



Stevens County Developmental Achievement Center

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Merry Christmas! Can you believe it? Halloween & Thanksgiving have come and gone and we already had a snow day this crazy winter. The elections are finally over and we are busy with work, training, exercise, and play here at the DAC.

The Stevens County DAC was humming last month with Special Olympics Bowling organized by our friend Cindy Solvie. Everyone was so excited to go to Alexandria and then Brooklyn Park for state competition. When they returned, they proudly showed us their ribbons and medals.

The Stevens County ARC Bazaar was a big success too. Lots of craft items were sold and lots of food was consumed. I even got a piece of Liz Harris's pie this year. It was scrumptious.

Next up is Christmas and you are invited to 2 big events. First; the Morris Area Christian Women are sponsoring a Christmas Program for our clients and friends on Sunday, 12/4/2016 at St. Mary's Catholic Church at 1:30 PM. Please join us if you can.

Then; the DAC is hosting our annual Christmas Open House on Wednesday, 12/14/2016, from 1 to 2:30 PM. Please stop by to wish our clients a Merry Christmas and enjoy some cake and coffee with friends. Our clients are so excited to welcome the community to the DAC for this festive event.

Our project list for 2017 is getting longer already. The most important item is we are replacing all the blacktop on our lower lot and driveway. The county is going to be helping us managing and paying for part of this project, so our 2017 calendar is merely a draft as we will work around the road work when they are available. We will greatly appreciate the patience and flexibility of our clients, homes, and families during this big project.

So don't forget, Wednesday the 14th from 1 to 2:30. Come help us celebrate Christmas together.

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