

# THERE'S NO PLACE LIKE **STEPPING STONES**



*Pathways to Independence for People with Disabilities*

**Program Guide**

**Fall, Winter, & Spring 2017 - 2018**

# CHOOSE STEPPING STONES FOR YOUR Fall, Winter, & Spring ADVENTURES



## CREATE FRIENDSHIPS!

Peer groups connect over new interests and special activities.

## LEARN LIFE SKILLS!

Whether you are away from home for the first time or a seasoned veteran, camp allows participants to practice life skills in a safe and nurturing environment. Camp is empowering and promotes independence and self-esteem.

## BE YOURSELF!

Discover what you enjoy doing, be silly and try things that are out of your comfort zone. Disconnect from technology and be YOU in a judgment-free zone.

## BE ACTIVE!

Programs provide structure and fun. Keep your body and your mind active while participating in new activities such as science exploration, archery, nature hikes and sports.

## CARE FROM TRAINED STAFF!

Program staff members are predominantly college-age students who are studying related fields and receive direct training on topics including First Aid/CPR, activity leadership, and participant safety. Nurses are on-site during all waking program hours. All staff undergo background and reference checks.

## GO OUTSIDE!

Our outdoor, nature-based environment allows for exploration and a camp like atmosphere

## CAMPUS TOURS

We invite you to schedule a campus tour to meet our staff and learn more about our programs and services!

For more information, call:  
Jeannie Ludwig (513) 965-5108

[www.SteppingStonesOhio.org](http://www.SteppingStonesOhio.org)

## SATURDAY KIDS CLUB

**Location:** Given Campus

**Serving:** Ages 5 - 16

**Time:** Two Saturdays per month  
9:30 am - 3:00 pm

**Price:** \$50 per session

A fun, daytime program that includes science projects, nature hikes, sports, music, parties and more. Each club has a unique theme.

## WEEKEND OVERNIGHT RESPITES

Meet new friends and reconnect with old ones. Enjoy sports, art projects and skill-building classes like cooking and other specific interests and hobbies.

**Location:** Allyn Campus

**Serving:** Ages 12+

**Two-Night Respite: (\$325)**  
Friday 6:00 pm - Sunday 1:00 pm

**Friday Night Respite: (\$175)**  
Friday 6:00 pm - Saturday 3:00 pm

**Saturday Night Respite: (\$175)**  
Saturday 4:00 pm - Sunday 1:00 pm

Includes licensed nurses from 7:00 a.m. to 10:00 pm, Med-certified staff and a commercial kitchen that is professionally staffed to accommodate specialized dietary needs.

## SATURDAY YOUNG ADULT CLUB

**Location:** Given Campus

**Serving:** Ages 15 - 25

**Time:** Two Saturdays per month  
4:00 pm - 9:00 pm

**Price:** \$50 per session

Make new social connections, prepare appetizers and desserts, support a healthy lifestyle and enjoy dances, parties, competitions and special events.

## WINTER OVERNIGHT STAYCATION

**Location:** Allyn Campus

**Serving:** Ages 16+

**Time:** Check-in: Wednesday, Dec 27 at 6:00 pm  
Check-out: Monday, Jan 1 at 1:00 pm

**Price:** \$800

**Theme:** "Ringing In A New Year"

All aboard our Time Machine while we travel back to the 1920s to celebrate the winter holiday season in high fashion and style.

Enjoy time with friends, share in exciting activities and celebrate a new 2018 at our formal New Year's Eve dinner and dance!

## ADULT SOCIAL EVENTS - "Around Town"

**Location:** Greater Cincinnati community venues

**Serving:** Ages 21+

**When:** Two Saturdays (day/evening depending on activity)

**Price:** Varies by event, Private Pay Only

Join other adults for activities such as dances, sports, movies and theatre events, game nights and more! "Around Town" helps participants practice and develop social skills, form positive interactions, and learn to successfully navigate large community spaces, money management and personal choice. Low staff to participant ratios allow us to meet individual needs. Drop off/pick up times and locations will vary by event. Participants must be able to safely travel and interact in a small group, community-based context.



## HOW TO REGISTER:

1. Apply on-line at [www.SteppingStonesOhio.org](http://www.SteppingStonesOhio.org)
2. Print application forms at [SteppingStonesOhio.org/Form-Center](http://SteppingStonesOhio.org/Form-Center).  
To request a paper application, call Jeannie at (513) 965-5108.

## ANNUAL REGISTRATION FEE

To cover processing fees, Stepping Stones requires an annual registration fee of \$25 per person.

- Valid January 1 - December 31
- Non-refundable. Fee not prorated based on date of enrollment
- Out-of-Pocket, not eligible to be paid by a state waiver
- Covers one year of unlimited registrations for programs
- Payable via credit card on-line, by phone or check

## HOW TO PAY FOR SERVICES

Stepping Stones accepts payment from several third-party funding sources, including: Family Support Services, Level One, Independent Options, and SELF Waivers from the state of Ohio. Limited financial aid is available to those who submit proper documentation and qualify. Families may also choose to pay privately for services.

## PRIVATE PAY CLIENTS

Private pay clients must select a pre-payment plan and be paid in full prior to attending programs. This policy allows us to plan for staffing needs and program enrollment. For complete details on Private Pay policies, please visit our web site at: [www.steppingstonesohio.org/private-pay](http://www.steppingstonesohio.org/private-pay)

\*Additional fees may apply for medical or behavioral care

Any questions on payment can be answered by the Billing Department at (513) 965-5105.

### Allyn Campus

1414 Lake Allyn Road  
Batavia, OH 45103

### BeauVita Campus

5195 North Bend Road  
Cincinnati, OH 45211

### Given Campus

5650 Given Road  
Cincinnati, OH 45243

### UCP Campus

2300 Drex Avenue  
Norwood, OH 45212



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