Setting Limits That Really Work

This fun, hands-on workshop is designed to help parents and caregivers of young children understand the importance of limit setting and practice skills to help them do so simply and effectively. Participants will learn:

- ♦ Why limits matter
- ◆ How to communicate limits to young children
- Using "natural and logical consequences" to reinforce limits

Tuesday, November 15, 2016, 12:00 - 2:00 PM Mental Health Association Orange County, Inc. 73 James P. Kelly Way, Middletown, NY 10940

Let's Talk About... Cyberbullying

For Parents/Caregivers of children of all ages

Cyberbullying is a real and growing problem for today's youth (and even adults!) Join us for this hands-on workshop to talk about:

- ◆ The what, where and hows of cyberbullying
- ◆ How adults can help youth who are bullied
- Strategies to help youth avoid bullying others
- The critical role of bystanders and helpful "upstanders"

Wednesday, October 19, 2016, 6:00 - 8:00 PM Abbott House 100 Commerce Dr., New Windsor, NY 12553

Thursday, December 1, 2016, 7:00 - 8:30 PM John G. Borden Middle School 109 Bona Ventura Ave., Wallkill, NY 12589

Relatives as Parents Program (RAPP)

This program is an on-going education and support program for grandparents and relatives who are providing primary care for related children. Monthly support groups, educational workshops, 4-H youth programs, and other support services are available at several Orange County locations. All parenting programs are FREE.

"I look forward to attending the monthly support group; I get a night out with my wife, and I know my grandchild is safe and having fun."

- Grandpa

"Coffee & Conversation" and "RAPP Chat" Support Groups

Middletown - First Tuesday, 6:30 - 8 PM at Cornell Coop. Ext., 18 Seward Ave., Middletown. NY 10940

New Windsor - Second Tuesday, 6:30 - 8 PM at King of Kings Lutheran Church, 543 Union Ave., New Windsor, NY 12553

Port Jervis *RAPP CHAT* - Third Thursday, 10:30 AM - NOON at First Presbyterian Church, 60 Sussex St., Port Jervis, NY 12771

Newburgh *RAPP CHAT* - First and Third Saturday, 9:15 - 10:45 AM at the Newburgh Armory Unity Center, S. Williams St., Newburgh, NY 12550

Free childcare and RAPP 4-H Clubs meet at the same time (available with pre-registration at Middletown and New Windsor sites).

Call for more information: 845 - 344 - 1234

One-on-One Parenting Enrichment

Parents/caregivers who have participated in one of our parenting education series may apply for individual parenting enrichment sessions to address specific issues and further enhance their parenting skills.

Three sessions cost \$180/family
(Sliding scale available)
Call for more information 845 - 344 - 1234

All parenting programs are FREE for RAPP families

Building a Community Legacy Together

Cornell University Cooperative Extension in Orange County invites you to participate in a unique research project called Building a Community Legacy Together (BCLT). If you, or someone you know is 65 years or older, or attends grades 9 to 12. please call us for details about this groundbreaking project. Please call 845 - 344 - 1234 for more information.

Additional Program offerings:

Family Budget Education (Adults)
Financial Literacy for Youth

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REGISTRATION FORM

All series require registration. Please complete the form and return it with the *family* (adults living in the same household) or *program fee*, as noted. *Sorry*, *no refunds*.

All parenting programs are FREE for RAPP families.

Yes, I/We want to attend:
☐ Discipline is Not a Dirty Word - \$40/ family fee
☐ Preparing for the Teen Years - \$40/ family fee
☐ Strengthening Families - No Fee, but must return coupor
☐ 5 Simple Parenting Tools - No Fee
☐ Setting Limits That Really Work - No Fee
Let's Talk About Cyberbullying - No Fee
☐ October 19 ☐ December 1
Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$
(Make checks payable to: Comell Coop. Extension OC)

To pay by credit card, register online at cceorangecounty.org or call 845 - 344 - 1234 MasterCard, Discover and Visa accepted.

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Cornell Cooperative Extension Orange County, 18 Seward Ave., Suite 300, Middletown, NY 10940-1919 Attn: Parenting Education Parenting in this Wild New World:

5 Simple Tools for Successful Parenting

For Parents/Caregivers with children of any age

For many parents/caregivers balancing their responsibilities is stressful. This program provides five practical steps to get cooperation to help parents, caregivers AND children feel great about their day.

Thursday, September 8, 2016 6:30 - 8:30 PM Port Jervis Library 138 Pike Street, Port Jervis, NY 12771

Preparing for the Teen Years

For Parents/Caregivers of pre-teens and young teens

This parenting series will explore changing family dynamics and teach skills to help adults enjoy these transitional years. Topics include: Who is this stranger? Parent-teen relationships, talking with teens about sensitive topics and keeping them safe.

"I have been tempted to restrict all media usages for my pre-teen, but now understand how to help her use media wisely and safely."

- Mom

Four Session Series - \$40 / family fee

Tuesdays & Thursdays, Sept. 20, 22, 27 & 29, 2016 7:00 - 9:00 PM Valley Central Middle School 1189 Rt. 17K, Montgomery, NY 12549



Strengthening Families

For Parents/Caregivers and Youth 10-14 years together!

This fun, unique program allows adults and their children to build upon their strengths, enhance relationship and communication skills, practice peer pressure resistance skills and learn how to work through critical teen issues together. This program includes a light meal and childcare for children ages 3 and above.

"I have used the information to listen carefully to my child. Instead of just giving her answers, I help her find ways to solve problems." – Dad

Seven Session Series - NO FEE

(Funded by NYS OCFS / Orange County Youth Bureau) Priority given to Washingtonville Families

Wednesdays,
September 28, October 5, 19, 26,
November 2, 9 & 16, 2016
5:45 - 8:15 PM (Light meal included)
Washingtonville Middle School
38 West Main St., Washingtonville, NY 10992

Discipline is Not a Dirty Word

For Parents & Caregivers of Children 2-12 Years

Most parents agree that getting their children to behave is both important AND difficult. This four session series will help parents and caregivers learn and practice seven principles of positive and persuasive discipline. Participants will also learn:

- ◆ To understand different parenting styles
- ◆ Why children behave the way they do
- Effective communication and conflict resolution skills
- ♦ How to set realistic limits
- ◆ How to provide natural and logical consequences

"As a result of this series, I have come to appreciate the different approaches and options available for communication and conflict resolution. I will actively work towards implementing them into my daily life."

— Dad

Four Session Series -\$40 / family fee

Wednesdays, Oct. 19, 26, Nov. 2 & 9, 2016 9:30 - 11:30 AM St. Peters Lutheran Church 31 West Main St., Port Jervis, NY 12771

