



2016 – 2017 COMMUNITY PROGRAMMING



Ashland's Decisions at Every Turn (DAET) Coalition and the Friends of the Ashland Public Library are pleased to be co-hosting programs for parents and the community. Programs will provide parents with strategies, the opportunity to collect new skills, and get answers to compelling questions. Programs are free and open to all. For questions about programs at the library, please contact president@friendsoftheapl.com. For questions about programs at other locations, please direct inquiries to CoalitionInfo@AshlandDecisions.org.

Topic	Speaker	Date, Location, Audience
Marijuana & Vaping: The Big Picture A Look at the Health, Wellness & Policy Impact on Ashland Youth	Chief Craig Davis, APD; John Scheft, Esq., Law Enforcement Dimensions; Dr. Randi Melissa Schuster, MGH Center for Addiction Medicine, and Representative Hannah Kane	Date: Monday, September 19 Time: 7:00 – 8:30 PM Location: Ashland High School Auditorium Audience: Community
Building Resilience	Dr. Kenneth Ginsburg, M.D., M.S. Ed. Children's Hospital of Philadelphia and the Perelman School of Medicine at the University of Pennsylvania	Date: Wednesday, October 19 Time: 7:00 – 8:30 PM Location: Ashland High School Auditorium Audience: Community
World Café: Reducing Ashland's Adolescent Alcohol Use	DAET Leadership	Date: Tuesday, November 15 Time: 7:00 - 8:30 PM Location: Ashland Public Library Audience: Community
Addressing Challenging Behaviors with RESPECT	Courtney Arseneault, MS	Date: January 18, 2017 Time: 7:00 - 8:30 PM Location: Ashland Public Library Audience: Parents of children in Pre-K - Grade 2
Putting the Fun in Family Dinner Series (3 program series; includes dinner. Registration will be required)	Lisa Beaudin, Director of Nutrition Services, APS Cindil Redick, Program Manager, The Family Dinner Project	Date: January – March, 2017 Time: 5:30 – 7:00 PM Location: Ashland Public Library Audience: Parents and their children in Grades K-5
Community Book Read	Jim Adams, facilitator Superintendent, Ashland Public Schools	Date: Tuesday, March 14, 2017 Time: 6:30 – 8:00 PM Location: Ashland Public Library Audience: Community
Ben Speaks: The Power of Choice (Co-hosted with ASHPAC and Ashland PTO)	Judy Giovangelo	Date: Tuesday, April 4, 2017 Time: 7:00 PM Location: Ashland High School Audience: Parents
College Transition: A Program for Parents	Janice Kassman, Former Dean of Students at Colby College; Bev Madden, Parent & co-chair SPAN-DS; and Julia Madden, Middlebury College graduate, 2014	Date: Tuesday, May 2, 2017 Time: 7:00 – 8:30 PM Location: Ashland Public Library Audience: Parents of high school seniors
Summer Send-Off for AHS Students & Parents	Chief Craig Davis, APD; Marian Ryan, Middlesex County DA, and John Morello, Actor/Comedian	Date: Tuesday, May 9, 2017 Time: 7:00 – 9:00 PM Location: Ashland High School Auditorium Audience: AHS Juniors/Seniors and parents

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