

Tools For Teens and Adults

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Ocean County Board of Chosen Freeholders, Ocean County Youth Service Commission, Ocean County Health Department, NJ Governors Council on Alcoholism & Drug Abuse, S.C. of N.J. Ocean County Probation - Juvenile Supervision, Ocean County Library, & the Municipal Alliance Project

Bullying - Staying Safe: Strategies for Parents, Teens, and Educators

This workshop is for parents of K-12 students, teens, educators, and other community members who want to understand what bullying is, how parents can tell if their son/daughter is affected by bullying, what teens can do if they or someone they know is being bullied, best practices for bullying prevention and response, and schools' legal responsibilities. Bullying is a serious problem in schools today that is linked to school violence, teen depression and suicide, and affects academic performance.

Presenter: Dr. Paula Rodriguez-Rust, Sociologist and member of the N.J. Special Task Force on Bullying, Cyberbullying Awareness and Prevention. Dr. Rust lectures internationally, has appeared on 20/20 and been quoted in many publications including Newsweek. www.spectrumdiversity.com

Thursday, November 12th, 2009

5:30-6:00pm Sign-in & Program Starts Promptly @ 6:00pm
Mancini Hall, TR Branch 732-349-6200



Bullying and Girl Cliques

This workshop will focus on defining the roles of bullying the bully: the victim and the witness (secondary victim) with specific strategies in working with each of the roles. An additional emphasis will be on identifying the 7 roles in a girls clique and how to survive and cope.

Presenter: Fran Miceli, 30+ yrs experience in counseling/administration at NJ DHS Division of Addiction Services, Instructor at New Jersey City University, Rutgers University & Brookdale Community College

Monday, October 5th, 2009

Plumsted Branch 609-758-7888

Thursday, December 3rd, 2009

Mancini Hall, TR Branch 732-349-6200

Thursday, December 10th, 2009

Lakewood 732-363-1435

5:30-6:00pm Sign-in & Program Starts Promptly @ 6:00pm

6:00 pm Teens Only w/Ms Miceli & **7:00 pm** Adults Only w/ Ms Miceli



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Details and Info: Registration REQUIRED for all programs: online at www.theoceancountylibrary.org, click on "Program Calendar"; or by calling the hosting branch. All programs are FREE and light refreshments will be provided. Teens ages 12 & up are encouraged to attend along with interested adults, parents, educators, clergy & youth workers. For Toms River Programs - Parking is free starting at 6:00 PM on the street and in the Toms River Township Parking Deck. Professional development certificates provided. The Ocean County Library is a registered NJ Department of Education Professional Development Provider.



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