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SUMMER NEWSLETTER 2024

June is Elder Abuse Awareness Month

Elder Abuse includes emotional, physical, or sexual harm inflicted upon an older adult through financial exploitation or neglect of their welfare by individuals who are directly responsible for their care. The trauma of elder abuse may result in health issues such as a deterioration in health, hospitalization, and increased mortality. Clinical problems such as depression, suicide, financial loss, and social issues, including disrupted relationships, all lead to diminished independence and quality of life.



One study estimated that only 1 in 24 cases of elder abuse are reported to authorities.

You can reach out to the Eldercare Locator by calling at 1-800-677-1116. Informed Specialist available M-F 8am – 9pm ET. Adult Protective Services by calling

1-800-652-1999.

FREE EVENT

Save The Dates

Henoween Table, Wayne, July 7

Chicken Show Parade, Wayne, July 8

Table at the Dakota Thurston County Fair, South Sioux City July 31 - August 4

Dakota Thurston County Fair Parade, Sioux City, August 1

> National Night Out, August 6

Wash Out Domestic Violence, October 12

Panda Express Fundraisers

20% of event sales will be donated Location: 5745 Sunnybrook Dr. Sioux City IA

June 29

August 30

July 30

September 30

Board of Directors

Dr. Laura Dendinger – President Berenice Valleio – Vice President Domenic Consoli – Secretaru Jessica Dobias – Treasurer

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Peer Support Groups Free & Confidential Childcare provided Every Tuesday at the Wayne office

Grupos de Apoyo Entre Pares Gratis & Confidencial Cuidaremos a sus Hijos Cada Martes en la oficina de Wayne Domestic Violence & Sexual Assault Agresion Domestica & Agresion Sexual

For more information call

(402) 375-5433 or email hh@havenhousefsc.org

4:00 - 4:45 PM Para mas informacion llama (402) 375-5433 Omandanos un correo electronico hh@havenhousefsc.org

Staff Highlights: Training in Ogallala | Northeast Nebraska Family Violence Summit | Dakota and Wayne Leadership

Advocates in Action: Police Week | Voices for Food Grant | WSC **TWITCH**

Save The Dates| Upcoming Panda Express Fundraiser Dates | Board of Directors | Peer Support Group

Wish List/Thank You Letter

Event Announcement!

Wash out Domestic Violence!

Haven House will be Washing Out

Domestic Violence with a FREE family

event to bring awareness.

Date: October 12th, 2024 Time: 11:00 am -2 pm

Location: Northeast Community College

1001 College Way, South Sioux City, NE 68776

During the event, we wish to collect free-will

donations such as cleaning supplies and

hygiene items, and we will accept monetary

contributions as well.

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STAFF HIGHLIGHTS

HAVEN HOUSE NEWSLETTER

Training in Ogallala

Our advocates, Amber and Myah, traveled to Ogallala in May to hear the advice and teachings of Russel Strand. It was an excellent training hosted by the Sandhills Crisis Intervention Program, and our advocates gained a whole new perspective on advocacy. It was very reflective, and they cannot wait to incorporate what they learned into their everyday practices.

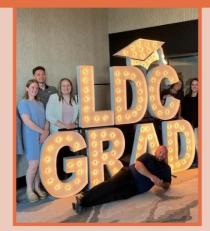


Family Violence Summit



In April, Haven House was awarded a scholarship to attend the Family Violence Summit headed by Faith Regional in Norfolk! It was a two-day long training that our advocate, Myah, got to attend. There was a range of topics, such as investigative techniques, dynamics of family violence, what human trafficking can look like to an unsuspecting eye, and so much more! We are incredibly grateful that we got to send an advocate to this great training.

Dakota and Wayne Leadership



Leadership Dakota County and Wayne County is a course where a group of people gather each month to strengthen ties with their community, improve their leadership skills, and foster growth in personal, professional, and civic areas. Haven House had the privilege of sending two staff, Debbie and Amber.



ADVOCATES IN ACTION







In May, our advocates,
Kristina and Myah, got to
travel to our surrounding
police departments and
deliver goodie baskets
to show our
appreciation! Thank you
for all that you do!



Voices for Food Grant

Thank you, Dakota County
Voices for Food, for providing
the grant and purchasing the
freezer. We also want to thank
Kollman Appliance for giving us
a great deal on the freezer and
free delivery! We are thankful to
provide our clients with more
options for their needs.

We are accepting donations for school supplies.

Please see the wish list for items in need.



Wayne State
College students
came together to
make a
contribution of
\$1,705 to Haven
House. The funds
were raised during
the KWSC 24-Hour
Live Stream on
Twitch, showcasing
the incredible unity
and compassion of
the community.

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