KSDDAB NEWSLETTER SUMMER 2024



KSDDAB COMMUNITY

We are seeking one new Board Member. Ask for a Board application today!

Members must reside or work in Skamania or Klickitat County. No special expertise required -- just a desire to find ways to ensure that people with intellectual/developmental disabilities and their families can easily and locally access resources, services, and support.

Advisory **B**oard

Supporting Skamania County Community Health in providing developmental disability services to Klickitat and Skamania County residents

NEW LOGO!

The board has approved a new logo so that the DD community can readily identify our organization. We welcome your feedback on it!

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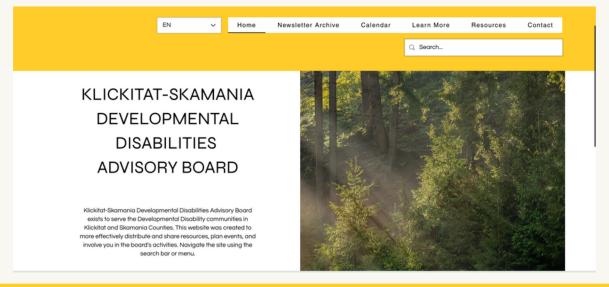
Mt. Adams Transportation Service (MATS) helps eligible Klickitat County residents, including those with DD but without transportation, get to educational opportunities, grocery shopping, banking, mailing, medical or social service appointments, and in some cases, job interviews or employment. Eve Elderwell is the Travel Trainer, who can help plan trips and even ride along to help you learn the routes. Eve is at (808) 769-8061.

MATS has both licensed, trained van drivers as well as volunteer drivers; volunteers are licensed and insured and undergo vehicle and background checks.

If you live in or west of Dallesport or Klickitat, please call White Salmon office for service 509-493-3068. If you live to the east of these towns, contact the Goldendale office 509-773-3757. **Click here for more**

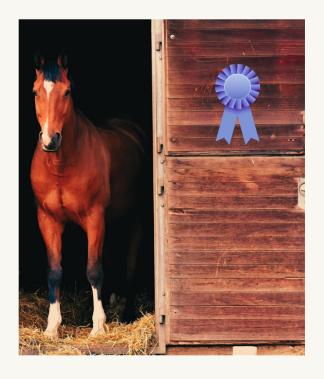
CHECK OUT OUR NEW WEBSITE! KSDDAB.ORG

We are excited to provide an easier way to stay up to date with the latest resources and events. We welcome your feedback and ideas!





Zoom. Contact Heather Trollier for an agenda and the link.



SKAMANIA COUNTY FAIR SUNFLOWER HOUR

The Skamania County Fair Board and the 'Two Rivers' Skamania County 4-H Club invite families to attend Sunflower Hour on Friday, August 16, from 9:00 to 11:00am for a more sensory friendly, crowd-limited Fair experience. No registration is necessary. This is your chance to interact with 4-H members, animals, Fair exhibits, do some crafting and decorate cupcakes!

VISIT THE KSDDAB WEBSITE

HAPPENINGS

Every Wednesday, 11:30-12:30 Peace NW Virtual Office Hours Go online to ask questions, get help navigating resources, find support and connect with PEACE NW staff.

Meeting Link: https://us06web.zoom.us/j/82750543069?

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Meeting Passcode: PEACENW

Friday, August 16. 9:00-11:00: Sunflower Hour, Skamania County Fair. Fairgrounds in Stevenson.

September 3, 11:00-2:00: Mobile DSHS at 107 W. Jewett Blvd, White Salmon (WorkSource parking lot).

September 14, 10:00-1:00: BuddyFest Northwest in Portland. https://www.nwdisabilitysupport.org/events/buddyfestnw2024

October 12, 2:00-4:00: KSDDAB 2nd Annual Resource Fair. Mt. Adams Elk's Lodge, 124 NE Church Ave, White Salmon.

October 16, 6:00-8:00: Annual Developmental Disabilities Employment Celebration Event. Rock Creek Hegewald Center, West Meeting Room #B140 in Stevenson.

CLICK HERE FOR OUR CALENDAR

Klickitat-Skamania Developmental Disabilities Advisory Board

Our mission: To support Skamania County Community Health in providing high quality, comprehensive and effective developmental disability services to Klickitat and Skamania County residents in an efficient and respectful manner.

With the support from both the Klickitat and Skamania Board of Commissioners, the Developmental Disabilities services for both counties were joined to form one department in 2021. The Klickitat-Skamania DD Advisory Board was formed soon thereafter.