

## CDC Resources, Inc. Events Page



**Limelight Art Show, Carnegie Center, Rensselaer.**

L to R. Barb Lucas, Photographer, Robert Schenk, CDC Board President, Patty Stingfellow, Library Director, Jasper County Public Library and Lorrie Brinker, Consumer at CDC.



Lorrie Brinker shows off her handiwork at the Limelight Art Show.

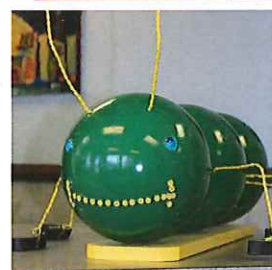
### WRESTLING Under the Red Lights!!

Staff and consumers attended a WWE Payperview event in Chicago. One of the Rensselaer consumers stated that her dream was to go to a WWE match. Phil Watkins, SLS Supervisor, called the organizers of the event and told them about CDC. He asked if he could get a discount for the consumer. They got back to him and stated that they love what CDC does here, and sent free tickets for five consumers and five staff! What fun!



### For Sale

Hand made by CDC consumers from balling balls, there is a caterpillar for a porch, yard, or desk for \$60.00. Also, available is a basketball, a bobber, a ladybug, and a frog for \$30 each. Watch for photos on FACEBOOK!



### Jasper Junction

As of May 9th, 2016, Jasper Junction is no longer owned by CDC Resources Inc. It is now under new ownership and management. CDC wishes the new owners the best in their endeavors.

CDC is in the process of looking for either a building or a piece of land in Rensselaer to open another thrift store. As soon as we identify a building or a piece of land, we will share with the public. Thank you for your continued support. CDC continues to take donations to support people with disabilities. If you would like to donate to CDC to support people with disabilities, feel free to drop off your donations at the Rensselaer office at 1320 E. Angelica Street, Rensselaer, IN 47978.

### Delphi Group Home

Onias Taruwinga, CEO, meets with staff and residents of the Delphi Group Home as they celebrate the new roof and remodeling enhancements!

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### Monticello Chamber of Commerce LEADS Group

The group was recently hosted at CDC Resources for a light breakfast and tour of the facilities. CDC staff members were introduced and their roles

and responsibilities explained. Leads Chairman, Joe Weiss, congratulated CDC on their hard work and continued services to local Individuals with disabilities. For more info on the Chamber LEADS Group, phone Joe Weiss at 574-583-4564.

### Delphi Group Home Gets a Facelift

Thanks to the Carroll County Community Foundation and the ARC of Carroll County and the CDC Maintenance Dept. The Group Home has been renovated with a new roof, new appliances, new cabinets and a fresh coat of paint in many of the rooms. The residents are very excited about the renovations and their new home!



### Grant Project

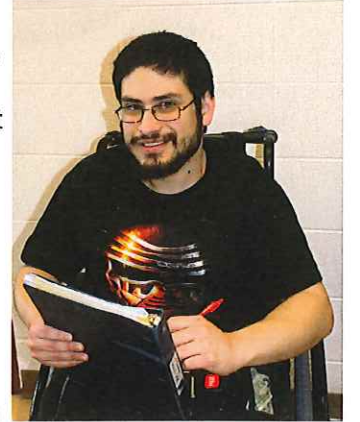
Thanks to Women Giving Together and the White County Community Foundation, the Monticello Public Library, and the Mayor's ADA Advisory Council for "Art is For Everyone".



## KARSON'S

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Hi, my name is Karson Andrew Hall. I am 25 years old. I go to CDC Resources on Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays. Last month we had disability aware month, where normal people live in the shoes of someone with a disability for a day. Every month we go bowling which is really fun. We have cooking class on Thursdays, which I think is very cool, because once we get on our own we will know how to cook for ourselves. My favorite thing about CDC is that I get to meet new people and I can be myself. When we are at the workshop I like teasing the staff and consumers. I am grateful for everything my parents and the people of CDC do for me to get where I am now.



### Monticello Thrift Store

CDC recently remodeled the Thrift Store in Monticello. A grand opening took place on April 21st. It was well attended by consumers, staff, board members and community. This was a wonderful time for all of those who have worked so hard to bring this project to fruition. The store has taken on a new look and will be easier for shoppers to maneuver and find the treasures they are looking for. If you haven't visited the store lately, you are in for a treat!!



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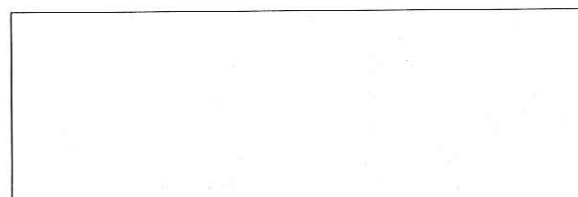
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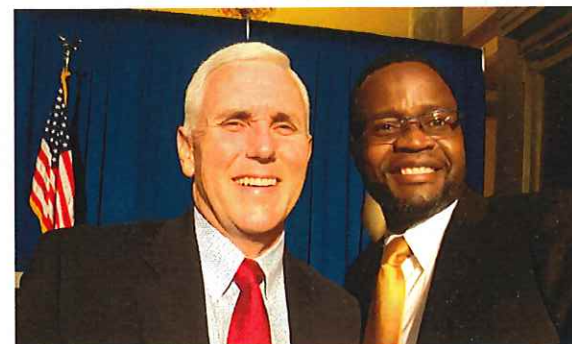
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# CHRONICLE Spring 2016

## From The Desk Of The Executive Director, Onias Taruwinga



On March 21, 2016, Governor Pence signed the historic ABE bill into law. The ABE ACT will go a long way to benefit people with disabilities. CDC Resources was honored to be part of the ABE ACT signing ceremony.

Here is the summary of the ABE Act. ABE stands for "achieving a better life experience." It provides that the authority may establish a qualified ABE Savings Account program. Under this program, a person may make contributions for a taxable year for the benefit of

an eligible individual with a disability to an ABE account. The funds can be used to meet the qualified disability expenses of the designated beneficiary in compliance with federal law. The ABE Act sets forth duties and powers of the authority and the board. It establishes a general operating fund, endowment fund, and trust fund. It removes language that specifies Medicaid reimbursement rates for services provided by a group home facility or a community residential facility for people with disabilities. It voids an administrative rule that specifies Medicaid reimbursement rates for services by these facilities.

In simpler terms, an ABE Account will allow a person with disability to save money to pay for disability related expenses. So for people with disabilities who work, they can save their own money up to a \$100,000 without jeopardizing their benefits. It will also allow families to save for the future of their son/daughter with a disability when they are no longer around to assist. It is a great avenue for people with disabilities and their families to save money and be responsible for expenses and the future. Indiana has already done a great job of trying to find ways for people with disabilities to gain

job skills and get employed, the ABE Act now takes it to the next level to help people save money for their future.



On behalf of CDC, I would like to thank self-advocates who worked tirelessly to make this a dream come true. I also want to thank Kim Dodson, Arc of Indiana's Executive Director and her staff for their tireless efforts. Many thanks to Kelly Mitchell, Indiana State Treasurer and Governor Pence for their support.

### Our Mission Statement

At CDC we believe every person should have the opportunity to develop to their maximum potential. In partnership with the community, we provide progressive services and supports necessary to individuals with disabilities and their families which nurture their talents and skills toward becoming fully productive citizens.

## Up Coming Events



**Tootsie Roll Drive - Monticello June 2, 3 & 4th  
Rensselaer June 15, 16 & 17th**



**Dan's Fish & Chicken Fry - Thursday, Aug. 25th  
4:30 - 7:30 pm CDC Monticello 5053 Norway Rd.**



**Annual Dinner - TBA**



Lisa Terry, Community Relations Specialist, thanks Jacquie Wright, Industrial Federal Credit Union, for becoming the first  
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