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**BUDS "Kids" Social Group**  
**(ages 8 and under)**  
**Calendar of Events**  
**2008 & 2009**

**BUDS**



**Bringing Up Down Syndrome**

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P. O. Box 1085, Marlton, NJ 08053

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- January 10**  
(Saturday) **Father & Child Basketball Clinic, Cherry Hill Health & Racquet Club, Cherry Hill,**  
Description: Come out for a basketball clinic hosted by our very own BUDS dads who coach our Special Olympics basketball team. This event is open to children with Down syndrome under age 12 and their dads (moms are also welcome to come). It is never too young to start playing!  
Place: Cherry Hill Health & Racquet Club, 1820 Old Cuthbert Rd., Cherry Hill, NJ 08034  
[www.chhrc.com](http://www.chhrc.com)  
Time: 8:30 a.m.—9:30 a.m.  
RSVP: Nancy Hennefer at (856) 354-0584 or [golforlife@comcast.net](mailto:golforlife@comcast.net)  
What to Bring: Children should wear comfortable clothing and sneakers.
- January 2009**  
(TBD) **Mom's Night Out, Mt. Laurel, NJ**  
Description: Leave the kids home and come to our "Mom's Night Out" at Tammy Maioriello's house. An evening of coffee and conversation...more details to follow!  
Place: 22 Forrest Court, Mount Laurel, NJ 08054  
Time: 7:00 p.m.—10:00 p.m.  
RSVP: Janet Wiedemann (856) 983-5982 or [janetwiedemann@verizon.net](mailto:janetwiedemann@verizon.net)
- February 14**  
(Saturday) **Valentine's Party at Pump It Up, Marlton, NJ**  
Description: Come join us for our own private bounce party! More details coming soon.  
Place: Pump It Up, 8 E. Stowe Rd. Suite 160, Marlton, NJ [www.pumpitupparty.com](http://www.pumpitupparty.com)  
Time: TBD  
RSVP: Joellen Boyd at [jboyd@nexusproperties.com](mailto:jboyd@nexusproperties.com) or Janet Wiedemann  
What to Bring: Children should wear comfortable clothing and socks.
- March**  
(TBD) **To Be Announced**  
Description: We are looking for volunteers to plan additional events. If you would like to plan an event in March, please contact [janetwiedemann@verizon.net](mailto:janetwiedemann@verizon.net)
- April 4**  
(Saturday) **6th Annual Trisomy 21 Symposium, Childrens Hospital, Philadelphia, PA**  
Description: The 6th Annual Trisomy 21 Symposium at Childrens Hospital is set for April 4, 2009. For more information go to:  
<http://www.chop.edu/consumer/jsp/division/service.jsp?id=76670>
- April 5**  
(Sunday) **Egg Hunt at Paws Farm, Mt. Laurel, NJ**  
Description: One of our favorite activities is back again! Come out to socialize, play and hunt for eggs. Besides the egg hunt, there are interactive play areas and many animals to see. Come out for a great time! This event is rain or shine.  
Place: 1105 Hainesport-Mt. Laurel Rd., Mt. Laurel, NJ 08054  
[www.pawfarm.com](http://www.pawfarm.com)  
Time: TBD  
RSVP: Janet Wiedemann (856) 983-5982 or [janetwiedemann@verizon.net](mailto:janetwiedemann@verizon.net)

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**April 10**  
(Friday)

**Egg Hunt & Indoor Festival at Eastern Regional High School (All Ages Welcome)**

Description: Every year the high school students in the “Interact Club” at Eastern High School sponsor an event for BUDS and several other organizations. This year our BUDS families (all ages) have been invited to their indoor festival. They will have an egg hunt indoors, there is usually face painting, games, crafts, dancing, snacks, etc. No need to worry about the weather since it is inside. It is geared toward younger children, but anyone who still enjoys hunting for eggs is welcome to come.

Place: Eastern Regional High School, 1401 Laurel Oak Rd, Voorhees, NJ (Go to the cafeteria in the rear of the school) [www.eastern.k12.nj.us](http://www.eastern.k12.nj.us)

Time: 10:00 a.m.— 12:00 p.m.

RSVP by 3/31: Nancy Hennefer at (856) 354-0584 or [golforlife@comcast.net](mailto:golforlife@comcast.net)

What to Bring: No need to bring anything.

**May 6**  
(Wednesday)

**Jellybean Jungle, Marlton, NJ**

Description: If you have children aged 7 or younger, come join us for an evening of fun and play. Pizza and refreshments will be served.

Place: Jellybean Jungle, 230 N. Maple Ave., Crispin Shopping Center, Marlton, NJ  
[www.jellybean-jungle.com](http://www.jellybean-jungle.com)

Time: 5:00-7:30 p.m.

RSVP: Janet Wiedemann (856) 983-5982 or [janetwiedemann@verizon.net](mailto:janetwiedemann@verizon.net)

What to Bring: Children should wear comfortable clothing and socks.

**June 2009**

**BUDS Kids/KIIDS Picnic, Washington Lake Park, Washington Twp. NJ**

We invite you to join us for our 3rd annual family picnic at Washington Lake Park. It will be an afternoon filled with food, fun, crafts and conversation. Please bring a side dish or dessert to pass and share. Date to follow soon. . . .

**If anyone would like to organize additional events, please contact Janet Weidemann. Our goal is for each family who participates to try to organize at least one event each year. We are open to new ideas.**

**(Enjoy the summer months of July and August and we will begin a new calendar of events in September 2009)**