Bath Road, Cuyahoga Falls
<b>Instructor:</b>	Amica Burkett-Roser, Geri Burns, Heather Campbell, Stephanie Kamp (330-762-5425)


## STAN HYWET TOUR

	<p>Come enjoy a tour through Stan Hywet Hall's beautiful and historic grounds and gardens. Participants will walk through the colorful gardens and visit the historical buildings on the grounds. Participants should be able to walk on uneven pavement and use stairs. Participants should bring a packed lunch. <b><i>Please inform instructors of dietary restrictions prior to the first class.</i></b></p>
<b>Day(s)/Time(s):</b>	September 24 (Saturday); 1:30-5:30 p.m. [NOTE: The time (11:00-3:00) on the mailed brochures is incorrect.]
<b>Location:</b>	Stan Hywet Hall, 714 North Portage Path, Akron
<b>Instructor:</b>	Mary Jo Goldman, Amy Kortan, and Kelly Panezott


## A TASTE OF HUDSON

	<p>Come join us at the Taste of Hudson for a premier food festival and sightseeing event. Participants will enjoy tasting foods from over 20 local restaurants, and be entertained by live bands. The event will allow participants to try many different types of exotic foods. This will be a full-filled day! <b><i>Please inform instructors of dietary restrictions prior to the first class.</i></b></p>
<b>Day(s)/Time(s):</b>	September 4 (Sunday); 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
<b>Location:</b>	164 N. Main Street, Hudson
<b>Instructor:</b>	Mary Jo Goldman, Amy Kortan, and Kelly Panezott


## AN AFTERNOON WITH THE GIRLS

	<p>Have lots of fun with the girls enjoying chick flicks and pizza and soda Our nails will be done and there will be games to play. And lots and lots of girl talk! <b>Please inform instructors of dietary restrictions prior to the first class.</b></p>
<b>Day(s)/Time(s):</b>	September 3 (Saturday); 11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
<b>Location:</b>	BlickClinic, 682 West Market Street, Akron
<b>Instructor:</b>	Kelly Panezott, Mary Jo Goldman, Amy Kortan


## CLEVELAND BROWNS GAME

	<p><b>THIS CLASS IS LIMITED TO 20 PARTICIPANTS.</b> Join Brian and Paul for an exciting Cleveland Browns vs. Miami Dolphins game. We will watch the game on a large screen TV at Stonehedge Family Fun Center while playing games and enjoying pizza for lunch. <b>Please inform instructors of dietary restrictions prior to the first class.</b></p>
<b>Day(s)/Time(s):</b>	September 25 (Sunday); 12:00-4:00 p.m.
<b>Location:</b>	Stonehedge Family Fun Center, 580 E Cuyahoga Falls Avenue, Akron
<b>Instructor:</b>	Brian Wassil and Paul Conroy (330-762-5425)


## OKTOBERFEST

	<p><b>THIS CLASS IS LIMITED TO 12 PARTICIPANTS.</b> Join us for a day at the Riverfront in Cuyahoga Falls for traditional German food, music, and festivities, which will include crafts, games, and entertainment – all of this near the beautiful Cuyahoga River. Unfortunately this class is not wheelchair accessible. <b>Please inform instructors of dietary restrictions prior to the first class.</b></p>
<b>Day(s)/Time(s):</b>	September 10 (Saturday); 12:00-4:00 p.m.
<b>Location:</b>	Meet at Metropolis Popcorn, 2164 Front Street, Cuyahoga Falls
<b>Instructor:</b>	Amy Kortan, Mary Jo Goldman, Kelly Panezott


## DISC GOLF & PICNIC IN THE PARK

	<p>Participants will learn the basics of disc golf and then play a round of nine holes (this activity is similar to golf, but is played with Frisbees). All equipment will be provided. All <u>you</u> need is yourself and a willingness to learn a new sport. This activity does require some athleticism and is fun for men and women of all ages. Between holes there will be a break to enjoy a picnic lunch of sandwiches, chips, and fruit. <b>Please inform instructors of dietary restrictions prior to the first class.</b></p>
<b>Day(s)/Time(s):</b>	September 18 (Sunday); 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.
<b>Location:</b>	Hudson Springs Park, 7095 Stow Road, Hudson
<b>Instructor:</b>	Katie Meloy and Amy Kortan (330-762-5425)


## AUTUMN YUMS

	<p>We will be making fall specialties at the Akron University Culinary Arts Department. Participants will have a hands-on experience by preparing, cooking, and baking the food. We will set up the tables and then share our meal. The menu will consist of a fall appetizer, entree, vegetable, desert, and hot apple cider . We will be decorating small pumpkins to use as table decorations. <b>THIS CLASS IS LIMITED TO THE FIRST 12 PEOPLE.</b> <b>Please inform instructors of dietary restrictions prior to the first class.</b></p>
<b>Day(s)/Time(s):</b>	October 1 (Saturday); 3:00-7:00 p.m.
<b>Location:</b>	Akron University, Hospitality Management (entrance on Grant Street), Akron
<b>Instructor:</b>	Geri Burns, Marsha Marzick, and Amica Burkett-Rosser (330-762-5425)


## POTTERY

	<p>Participants can have a fun and exciting experience learning how to make art with clay. The session will include lessons on hand building, coil and pinch pots, beads and other clay crafts. The session will conclude with a demonstration on the pottery wheel. Please dress for the mess. Participants should bring a sack lunch to the class. <b><u>THIS CLASS IS LIMITED TO THE FIRST 15 PEOPLE.</u></b> <b><i>Please inform instructors of dietary restrictions prior to the first class.</i></b></p>
<b>Day(s)/Time(s):</b>	September 18 (Sunday); 3:00-7:00 p.m.
<b>Location:</b>	BlickClinic, 682 W Market Street, Akron (first floor Extended Day Treatment Program)
<b>Instructor:</b>	Carolann Mitchell (330-762-5425)


## PHOTO SHOOT AND PAPER BAG ALBUM

	<p>SAY CHEESE! Come join us for two evenings of fun and hanging out with friends. On the first night, we will hold a photo shoot, taking pictures of YOU and the beautiful fall landscapes. On our second night, you will create and decorate an album of your own to share with others. This will make for an amazing keepsake! We will also enjoy a yummy treat each night. <b><i>Please inform instructors of dietary restrictions prior to the first class.</i></b></p>
<b>Day(s)/Time(s):</b>	September 7 (Wednesday); 5:30-7:30 p.m. September 8 (Thursday); 5:30-7:30 p.m.
<b>Location:</b>	Tallmadge Center, 630 North Street, Tallmadge
<b>Instructor:</b>	Kristen Dowey and Rochelle Steiner


## BOWLING WITH FRIENDS

	<p>Join us for an afternoon of fun and excitement at Stonehedge! We will be bowling, laughing, eating, and having a good time. Be sure to get a good night's sleep so you have enough energy for unlimited games of bowling. The cost of the class includes unlimited bowling, shoe rental, two slices of pizza, and one beverage. Participants may bring additional money to make other purchases at the snack bar if they so desire. <b><i>Please inform instructors of dietary restrictions prior to the first class.</i></b></p>
<b>Day(s)/Time(s):</b>	October 2 (Sunday); 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
<b>Location:</b>	Stonehedge Family Fun Center, 580 East Cuyahoga Falls Avenue, Akron
<b>Instructor:</b>	Christy Rolland and Tina McElravy (330-762-5425)

## CORN MAZE AND TOWPATH TRAIL

	<p>We will meet at Szalay's Farm and take a brief hike on the towpath trail. Lunch will be served after the hike, followed by a walk through the corn maze. Don't forget your camera, as there will be numerous photo opportunities among the large displays of pumpkins and Halloween decorations. Participants may want to bring extra spending money to purchase additional snacks/treats at the market. <b><i>Please inform instructors of dietary restrictions prior to the first class.</i></b></p>
<b>Day(s)/Time(s):</b>	September 25 (Sunday); 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Rain Date: October 2 (Sunday); 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.
<b>Location:</b>	Szalay's Farm, 4563 Riverview Road, Peninsula
<b>Instructor:</b>	Sarah McClain and Tamara Coleman (330-762-5425)

## FALL INTO SCRAPBOOKING & CARDMAKING IN PARADISE

	<p>Want to make homemade cards to give to family and friends for birthdays, Halloween, for just for fun? Join us at Scrapbooker's Paradise to celebrate the changing leaf colors, the cool crisp air, and the beginning of Fall. We will make paper bag scrapbooks with fall colors and ribbons to showcase your fall photos, plus birthday, thank you, and Halloween cards. We will also make Halloween decorations for your home. All materials are provided, but participants should bring any photographs they would like to use in the scrapbook. Dinner at Subway, drinks, chips, and small dessert will be provided. <b><i>Please inform instructors of dietary restrictions prior to the first class.</i></b></p>
<b>Day(s)/Time(s):</b>	September 15 (Thursday); 4:00-8:00 p.m.
<b>Location:</b>	Meet 4 p.m. at Scrapbooker's Paradise, 926 East Tallmadge Avenue, Akron [will walk across parking lot to Subway for dinner]

Instructor: Megan McGuire (330-858-4882) and Heather Pelko (330-338-9034)

## COLLEGE FOR LIVING REGISTRATION FOR FALL 2011 CLASSES

Class size may be limited at the discretion of the instructor, but a minimum of 3 participants per class is needed. The class participant is responsible for their own transportation. Colleges for Living classes are opened only to Summit County residents who are eligible for Summit DD Board services and at least 16 years of age. ***In the event of class cancellation or extraordinary circumstances, vouchers will be issued (no cash refunds will be given). Vouchers will be issued on a case-by-case basis and only with approval from the College for Living Committee. You must contact Paul Conroy, Committee Chair, 24 hours before the class in order to be considered for a voucher.***

I would like to take the following classes (✓ all that apply): Each class is \$20 (except as noted).

Class	Fee	
<input type="checkbox"/> Dinner and a Movie*	\$20	
<input type="checkbox"/> Crooked River All Nation Powwow 2011*	\$20	
<input type="checkbox"/> Stan Hywett Tour*	\$20	
<input type="checkbox"/> A Taste of Hudson*	\$20	
<input type="checkbox"/> An Afternoon with the Girls*	\$20	
<input type="checkbox"/> Cleveland Browns Game*	\$20	
<input type="checkbox"/> Oktoberfest*	\$20	
<input type="checkbox"/> Disc Golf and Picnic in the Park*	\$20	
<input type="checkbox"/> Autumn Yums* [Limited to the first 12 participants]	\$20	
<input type="checkbox"/> Pottery* [Limited to the first 15 participants]	\$20	
<input type="checkbox"/> Photo Shoot and Paper Bag Album*	\$20	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bowling with Friends*	\$20	
<input type="checkbox"/> Corn Maze and Towpath Trail*	\$20	
<input type="checkbox"/> Fall into Scrapbooking and Cardmaking in Paradise*	\$20	
<b>TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED:</b>		

\* Please inform instructors of any dietary restrictions before the first class.

Participant's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Allergies: \_\_\_\_\_

Supervision Level:  visual  auditory  close  general

Note: if a participant requires visual supervision, a caregiver MUST accompany the participant to each class, as CFL staff cannot guarantee constant visual supervision.

Medical Concerns/Behaviors: \_\_\_\_\_

Participant uses a  walker or  wheelchair (check all that apply).

Emergency Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

**PICK UP PHONE # (Powwow 2011):** \_\_\_\_\_

Class Participant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Guardian's Signature (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

Mail this completed form along with your check or money order (**MADE PAYABLE TO "BLICK CLINIC"**) for the registered classes to: **COLLEGE FOR LIVING, BLICKCLINIC, 640 WEST MARKET STREET, AKRON, OHIO 44303-1465**

Deadline to register for classes is August 26, 2011. For more information, call: Paul Conroy at 330-762-5425 or email at [paul.conroy@blickclinic.org](mailto:paul.conroy@blickclinic.org)