

THE DENVER CHILDREN'S ADVOCACY CENTER'S MONTHLY NEWSLETTER



Clays for Kids is less than 3 weeks away!



Clays for Kids, a sporting clays tournament, will be hosted at the beautiful [Colorado Clays Shooting Park](#). In honor of National Child Abuse Prevention Month, this event is designed to bring sporting enthusiasts together to spread awareness about our mission to serve Denver's child victims of abuse, neglect, and violence. It will include a 15-station clay shooting tournament and a fully catered lunch generously provided by Halliburton's legendary BBQ truck.

Team Entry - \$500
Individual Entry - \$125
Spectator Entry - \$25

Purchase your ticket today and thanks to the Ottoson Family Fund, the price will be matched as a donation to DCAC.

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NOW!**

Young Philanthropist Raises Donations for DCAC



A young donor named Jude reached out to DCAC in late February about a special gift. Jude turned 9 in March and decided to raise money for DCAC in honor of his birthday! We are very grateful for Jude's kindness and generosity and we are thrilled that he decided to donate to DCAC! We are always inspired by all of our young donors who give back to other children in our community.

Thank you again, Jude!

National Child Abuse Prevention Month's Wear Blue Day



On Friday, April 6th, The Denver Children's Advocacy Center is participating in Wear Blue 2018, a day dedicated celebrating child abuse prevention efforts across the country.

You can get involved in Wear Blue day by:

- * Wearing blue on April 6 and tell people you are participating in a national day to highlight child abuse prevention.
- * Take a picture of yourself and your colleagues all dressed in blue and share it on your favorite social media platform using the #WearBlue hashtag and tagging DCAC.
- * Share a story of how you help mentor children, advocate for policies that keep kids safe, or donate time or money to a local child serving organization and inspire others to get involved during Child Abuse Prevention month.

Congratulations to our Board Chair, Craig Johlfs!



We are pleased to announce the recognition of our distinguished Board Chair, Craig

Johls, as a [Denver Business Journal 40 under 40 award winner!](#) Craig is the President of Climb Financial Group.

Craig, thank you for your time, dedication, and commitment to making our community a brighter place for children!

[Click here to learn more about Climb Financial Group.](#)

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DENVER CHILDREN'S ADVOCACY CENTER'S 2018
PARTNERSHIP
OPPORTUNITIES

We are excited to invite you to partner with DCAC for our two largest events in 2018, Clays for Kids and Art from the Heart.

Clays for Kids is DCAC's first sporting clays tournament to spread awareness about our mission and National Child Abuse Prevention Month. It will be hosted at the beautiful Colorado Clays Shooting Park in Brighton on Friday, April 6th.

Our third annual **Art from the Heart** event draws attention to the transformative power of art and the art therapy utilized by DCAC's therapists in working with traumatized children. This year, Art from the Heart will be hosted at the Space Gallery in Denver on Thursday, September 13th.

If you have any questions about our 2018 Partnership Opportunities, please contact Meghan Parman, DCAC's Development Associate, at MParman@DenverCAC.org or 720.974.7231.

[Please click here to view our 2018 Partnership Opportunities](#)

DENVER & COLORADO SPRINGS TRAUMA-INFORMED CARE TRAININGS



We are grateful for an incredible attendance at our Denver Trauma-Informed Care training on February 10th and our Colorado Springs Trauma-Informed Care on February 22nd & 23rd! Both of these trainings were generously sponsored by VOCA and there were over 350 attendees. To view more photos, please [click here](#).

Thank you again!

Staff & Volunteer Corner



Denver Children's
Advocacy Center

Meet Maddie, DCAC Volunteer!

What is your role as a volunteer at DCAC?

My role as a volunteer is helping DCAC's staff with daily tasks or projects, working at the Assessment and Treatment Program's front desk assisting families and therapists, and helping Viviana, DCAC's Victim Advocate, assisting families and clients in the Forensic Interview program.

Where do you go to school and

what are you studying?

I attend Metropolitan State University Denver. I am studying Social Work with a minor in Criminal Justice & Criminology.

How did you hear about volunteering at DCAC?

I heard about volunteering at DCAC when I was researching organizations in Denver that work with children for a class I took last semester.

What is your favorite thing about volunteering at DCAC?

My favorite thing about volunteering at DCAC is the staff! Everyone is so friendly and a joy to be around. I also love the wide range of services that are offered here, it is amazing to learn about all of them.

What is your dream job?

My dream job is working for Child Protective Services.



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