



Protecting Children by Strengthening Families

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Columbus Children's Festival to benefit Franklin County Children's Services

Franklin County Children Services is working in conjunction with KidsLinked Family Media to help put much needed school supplies into the hands of hundreds of area children who might ordinarily go without.

KidsLinked is having its' 2nd annual Columbus Children's Festival on Aug. 24th, 2013, from 10 AM – 5 PM in Ohio Village at the Ohio Historical Center. Proceeds from ticket sales as well as donations of school supplies from attendees will benefit Franklin County Children Services and their efforts to provide for central Ohio youth.

The Columbus Children's Festival is a day filled with activities for families with children including free bounce houses, a petting zoo, entertainment on three stages headlined by the local group **New Hollow**, a dodge ball tournament, exhibitions, contests, activities and more. Admission not only provides entry into the festival and activities but also into the Ohio History Museum as well. A portion of each paid admission will go to support Franklin County Children Services and their mission of protecting children by strengthening families in Central Ohio. More information regarding the festival including preordering tickets is available at www.kidslinked.com/festival.

Additionally, Franklin County Children Services personnel will collect donations of school materials at the festival. You can bring your donation to the front gate so you don't have to carry them all day! The needs of area school children are great and the FCCS and Kidslinked partnership can help meet that need through the Columbus Children's Festival. For additional information, or interview requests contact Bryan Moore at 614-323-9561 or at bryan.moore@kidslinked.com.

About KidsLinked: KidsLinked.com is a one-of-a-kind family resource for parents to find local kid-friendly activities, classes, family events, great deals, and fun and safe things to do for families. KidsLinked presents the top 6 family events in Central Ohio, as well as the KidsRoll!FitnessSeries.



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