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# REDWOOD COAST REGIONAL CENTER

Serving Del Norte, Humboldt,  
Lake, and Mendocino County



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## RCRC's Winter Holiday Event

**MAKE A CRAFT, COLLECT A GIFT & SNACK, TAKE A PHOTO WITH SANTA**

By Renee Thompson

It's that time of year again when Redwood Coast Regional Center hosts their annual Winter Holiday event. We will be celebrating this year at 5 different locations across Lake, Mendocino, Humboldt and Del Norte counties. Come join us and enjoy this magical time of year for a festive and enchanting afternoon together. Each event

will have craft activities, gifts for each participant, snacks and an opportunity to take a photo with Santa. This annual celebration is free and open to all RCRC clients, their caregivers, and families. Feel free to stop in anytime during our available hours and we hope to see you there! ★

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## Days to Remember

**December 2nd**  
National Special  
Education Day

**December 2**  
Giving Tuesday

**December 3**  
International Day of Persons  
with Disabilities

**December 21**  
Winter Begins

**December 24**  
Christmas Eve  
*RCRC will be closed*

**December 25**  
Christmas  
*RCRC will be closed*

**December 31**  
New Years Eve







JOIN US FOR



**RCRC's Annual Winter Event**

**December 5th**  
FAMILY RESOURCE CENTER  
494 PACIFIC AVE.  
CRESCENT CITY, CA  
10:00AM-12:00PM  
& 1:30PM-4:00PM

**December 15th**  
RCRC EUREKA OFFICE  
525 2ND ST.  
EUREKA, CA  
11:00AM-1:00PM  
& 3:00PM-6:00PM

**DROP IN ANYTIME!**  
MAKE A CRAFT, COLLECT A GIFT & SNACK  
TAKE A PHOTO WITH SANTA

Event is free to all RCRC clients and family  
For more info contact:  
[svanlathanith@redwoodcoastrc.org](mailto:svanlathanith@redwoodcoastrc.org)

 Department of Developmental Services

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## NORTHERN COUNTY EVENTS

### December 5th

Family Resource Center  
494 Pacific Ave., Crescent City, CA  
10:00am-12:00pm & 1:30pm-4:00pm

### December 15th

RCRC Eureka Office  
525 2nd St. (1st floor), Eureka, CA  
11:00am-1:00pm & 3:00pm-6:00pm

JOIN US FOR



**RCRC's Annual Winter Event**

**December 2nd**  
FORT BRAGG VETERANS MEMORIAL BUILDING  
360 HARRISON AVE., FORT BRAGG, CA  
1:00PM-4:00PM

**December 5th**  
RCRC LAKEPORT OFFICE  
180 3<sup>RD</sup> ST., LAKEPORT, CA  
11:00AM-1:00PM  
& 2:30PM-5:00PM

**December 9th**  
RCRC UKIAH OFFICE  
1116 AIRPORT PARK BLVD., UKIAH, CA  
11:00AM-1:00PM  
& 2:30PM-6:00PM

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## SOUTHERN COUNTY EVENTS

### December 2nd

Fort Bragg Veterans Memorial Building  
360 Harrison Ave., Fort Bragg, CA  
1:00pm-4:00pm

### December 5th

RCRC Lakeport Office  
180 3rd St., Lakeport, CA  
11:00am-1:00pm & 2:30pm-5:00pm

### December 9th

RCRC Ukiah Office  
1116 Airport Park Blvd., CA  
11:00am-1:00pm & 2:30pm-6:00pm

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# RCRC Executive Director Recruitment

By Nichole Haydon

I am so pleased to announce we are now recruiting for RCRC's next Executive Director. The Board has spent the last few months reviewing/refining the job description/duties to ensure they are in alignment with RCRC and the Board's expectations.

Initial screening of and contact with applicants will begin on December 8, 2025 with interviews scheduled after January 5, 2026. Applications should be sent to [HR@redwoodcoastrc.org](mailto:HR@redwoodcoastrc.org).

To view the announcement in it's entirety, visit our website at: <https://redwoodcoastrc.org/careers/>



**Redwood Coast Regional Center**

## Now Hiring: Executive Director

Are you a compassionate, visionary leader ready to make an impact? The **Redwood Coast Regional Center** is seeking its next **Executive Director** to guide a dedicated team serving more than 5,000 children and adults with developmental and intellectual disabilities across Mendocino, Lake, Humboldt, and Del Norte counties.

Work from **Ukiah or Eureka, CA** - surrounded by the stunning beauty of the Redwood Coast

**Ideal Candidate:**

- ✓ 10+ years in social services or related field
- ✓ 5+ years of executive-level leadership
- ✓ Advanced degree (Master's or higher)
- ✓ Heart for serving people with developmental disabilities

**Compensation:**

- 💰 \$195,000 - \$210,000 annual salary
- 🏠 Excellent benefits (CalPERS retirement, medical, dental, vision, and more)
- 🚗 Relocation assistance available

📅 **Application Review Begins:** December 8, 2025

📧 **Apply Now:** Send your resume and cover letter to [HR@redwoodcoastrc.org](mailto:HR@redwoodcoastrc.org) addressing:

- Brief summary of experience with providing services to clients;
- Past organizational responsibilities including size of budget, total number of employees and number of direct reports; and
- Addressing the question "RCRC serves individuals with developmental disabilities. Why does this type of mission interest you?"

Join us in leading meaningful change along California's beautiful North Coast. ❤️



[REDWOODCOASTRC.ORG/CAREERS/](https://redwoodcoastrc.org/careers/)

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## Getting to know our community

**DARCEE LANDES**

### **What is your position at RCRC?**

I am an Associate Service Coordinator here at RCRC and work mainly with adults.

### **What inspired you to get into this field of work?**

When I went to school many moons ago, I had studied biology in hopes I would someday become a wildlife biologist. However, as a single mother with three young children it did not seem feasible to be able to work in that field at the time. I decided to switch gears and received my associate's degree in behavioral science through College of the Redwoods. My three (now adult) kids have definitely been an inspiration for me. Struggling to get their needs met in a community with such limited resources was a constant challenge, but it became easier the longer I lived here and the more familiar I was with all the services in this area.

### **Tell us about an inspirational experience working with RCRC?**

Recently one of the younger

adults on my caseload, who had been living in his family home, transitioned to his own apartment. His IPP team had been working on this plan for the past 3 years and it finally came to fruition. With supports in place, this young man is now living his dream. He is engaged with many community activities and has a really strong support system in place. He is learning to make his own choices and has a diverse group of friends he is connected to daily.

### **What do you like to do in your spare time?**

In my spare time I like to hunt down my grandkids and make them hang out with me. I also like to cook, and recently I have been experimenting with turning any meal into a soup recipe. ★



**“With supports in place, this young man is now living his dream.”**



**DARCEE LANDES**

## December 2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2 First 5 Humboldt Orick First 5 Humboldt Arcata RCRC Winter Holiday Event Fort Bragg	3 First 5 Humboldt Orick Food For People Fortuna Parent IEP Workshop, Zoom Dance Therapy Loleta Ornaments Eureka	4	5 First 5 Humboldt Rio Dell First 5 Humboldt Willow Creek RCRC Winter Holiday Event Crescent City & Lakeport	6 Multiplicity Samoa Multiplicity Ukiah Stocking Stuffer Event, Fortuna
7	8	9 Food For People Redway RCRC Winter Holiday Event Ukiah Play Group Lower Lake Multiplicity Caregivers Group, Redway	10 Food For People Rio Dell	11	12	13 Special Santa Event Ferndale Community Cornerstone Holiday event Redway Mitote at the Dunes Manilla
14	15 RCRC Winter Holiday Event Eureka	16 RCRC Spanish Parent Group Lakeport	17 Changing Tides Training, Zoom First 5 Humboldt Redway Changing Tides Support Group, Zoom	18 Parent Support Group Lower Lake Loleta Food Pantry, Loleta Multiplicity Lakeport	19 RCRC Field Days Willow Creek TCIL Emergency Workshop Eureka	20
21 Brighter Futures Support Group Hoopa	22	23 Play Group Lower Lake	24 <i>Christmas Eve RCRC Closed</i>	25 <i>Christmas RCRC Closed</i>	26	27
28	29	30	31			

For more information, see event fliers.

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## FIRST 5 HUMBOLDT

### Orick Playgroup

Every Tuesday & Wednesday, 9:30am-11:30am  
Orick Elementary School, 120918 Highway 101, Orick  
For more information, contact 707-488-2821.

## FIRST 5 HUMBOLDT

### Arcata Playgroup

Every Tuesday, 1:00pm-3:00pm

D St. Neighborhood Center, 1301 D St., Arcata

For more information, visit <https://www.first5humboldt.org/for-families/playgroups/>.



## REDWOOD COAST REGIONAL CENTER

### Annual Winter Event

Tuesday, December 2nd, 1:00pm-4:00pm

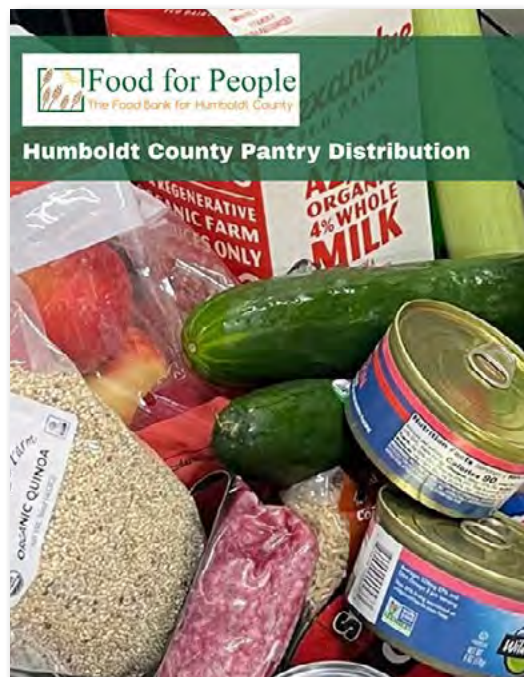
Fort Bragg Veterans Memorial Building  
360 Harrison Ave., Fort Bragg

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## FOOD FOR PEOPLE

### Humboldt County Pantry Distribution

Wednesday, December 3rd, 10:00am-12:30pm  
Fortuna Adventist Community Services, 2331 Rohnerville Rd.,  
Fortuna

For more information, contact 707-445-3166 or visit  
<https://www.foodforpeople.org/distribution..>

*RCRC will be tabling this event.*

## LAKE FAMILY RESOURCE CENTER'S FAMILY EMPOWERMENT CENTER

### Parent IEP Monthly Empowerment Workshop

December 3rd, 1st Wednesday of each month, 2:00-4:00pm

Zoom

For Zoom information, contact 707-279-0563 ext 204.

Lake Family Resource Center's  
Family Empowerment Center

### PARENT IEP MONTHLY EMPOWERMENT Workshop

Calling ALL parents with children with disabilities to come join us every first Wednesday over Zoom from 2pm-4pm to learn about the IEP process, disability resources, local services and network with parents!

**Interactive Sessions**  
Engage in interactive, hands-on activities designed to help you better understand and support your child's unique needs and abilities.

**First Wednesday**  
of every month

**Via Zoom 2pm - 4pm**

**CONTACT US:**  
(707)-279-0563 EXT 204  
16170 Main St. Suite C&D, Lower Lake, CA 95457

PARENT DISABILITY WORKSHOP SERIES

Loleta

### BALLETERAPIA DANCE THERAPY

LOLETA COMMUNITY RESOURCE CENTER

CADA MIÉRGULES  
EVERY WEDNESDAY  
5:00 - 6:00 P.M.  
700 LOLETA DRIVE  
LOLETA CA 95551  
707 733-5239

## LOLETA COMMUNITY RESOURCE CENTER

### Dance Therapy

Every Wednesday, 5:00-6:00pm

Loleta Community Resource Center, 700 Loleta Dr., Loleta

For more information, contact 707-733-5239.

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## REDWOOD COAST REGIONAL CENTER

### Capitol Tree Lighting Ornament Making Event

Wednesday, December 3rd, 6:00pm-8:00pm

Jefferson Community Center, Eureka

For more information, contact Jorge Matias at 707-273-9722.

Tamales, coffee & hot chocolate while supplies last.

To learn more about the Regional Center Tree Lighting Event, visit:

<https://www.dds.ca.gov/general/newsroom/capitol-christmas-tree-lighting/>

## FIRST 5 HUMBOLDT

### Play Group

Every Friday, 10:00am-12:00pm

Volunteer Fire Department of Rio Dell,  
50 Center St., Rio Dell

For more information, visit

<https://www.first5humboldt.org/for-families/playgroups/>.

*RCRC will be tabling this event on the 12/5/2025.*



## FIRST 5 HUMBOLDT

### Willow Creek Playgroup

Every Friday, 10:30am-12:30pm

Creekside Learning Center, 75 The Terrace, Willow Creek

For more information, contact Karen Diers

at 530-629-3141 or email at [Karen.Diers@stjoe.org](mailto:Karen.Diers@stjoe.org).

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## REDWOOD COAST REGIONAL CENTER

### Annual Winter Event

Friday, December 5th, 11:00am-1:00pm & 2:30-5:00pm

RCRC Lakeport Office, 180 3rd st., Lakeport

For more information, contact  
tgilbert@redwoodcoastrc.org.

## REDWOOD COAST REGIONAL CENTER

### Annual Winter Event

Friday, December 5th, 10:00am-12:00pm & 1:30-4:00pm

Family Resource Center, 494 Pacific Ave., Crescent City

For more information, contact  
svanlathanith@redwoodcoastrc.org.



## Redwood Caregiver Support Group

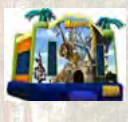
### Saturday, December 6th

10:00AM – 11:30 AM

Parents & caregivers are invited to this support group for a chance to meet other caregivers, connect with support professionals, and an ability to "step away" for a time while trained support staff provide a fun time for their loved ones in a safe & engaging environment.

#### We Will Be Offering:

Trampolines  
And bounce house!



#### We Will Be Meeting At:

Dream Athletics  
900 Vance Ave., Samoa, CA 95564

Bagels, muffins, snacks, and Drinks provided.

Please Text or Call Kelly with Multiplicity Therapeutic Services with any questions!  
Phone: (707) 498-0010  
Email: kelly@multiplicityinc.com

## MULTIPLICITY THERAPEUTIC SERVICES

### Redwood Caregiver Support Group

Saturday, December 6th, 10:00am-11:30am

Dream Athletics, 900 Vance Ave., Samoa

For more information, contact Kelly at 707-498-0010  
or email kelly@multiplicityinc.com.

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## Ukiah Parent, Caregiver, and Family Event

### SENSORY-FRIENDLY MOVIE EVENT

Regal Movie Theater (612 S State St, Ukiah, CA 95482)

#### Zootopia 2

Saturday, December 6, 2025

Movie starts at 10 am

Tickets are free

Seating is ~~very~~ limited.

We will only fill the theater to half-capacity to prevent overwhelm and overstimulation.

RSVP required with exact number of children and adults.

Text or call to RSVP at

(707) 494-8511



The lights will be slightly on.

The volume will be lowered.

The Subtitles will be on.

A sensory friendly movie provides families with a safe and accepting environment. Moving around and making noise is OK and will be accepted.

Snacks/drinks will be available for purchase at the concession stand.

Hosted by Multiplicity Therapeutic Services

## MULTIPLICITY THERAPEUTIC SERVICES

Client, family and caregivers group

Saturday, December 6th, movie starts at 10:00am

Regal Movie Theater, 612 S State St., Ukiah

Please RSVP at 707-494-8511 with exact number of adults and children. Seating is limited!

## GENE LUCAS COMMUNITY CENTER Stocking Stuffer Annual Holiday Event

Saturday, December 6th, 1:00-5:00pm

Gene Lucas Community Center, 3000 Newburg Rd., Fortuna

*RCRC will be tabling this event.*



## FOOD FOR PEOPLE

Humboldt County Pantry Distribution

Sunday, December 9th, 10:30am-12:30pm

1055 Redway Dr., Redway

For more information, contact 707-445-3166

or visit <https://www.foodforpeople.org/distribution>.

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## REDWOOD COAST REGIONAL CENTER

### Annual Winter Event

Tuesday, December 9th, 11:00am-1:00pm & 2:30-6:00pm

RCRC Ukiah office, 1116 Airport Park Blvd., Ukiah

For more information, contact [tgilbert@redwoodcoastrc.org](mailto:tgilbert@redwoodcoastrc.org)

## LAKE FAMILY RESOURCE CENTER

### Play Group

December 9th & 23rd, 2nd and 4th Tuesday of each month  
3:00-4:30pm

16170 Main St. Suite C & D, Lower Lake

For more information, contact 707-279-0563, ext 204.



## MULTIPLICITY THERAPEUTIC SERVICES

### Client, family and caregivers group

Tuesday, December 9th, 3:00-4:30pm

Southern Humboldt Family Resource Center

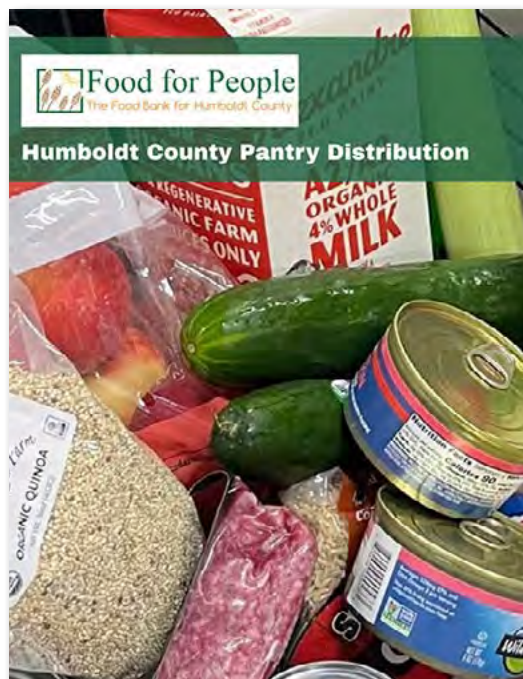
344 Humboldt Ave., Redway

For more information, contact Kathryn at 707-616-3600 or Ian at 540-818-8164.

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## FOOD FOR PEOPLE

### Humboldt County Pantry Distribution

Wednesday, December 10th, 10:00am-12:30pm

Volunteer Fire Department of Rio Dell, 50 Center St., Rio Dell

For more information, contact 707-445-3166 or visit

<https://www.foodforpeople.org/distribution..>

*RCRC will be tabling this event.*

## FERNDALE FIRE DEPARTMENT

### Special Santa 2025

Saturday, December 13th, 9:00am-12:00pm

Ferndale Fire Hall, 436 Brown St., Ferndale

For more information, contact 707-786-9909.



## COMMUNITY CORNERSTONE

### Winter Holiday Boutique

Saturday, December 13th, 10:00am-5:00pm &

Sunday, December 14th, 10:00am-4:00pm

Redway School, 344 Humboldt Ave., Redway

For more information, contact

[cornerprusk21@gmail.com](mailto:cornerprusk21@gmail.com)

*Cornerstone crafts are also available at the Pierson's Garden Shop, Christmas Store in Eureka, now till Christmas.*

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## HUMBOLDT COASTAL NATURE CENTER

### Mitote at the Dunes

Saturday, December 13th, 3:00-6:00pm

220 Stamps Ln, Manilla

For more information, contact 707-444-1397.

*RCRC will be tabling this event.*

## REDWOOD COAST REGIONAL CENTER

### Annual Winter Event

Monday, December 15th, 11:00am-1:00pm & 3:00-6:00pm

RCRC Eureka Office, 525 2nd St., Eureka

For more information, contact

svanlathanith@redwoodcoastrc.org.



ASISTA, APRENDA Y COMPARTA! *El Centro Regional Redwood Coast*

El grupo de apoyo en español para padres de niños con discapacidades de desarrollo los invita a su reunión mensual cada tercer martes del mes a las 10:00 AM.

Asistencia en persona

Redwood Coast Regional Center  
180 3rd St.  
Lakeport, CA 95453

Si tiene preguntas llámenos, envíenos un mensaje, o mandenos un Whatsapp

(707)234-5415

¡SU PARTICIPACIÓN ES MUY IMPORTANTE!

## RCRC SPANISH PARENT GROUP

### Attend, Learn, Share!

December 16th, 3rd Tuesday of each month, 10:00am

RCRC office, 180 3rd St., Lakeport

For more information, contact 707-234-5415.

(This event is in Spanish)

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## UPCOMING Trainings

July & October: IEP Basics  
August & November: IEP Deeper Dive  
September & December:  
Communication Bridge - Teachers & Families

**L** 9:30–10:30 AM - ZOOM  
6:00–7:00 PM - ZOOM



 Ask questions, talk with others, and share your experience.

Scan QR Code  
for FEC Padlet



 Our Location  
2249 MYRTLE AVE - EUREKA, CA

Phone: (707) 444-8293 Email: [FEC@changingtidesfs.org](mailto:FEC@changingtidesfs.org)

**For more information, and Zoom link, contact 707-444-8293.**

***RCRC will be tabling this event on 12/17/25.***



# First 5 Playgroups

## Guía de Juego de First 5



# First 5

## HUMBOLDT

MONDAY LINES	TUESDAY MATTERS	WEDNESDAY MEGACOLLS	THURSDAY JUVIES	FRIDAY VENUES	SATURDAY SABADO
<p><b>Arcauta Play Center</b> 10-12 PM 1301 St. Arcauta</p>	<p><b>Mazda</b> 9-11 AM 1614 Peninsula Dr., Mazda (RCM cafeteria)</p>	<p><b>Arcauta Play Center</b> 10-12 PM 1301 St. Arcauta</p>	<p><b>McKinleyville</b> 10:30-12:30 PM 1008 Owen Rd. <i>(McKinleyville community)</i></p>	<p><b>Willow Creek</b> 10-12 PM 244 Willow Rd. (Greenlake Park)</p>	<p><b>Tiny Tot</b> 9:30-10:30 AM Arcauta United Methodist Church 1760 17th St. Arcauta</p>
<p><b>Gene Lucare Community Center (GLCC)</b> 9:30-10:30 AM 3000 Newburg Rd., Fortuna <i>(Inclusiones invitadas)</i></p>	<p><b>Gene Lucare Community Center (GLCC)</b> 9:30-11:30 AM 3000 Newburg Rd., Fortuna <i>(Inclusiones invitadas)</i></p>	<p><b>Gene Lucare Community Center (GLCC)</b> 9:30-11:30 AM 3000 Newburg Rd., Fortuna <i>(Inclusiones invitadas)</i></p>	<p><b>Rio Dell</b> 10-12 PM 30 Center Street (Volunteer Fire Dept.)</p>	<p><b>Arpaiki Hanaifio (Arpaiki)</b> 9-11 AM Ponahulu Bldg 3800 CA 96</p>	
<p><b>Orick</b> 9:30-10:30 AM Orick School 30001 US-101</p>	<p><b>First Year Playgroup</b> 9-11 PM 1309 S St. Arcauta "For infants (10-12 months) / Para infantes (10 a 12 meses)"</p>	<p><b>Blue Lagoon</b> 9:30-10:30 PM Perigen Park 1311 S. Redwood Ave. Blue Lake <i>("Algunos niños de la tarde")</i></p>	<p><b>Redway</b> 10-12 PM Redway Elementary 800 St 34th Humboldt Ave)</p>	<p><b>Shalshor Cove</b> 9-11 AM 3001 Upper Pacific Dr. (Shalshor Cove Clubhouse)</p>	
<p><b>Petrolia</b> 10:00-10:00 AM MVC Center (12030 Mallards Rd., Petrolia)</p>	<p><b>Orick</b> 1-3 PM Orick School 120048 US-101</p>	<p><b>Orick</b> 1-3 PM Orick School 120048 US-101</p>	<p><b>Jefferson</b> 10-12 PM 10000 B St. Eureka <i>(Inclusiones invitadas)</i></p>	<p><b>Crocker</b> 1-3 PM 24790 Alderpoint Rd. BM 5</p>	
<p><b>Salmon Creek</b> 10-12 PM Catholic Education Center 73 (near St. Ignace)</p>	<p><b>Salmon Creek</b> 10-12 PM Catholic Education Center 73 (near St. Ignace)</p>	<p><b>Salmon Creek</b> 10-12 PM Catholic Education Center 73 (near St. Ignace)</p>	<p><b>Salmon Creek</b> 10-12 PM Catholic Education Center 73 (near St. Ignace)</p>	<p><b>Salmon Creek</b> 10-12 PM Catholic Education Center 73 (near St. Ignace)</p>	
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New school year, new annual registration for playgroup.

Nuevos 420 emisoras, nuevas inscripciones de registro anual para grupos de juego.

**Skip the line and complete daily sign-in at annual registration from your home or car.**

Evite la fila y complete el registro de anualización diario en el registro anual desde su casa o carro.

Daily sign-in form.

Registro de anualización diario.







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PLEASE SCAN QR CODE TO SIGN UP!

**For more information, contact 707-279-0563, ext. 204.**





## LOLETA COMMUNITY RESOURCE CENTER

### Loleta Food Pantry

December 18th, 3rd Thursday of each month, 3:00-5:00pm  
Loleta Community Church, 228 Church St., Loleta  
For more information, contact 707-733-5239.

## MULTIPLICITY THERAPEUTIC SERVICES

Client, family and caregivers group

Thursday, December 18th, 5:00-6:30pm

Fun Zone Arcade, 2755 Mission Rancheria Rd., Lakeport

Please RSVP at 707-494-8511 or e-mail  
schedule@multiplicityinc.com with number of people attending.

**Multiplicity Therapeutic Services**  
**Lakeport Parent, Caregiver, and Family Event**  
**Thursday, December 18th, 2025**

**Please join our monthly event! This month event is**  
**being held at the Fun Zone Arcade!**

**Parent, Caregiver and Family Event**

Join us for snacks and arcade games!

- \*Pizza (cheese/pepperoni), vegetable platter and dessert!
- \*Free arcade games for the kiddos.
- \*Enjoy a variety of fun activities such as:
  - Holiday Crafts
  - Sensory bean bin, crafts, balloons, coloring, magnet shapes, and game
  - \*ABA training and handout

**WHEN:** Thursday, December 18th from 5-6:30 pm, Multiplicity Therapeutic Services will provide snacks (pizza, vegetable tray, & dessert) be supporting various peer engagement activities, holiday crafts, and caregiver training.

**WHERE:** Fun Zone Arcade, 2755 Mission Rancheria Rd, Lakeport, CA 95453

**RSVP:** RSVP is required. Limited availability.  
Text or Call (707) 494-8511  
Email: schedule@multiplicityinc.com  
RSVP with the total number of adults and children.

## Service Coordinator

# Field Days

**December 19th**  
12:00-3:00pm  
**Dream Quest**  
100 Country Club Dr.  
Willow Creek

For more info., contact:  
Heather Green at (707) 445-0893 ext. 341

*Will be cancelled with inclement weather.*

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## TRI-COUNTY INDEPENDENT LIVING Emergency Plan Workshop



We are proud to announce that TRI-COUNTY INDEPENDENT LIVING will be offering an emergency plan workshop for all TCIL clients and interested community members that would like to learn how to create and implement an **Emergency Plan** for themselves and/or their families. You will also receive an **Emergency Go Backpack** at the end of the workshop to take home as a starting point for an emergency kit. This workshop will be held on the 3rd Friday of every other month. Light refreshments will be provided.

RSVP: By calling Tara Groszard - 707-498-0977 or 707-445-8404  
\*\*Space is limited to 6 participants per each workshop

Location: Tri-County Independent Living  
139 5th St. Eureka, Ca 95501

Rural Human Services  
286 M St. Suite A, Crescent City, Ca 95531

Dates: Every 3rd Friday of every other month (see workshop dates below)

Times: 1:00pm - 2:30pm

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### Emergency Plan Workshop

Friday, December 19th, 1:00-2:30pm

Tri-County Independent Living, 139 5th St., Eureka

Please RSVP Tara Groszard at 707-498-0977 or 707-445-8404 ext. 715.

## BRIGHTER FUTURES

### Parent Support Group

Sunday, December 21st, 12:00-2:00pm

Trading Post, State Highway 96, Hoopa

For more information and to RSVP, contact Darcey at 707-599-7332 or David at 707-502-9118.



## Brighter Futures Parent Support Group

Family Cookie Decorating Party



What: Cookie Decorating

When: December 21st from 12:00-2:00

Where: The Trading Post  
11716 Hwy 96 Hoopa Ca

Brighter Futures is a monthly parent support and community group for people who care for and support individuals with different abilities. Please RSVP to Darcey Brown at (707) 599-7332 or David Branson at (707) 502-9118 and let us know how many adults and children in your family will be attending.



## FAMILY EMPOWERMENT CENTER FOR DISABILITIES

### Parent/Caregiver SUPPORT Group

A community where parents/caregivers can share experiences, seek advice, and offer support to one another to continue to learn, develop and grow together

TWO  
TIME  
SLOTS

4TH  
WEDNESDAY  
OF EACH  
MONTH

JULY THROUGH DECEMBER 2025  
9:30 AM to 10:30 AM ~ Zoom  
6:00 PM to 7:00 PM ~ Zoom

For More Information and to RSVP:  
Call Us at (707) 444-8293  
Email Us at: [FEC@changingtidesfs.org](mailto:FEC@changingtidesfs.org)  
Scan the QR Code for our FEC Padlet:



## CHANGING TIDES

### Parent/Caregiver Support Group

Wednesday, December 17th

(3rd week of the month due to holidays)

9:30-10:30am and 6:00-7:00pm

Zoom

For more information, and Zoom link, contact 707-444-8293.

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**FREE** **ENGLISH EXPRESS** 

707-443-5021  English Express Empowered [englishexpressempowered.com](https://englishexpressempowered.com)

**FALL 2025  
SEPTEMBER 2 –  
DECEMBER 11**

**ENGLISH LANGUAGE CLASSES**  
Beginning to Intermediate

**ONLINE**

Tuesdays and Thursdays  
6:00 - 7:00 pm  
Zoom ID 707-443-5021  
Password 464816

**IN PERSON**

**EUREKA**  
Wednesdays 6:00 - 7:15 pm  
Jefferson Community Center  
Room 2, 1000 B Street

**FORTUNA**  
Thursdays 11:00 am - 12:00 pm  
St. Francis Episcopal Church  
Community Hall  
568 16th Street

**RIO DELL**  
Saturdays 11:30 am - 12:30 pm  
Rio Dell Community Resource Center  
406 Wildwood Drive

**CITIZENSHIP CLASSES**

**PREPARE FOR  
NATURALIZATION EXAM**

**EUREKA**  
Mondays 6:00 - 7:30 pm  
Jefferson Community Center  
Room 2, 1000 B Street

**FORTUNA**  
Tuesdays 6:00 - 7:00 pm  
St. Francis Episcopal Church  
Ferguson House, 568 16th Street



## ENGLISH EXPRESS

### Free English Language & Citizenship Classes

Fall September-December

Humboldt County

For more information, contact 707-443-5021, or visit

<https://englishexpressempowered.com/about/>

## SCDD NATIONAL CORE INDICATORS

### Family Surveys

To participate in the survey, email [QAProject@SCDD.ca.gov](mailto:QAProject@SCDD.ca.gov)

For more information, email [NCIHelp@dds.ca.gov](mailto:NCIHelp@dds.ca.gov)

**Let your voice  
be heard!**



**FAMILY  
SURVEYS**  
NATIONAL CORE INDICATORS (NCI)

Let your regional center and the Department of Developmental Services (DDS) know what you think about your services!

Surveys are confidential, and evaluate the services and supports you and your family member receive through your regional center and service providers.

Surveys are mailed directly to you from the State Council on Developmental Disabilities (SCDD). You may fill it out on paper, or online with the code in your letter.

Email [QAProject@SCDD.ca.gov](mailto:QAProject@SCDD.ca.gov) to participate in the survey.  
Email [NCIHelp@dds.ca.gov](mailto:NCIHelp@dds.ca.gov) for general questions about NCI.

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# SCDD and DDS Statewide Self-Determination Orientation

**Want to learn more?  
Contact your Service  
Coordinator at RCRC or a  
Participant Choice Manager.**

**Participant Choice  
Managers**

**Humboldt & Del Norte  
Counties:**

Alex Ostell  
(707) 445-0893, ext. 317  
aostell@redwoodcoastrc.org

**Mendocino & Lake  
Counties:**

Sheila Keys  
(707) 462-3832, ext. 254  
SKeys@redwoodcoastrc.org



## STATEWIDE SELF-DETERMINATION ORIENTATION



Join Us to Learn...

- What is SDP\*
- Steps to Enroll in SDP
- How SDP Works
- Key Roles in SDP
- The Principles of SDP
- Your Next Steps

\* Self-Determination Program

For more Information and Registration

Click the link below:

<https://scdd.ca.gov/sdp-orientation>



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**...Are Self-Determined!**

**Learn if the Self-Determination Program is  
Right for You!**

A CERTIFICATE OF COMPLETION WILL BE PROVIDED.  
AN SDP ORIENTATION IS REQUIRED TO ENROLL IN SDP.





## LOCAL & REGIONAL RESOURCES

Find these and many more on our website at:

<https://redwoodcoastrc.org/resources-hub/local-resources/>



# MIND INSTITUTE



Redwood Coast Regional Center believes that access to information, supports, and learning is necessary for all people to achieve their life goals.

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## Contact Us

Learn more about our services and programs.

## Redwood Coast Regional Center Offices

CONTACT YOUR NEAREST OFFICE FOR ASSISTANCE

**(New office coming soon!)**

### Ukiah Office | Corporate Office

1116 Airport Park Blvd.  
Ukiah, CA 95482  
Phone: (707) 462-3832  
Fax: (707) 462-3314  
**Mendocino County**

### Fort Bragg Office

270 Chestnut Street, Suite A  
Fort Bragg, CA 95437  
Phone: (707) 964-6387  
Fax: (707) 964-0226  
**Mendocino County**

### Lakeport Office

180 3rd Street  
Lakeport, CA 95453  
Phone: (707) 262-0470  
Fax: (707) 264-6537  
**Lake County**

### Clearlake Office

14888 Olympic Dr.  
Clearlake, CA 95422  
Phone: (707) 621-6169  
Fax: (707) 264-6537  
**Lake County**

### Eureka Office

525 2nd Street, Suite 300  
Eureka, CA 95501  
Phone: (707) 445-0893  
Fax: (707) 444-3409  
**Humboldt County**

### Crescent City Office

1301-A Northcrest Drive  
Crescent City, CA 95531  
Phone: (707) 464-7488  
Fax: (707) 465-4230  
**Del Norte County**

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