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BCCAN Board Elects New Officers

At the June meeting of the BCCAN Board of Directors, the election of officers was held. The officers for the 2009-2010 year are:

Chairperson:	Gerard Mike, BCBH
Vice Chairperson:	Deborah Newton, JTBC
Secretary:	Beverly Sullivan, BCOA
Treasurer:	Dayna Revay, BCCYS
Member at Large:	Terri Davis, Merrill Lynch
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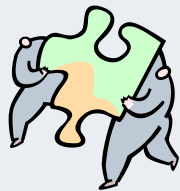
Special Recognition

Beaver County CAN, as well as the county human services field, is losing one of our well-known and respected leaders. Mary Kay Russo, the Executive Director of the Mental Health Association of Beaver County (MHA), retired on July 9th. Mary Kay was instrumental in getting MHA started in 1985 and has been at the helm for 24 years. The wealth of services now offered by the Agency, and the new building in Rochester, are testaments to her abilities and resourcefulness.

She was selected for the BCCAN Board in 2006, and most recently served as the Board's Treasurer.

Mary Kay has been a tireless advocate for the MHA consumers, as well as all mental health consumers in Beaver County. She is always willing to volunteer her time, energy and resources for BCCAN, and she will be sorely missed.

We wish her well in her retirement.



"We unite community leaders through collaboration, networking and quality trainings to improve the organizations that positively impact Beaver County."



UPCOMING CAN TRAININGS

The Beaver County Collaborative Action Network will sponsor two trainings for the remainder of 2009. A following schedule has been developed:

September 30: Ethics and Boundaries for Effective Professional Practice

*Location: CCBC Community Resource Library
Time: 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM*

December 03: Building Bridges Out of Poverty

*Location: CCBC Community Resource Library
Time: 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM*

Please watch for notices of these upcoming trainings.



COMMUNITY EVENTS AND RESOURCES

Friday July 31, 2009

CCBC Seminar – Human Services Continuing Education Seminar 2

*Designed for Health & Education, Human Service, and Social Service Providers
Topics: Adolescent and Adult Depression, Bi-polar Disorder, Combating Burn Out*

Time: 8:00 AM - 4:30 PM Breakfast 7:30 AM

Location: CCBC Library Resource Center

Sponsor: Community College of Beaver County

Contact Person: CCBC

Telephone Number: 724-775-8561 X 261

Fee: \$85

Event Description: Call 724-775-8561, ext. 261 (credit card) In person at CCBC, 1 Campus Drive 15061, Student Union Bldg. Mail in registration form to CCBC, Information & Registration Center; Registration deadline is one week prior to class!

Friday, September 11, 2009

CCBC Seminar – Human Services Continuing Education Seminar 3

*Designed for Health & Education, Human Service, and Social Service Providers
Topics: Intro to Special Needs Populations (Autism Spectrum Disorders, ADHD), Group Facilitation Skills & Group Dynamics, Team Building*

Time: 8:00 AM - 4:30 PM - Breakfast 7:30 AM

Location: CCBC - Library Resource Center

Sponsor: Community College of Beaver County

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If you would like to include your organization's upcoming event, or share contact and meeting information, please email Victor Colonna at vcolonna@bccan.org.