



Child Advocacy Center of Sedgwick County

~ To lead our community in eliminating the suffering of abused children. ~

Vol. 6, Issue 6
March 15, 2017

Diana Schunn
Executive Director

Primary Partner Agencies

Exploited and Missing Child Unit
KS Dept. for Children and Families
Wichita Regional Office
KU School of Medicine - Wichita
Office of the District Attorney, 18th
Judicial District, Sedgwick
County
Sedgwick County Sheriff's Office
Via Christi Health
Wesley Medical Center
Wichita Police Department

For Your Calendar

April 2017: Child Abuse
Prevention Month

April 7th: Flag Pole Dedication
for Child Abuse Prevention
Month: Child Advocacy Center
of Sedgwick County, 9a.m.

May 8, 2017: "[Changing A
Child's Life](#)" Golf
Tournament: Willowbend
Country Club

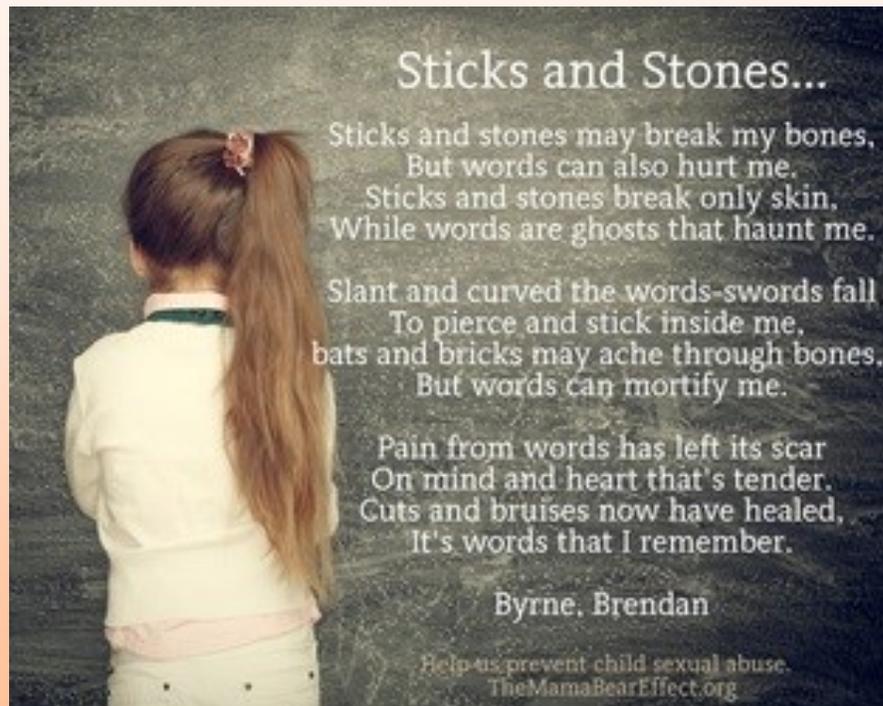
May 10-11, 2017: 20th
Annual Crime Victims' Rights
Conference: Hyatt Regency,
Wichita

Nov. 1-3, 2017: Kansas
Children's Service League: 41st
Annual Governor's
Conference: Capitol Plaza
Hotel: Topeka, KS

Nov. 3, 2017:
[CACSC Heroes Gala](#):
Scottish Rite Center

Get to Know the CAC Board of Directors

Cynthia Cross has been a Junior League of Wichita (JLW) Inc. member for over 12 years. During her active years in JLW, the League began to focus their efforts on child abuse prevention and education. Cynthia was JLW President when the League made their generous contribution to the CACSC comprehensive capital campaign, which was used to support the education center. With three children of her own, Cynthia is passionate about doing all she can individually and with others to help children have the best opportunity for happy and productive lives. Through her employment with Cox Communications for nearly 10 years, Cynthia had the avenue and opportunity to reconnect with the CACSC because of the supportive partnership that Cox Communications has with our organization. Cynthia stays extremely busy with teenage daughters and a 10 year old son. Her activities include playing and coaching sports, and running with her two Rhodesian Ridgebacks.



Child Advocacy Center of Sedgwick County

1211 S. Emporia Ave. Wichita, KS 67211-3211
(316) 660-9494

www.cacsckansas.org

www.facebook.com/CACofSedgwickCounty

www.twitter.com/CACSC

April is National Child Abuse Prevention Month



Child Abuse Prevention Month is a time to celebrate the good things our community does to promote healthy child development, as well as a time to reflect on the work that still remains.

When a community comes together to support children and families, we all benefit: our fellow citizens are better educated, employees are more effective and miss less work, and we see a profound and positive impact on the quality of life for families in our community.

Friday, April 7th is Wear Blue Day. The CACSC will be joining Kansas Children's Service League (KCSL) in support of Kansas children who deserve safe, nurturing families and communities. April 7th is Wear Blue Day across the nation and we encourage you to participate.

What: CACSC Flag Pole Dedication

When: Friday, April 7th @ 9:00a.m.

Where: CACSC Education Center (1211 S. Emporia Ave)

The entrance to the Education Center is located on the East side of the building.

Please join us as we raise our CACSC flag to celebrate Wear Blue Day and to show our dedication to all of the children and families in Sedgwick County and all over the nation.

A light breakfast of donuts and bagels will be provided.



If you are unable to attend, you can express your support by wearing blue. Take your picture and post it on social media with the hashtag #WhyBlue. This will generate discussion about the importance of prevention programs and why we support child abuse prevention by wearing blue.

Would you like more information on ways you can show your support during Child Abuse Prevention Month?

Contact Jessica Zellner at 316-660-9441.

If you suspect child abuse or neglect, call 911 or 1.800.922.5330.

"The purpose of child advocacy centers is to provide a comprehensive, culturally competent, multidisciplinary team response to reports of child abuse, in a dedicated, child-focused setting."

The CACSC is accredited by the National Children's Alliance:
Empowering Local Communities to Serve Child Victims of Abuse