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Lake Area Resources and Connections

NEWS From ARC of the UNITED STATES

Special Events

- July 21, 1p—3p

ICE CREAM SOCIAL

Versailles City Park, Picnic
Shelter in the back

- Aug 11, 10a—3p

SWIM PARTY at Camp
Wonderland: LIFE-
GUARDS, lunch and fun
provided free of charge

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for Services for the De-
velopmentally Disabled
573-348-3751

Morgan County Board
for the Developmentally
Disabled 573-569-4240

Camden County Devel-
opmental Disability Re-
sources. 573-317 9233

Income Support - House Defeats Farm Bill with SNAP Cuts

On May 18, the House of Representatives defeated the Agriculture and Nutrition Act of 2018 (H.R.2), more commonly known as the "Farm Bill," by a vote of 198-213. If passed, this bill would have caused significant cuts to Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) or "Food Stamp" benefits and dramatically expanded work requirements. New job training programs would be paid for by cuts in SNAP which would be insufficient to meet the need created by the work requirements. In total, the bill would have caused an estimated 2 million people to lose their SNAP benefits. For more information, read The Arc's official statement at <https://blog.thearc.org>.

Medicaid/Rights - CMS Issues Guidance on Electronic Visit Veri- fication

On May 16, the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) issued guidance ([Medicaid.gov/Medicaid/hcbs/guidance/electronic-visit-verification](https://www.medicare.gov/medicaid/hcbs/guidance/electronic-visit-verification)) on implementation of electronic visit verification (EVV) required in the 21st Century Cures Act. Congress directed CMS to issue this guidance at least one year before the implementation deadline of January 19, 2019. The statute requires EVV for personal care services and home health services. However, the guidance provides a very expansive interpretation that includes any service where assistance with activities of daily living or instrumental activities of daily living is provided in part in the home. Furthermore, it leaves many decisions with privacy implications up to states. The Arc believes the short time frame is insufficient for states to engage with stakeholders to implement these requirements in a way that does not put an undue burden on providers and does not violates the privacy of beneficiaries.

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Ongoing Events

- Good Neighbors, First Baptist Church, Eldon, 3rd Monday of each month at 6pm
- People First 2nd Thursday of each at LODC/Camdenton
- Share the Harvest Food Pantry Camdenton 573-317-5855 for hours
- Hope House Food Pantry Lake Ozark 573-365-0099 for hours
- Helping Hands of Central MO, 784 Hiway 52, St. Elizabeth
- Food for Morgan County Pantry, 100 Jones Ave, Versailles
- Ivy Bend Community Food Pantry, 41569 Ivy Bend Rd, Stover

Spotlight on Success

The first Arc of the Lake/Dogwood Festival 5K was held on April 21st in Camdenton. It was a great day to run and all participants had a great time! A BIG THANKS to Paul Dibello (CCDDR Board Member) and Dave Weber (Camdenton R-I I I Coach) for all their hard work. While it was a small turn out, we consider it a successful start to an ongoing fundraising venture. We raised enough money to cover a full week scholarship to Camp Wonderland!! We hope to see YOU next year-come out and run, walk, roll and stroll!!



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CAMP Scholarships

The following people get to have a Camp Wonderland experience using a \$250 scholarship from the Arc of the Lake: Matt Erving, Virginia Bridgewater, Ryan McCormick, Elliot Schneiders, Adam Rottman and Zachary Boatner.

The recipient of the Gigi Maha Memorial First time Camper scholarship was Janelle Rauba



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