

Peace Story Time

Peace Story Time is an opportunity for the children of our community to celebrate compassion and nonviolence. No one is born an abuser, and through age-appropriate story telling we can create a foundation of understanding that will empower our children to positive decisions in their future relationships.

In order to participate in this Domestic Violence Awareness Month activity all you need is the following:

1. Books about healthy relationships and peaceful behavior
2. Activities that continue the conversation
3. A group of kids!

**Please mail, fax, or email this form to Jennifer Rohlf, and we will work together to develop your campaign!
We are looking forward to your response!**

Individual/Business Name _____

Contact Name _____ Email _____

Address _____ City/State/Zip _____

Phone _____ Fax _____

Already know when you plan to host your own Peace Story Time? Record this information below:

Date _____ Time _____ Location _____

Number of People expected to participate: _____

I am unable to participate in Peace Story Time but would like to support YWCA's fight against Domestic Violence with a monetary donation. A check payable to YWCA Northeast Indiana is enclosed in the amount of \$ _____

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Throughout October, Peace Story Time is an opportunity for the children in our community to learn about domestic violence in a way that is age-appropriate. Libraries and schools throughout YWCA Northeast Indiana's six-county service area will gather for Peace Story Time, to read a story and educate children on peace and non-violence. We hope we can count on you to participate!

Books

Young Children

"Hands Are Not For Hitting"
by Martine Agassi, Ph.D.

"Words Are Not For Hurting"
by Elizabeth Verdick

"A Terrible Thing Happened"
by Margaret Holmes

"Some Secrets Should Never be Kept"
by Jayneen Sanders

Elementary Children

"Hortin Hears a Who" by Dr. Seuss

"Peace Pool Magic," by Diane G. Tillman

"Weird!" by Erin Frankel

"What Will You Do for Peace? Impact of 9/11 on New York City Youth," by Faith Ringgold

Activities

Friendly Hands: Talk about ways people can be friendly with their hands with activities like playing pat-a-cake, or holding hands to dance.

Feeling Faces. Together think of as many words for feelings as you can. Have children make a face to correspond to each feeling.

"If you are happy and you know it" song.

Activities for Older Children

Make positive "I statements" about Peace.

Journal on promoting Peace



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