#### CHECK IT OUT!

## 2024 DSP Week September 8th - 14th

At EFR we value the commitment of our exceptional Direct Support Professionals to the people we support. Our DSPs are the fabric of the EFR community. We are grateful to have such a compassionate team of professionals besides us.

Thank you to each and everyone of you!

Want to send your favorite DSP a shoutout? Send your compliments and/or a photo to Marketing Coordinator, Heather Zeiner at 315.930.4419 or hzeiner@contactefr.org to have your message shared on EFR's Facebook Page and website.









#### **Life Plan Meetings**

Just a friendly reminder for our EFR families: If you'd like to include your DSP in your Life Plan meeting, please reach out to your family's Care Coordinator to ensure they receive an invitation.





## **Introducing EFR's Passport**

We are excited to introduce our EFR Passport, a fantastic chance for you to share your exciting CNY adventures with the EFR Community. The EFR Passport offers a range of enjoyable activities to take part in, such as shopping, visiting museums, attending theatre shows, dining out, exploring parks, attending exclusive EFR events, and much more! You can also share photos and reviews from your experiences. Keep an eye out for upcoming challenges with prizes for top performers in different categories. To get started, create your account and begin sharing your adventures today by using the link or scanning the QR code.

Additionally, all participants who check in at any location in September will be entered into a draw to win a gift card!

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## WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS MONTH?

## Join Us! **FUN EVENTS IN SEPTEMBER**



## **Drop-In Gaming Group | Every Wednesday**

September 4th, 11th, 18th, 25th | 11:00 am - 2:00pm Soule Branch Library, 101 Springfield Rd.

Bring your library card to check out a game or feel free to bring your own game.





## Let's Go Bowling | Every Thursday

September 5th, 12th, 19th, 26th | 11:00 am - 1:00 pm Flamingo Bowl, 7239 Oswego Rd. Liverpool

Fee: \$2.95 per game, plan for 2-3 games. Be sure to bring enough money for games played and any snacks you wish to purchase.

> Space is limited be sure to RSVP! Please RSVP by Monday of each week to celebrations@contactefr.org.







#### SAVE THE DATE

#### **EFR FAMILY TOWN HALLS**

Tuesday, February 6th 2024 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM Saturday, May 11th 2024 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Wednesday, August 21st 2024 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM Thursday, November 14th 2024 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM

Due to the growing popularity of our Town Halls, we will be hosting four in 2024. The Town Halls are meant to be an opportunity for the people we support and families EFR supports and Executive staff to talk about the things that are going well and things EFR can do to be a better provider of services. Please watch your emails for additional information as well as an opportunity to RSVP to participate in these events.



#### Please note:

Our Family Town Halls will be available virtually through Zoom only. Please continue to watch your emails for a link to participate. We look forward to connecting with you and sharing updates from EFR!

Join our next virtual Family Town Hall, on November, 14th!

Click the link or scan the QR code below to join!





#### **DSP TOWN HALLS**

Tuesday, January 9th 2024 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM

Thursday, July 25th 2024 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM Saturday, April 13th 2024 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Wednesday, October 16th 2024 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM

Due to the overwhelming success of our DSP Town Halls, we will be hosting four more in 2024! These events are a wonderful opportunity for our EFR DSPs and Executive staff to come together and discuss what's working well, as well as ways in which we can improve our services and support our employees. We encourage all of our team members to keep an eye on their email inboxes for an invitation to RSVP to these paid events. We can't wait to see you there!





Last DSP Town Hall of 2024 will be October 16th. Be sure to mark your calendar!

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