

Yreka Community Resource Center

Our MISSION is to provide "RESOURCES TO ALL"

- **Career Fashions for Men & Women**--clothes for men & women for job interviews, court dates, and work
- **Computer Lab**--Use of computers anytime during open hours for all ages
- **Parent Education**--Parenting Wisely, computer program, as well as 7-12 week parenting classes throughout the year
- **Healthy Families & Medi-Cal for Children**--online application assistance, by appointment
- **Young Children's Play Area**--children's area to be used anytime during open hours
- **Bingo**--Every Tuesday at 1:30--7 games for \$7
- **Senior Information & Assistance**--help for seniors accessing resources, filling out forms, etc...
- **Car Seat & Helmet Program**--Training for free car seat from CHP
- **Community Service Site**
- **Mental Health Services Act**--Personal Services Coordinator to help when things get tough!
- **Respite Care for Kids ages 0-5**--temporary licensed childcare for families in crisis, application required
- **New Parent Kits**--box of videos & brochures from First 5 California
- **Supervised Visitation**--Low-cost visits for non-custodial parents
- **Karate Classes**--Mondays and Wednesdays for kids 7-18
- **Broadway New to You Thrift Store**--program for retail sales training and processing. Volunteers always needed. Clothing referrals available!
- **Families Matter Camp**--Kidder Creek Camp family experience, with ropes, pond, horseback riding, whitewater rafting and more!
- **Lending Library**--Parenting library of books that can be checked out
- **Family Night Out**--3rd Thursday of each month, free dinner, books, arts & crafts for families with kids ages 0-5.
- **Resource & Referrals**--Connecting families & individuals with services they need that we don't provide
- **Family Advocacy**--one-on-one time to talk about problems & goals

We have worked with a mother of 3 for about 3 years, we met her when she fled her domestic violence situation and moved into the shelter and started taking parenting and family-based substance abuse relapse prevention classes at our Center. She lost her kids for a time, and she worked really hard to get them returned to her home. She became a poster child for showing others that you can quit drugs and a bad relationship, and with hard work, be successful, even speaking on panels for conferences, and joining the Community Services Council Substance Abuse Subcommittee. Her son, who is now 10, was our youngest volunteer here at our center, filling out an application at age 8, so that he could buy a pair of roller skates from our Thrift store (earning \$ 1/hour of store credit) He just recently made a deal with our Karate instructor, giving him his \$ 10/month allowance and doing cleaning in the Dojo so that he can take Karate classes here! He is a delightful young man, who spends a lot of time here and is learning what kids are good to hang out with and those that are not!

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