

UPCOMING 'THE FUTURE BEGINS TODAY' EVENT, HARPER COLLEGE INFORMATIONAL MEETING TO HELP SPECIAL EDUCATION FAMILIES TRANSITION

Township High School District 211's Transition Services Department has upcoming events that will help families transition between high school and post-secondary life.



Harper College will host an informational meeting for parents and students about services and accommodations for students with disabilities on a 504 Plan or IEP. The event will take place on April 19 from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m., at Harper College, Building J, Room 143.

Additionally, the District will host "The Future Begins Today – Transition Resource Fair" for parents and guardians of individuals with disabilities. The event will take place on April 25 from 6 to 8:30 p.m., at Palatine High School, 1111 N. Rohlwing Rd.

211 **220** **214**
Township High School District 211, Barrington Community Unit School District 220 and High School District 214

PRESENT!
The Future Begins Today
Tuesday, April 25, 2017
6:00-8:30
Palatine High School
1111 N. Rohlwing Road, Palatine, Illinois 60074

The Future Begins Today event is an informational meeting for parents and guardians of individuals with a wide-range of developmental disabilities. Information will be shared by over 40 adult service providers and community resource agencies.

- Community Advocacy Unit/Unit (CAU)
- Department of Rehabilitation Services (DRS)
- Co-Advocacy
- Financial Planning
- Enrollment Programs (IEP/504)
- Guardianship Planning
- Job Skill Training
- Post-Secondary Educational Options
- Independent Living
- In-home Based Services
- Residential Options
- Recreation and Leisure Programs
- Transportation
- Identity

SCHEDULE
5:45 – Parents/Student Registration Begins
8:00-8:45 – Keynote Address
Transition: Putting the Pieces Together
Presented by Barb Tobias, Sandy Ricketts and Linda Hall from Connect to Community
8:00-8:30 – Transition Resource Fair

For additional information, please contact Diane Pfister at (847) 755-1851/dpfister@211.org, Lynday Palach at 847-892-0881/palach@barrington220.org, or Sarah Adkins at 847-718-1688/sarahadkins@211.org

Districts 211, 220 and 214 do not specifically endorse any agency or company not affiliated with the school system.

Attendees will have access to more than 40 adult service agencies that can provide information to families on the services they offer. They will also hear the keynote address titled "Transition: Putting the Pieces Together," presented by Barb Tobias, Sandy Ricketts, and Linda Hall from Connect to Community. The Transition Resource Fair will include resources for job skill training, post-secondary education options, financial planning, self-advocacy, and more.

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