



The Down Syndrome Network of Greater Greensboro is a group of caring citizens who have a family member or friend with Down

Syndrome. We offer:

- Quarterly family meetings for support and encouragement
- Welcome Baby bags and Resource Notebooks
- Monthly Mom's Night meetings
- Parent-to-parent matching

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Down Syndrome Society and

The National Down Syndrome Congress

(NDSS). NDSS is the national leader in

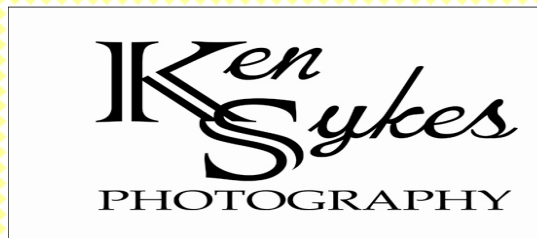
education, research and advocacy,

and is dedicated to helping all people

with Down syndrome achieve

their fullest potential.

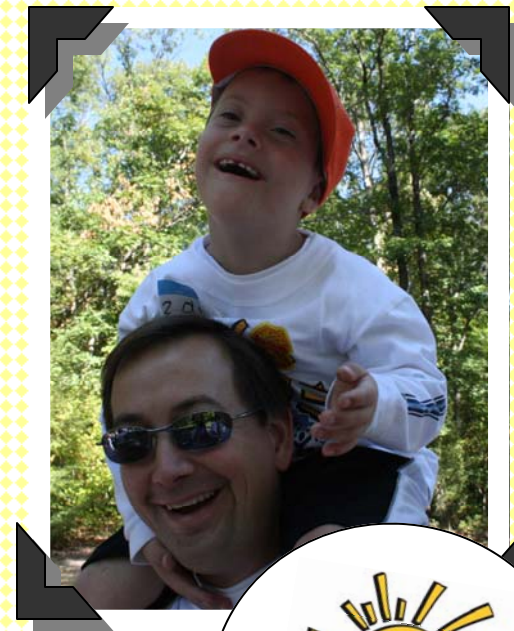
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Genetic Counseling Graduate Program



Down Syndrome Network of Greater Greensboro



5th Annual

BUDDY WALK

Sunday, October 12, 2008

12:00 pm to 4:00 pm

Bur-Mil Park, Shelter #2

5834 Bur-Mil Club Road
Greensboro, NC



The Buddy Walk



The Buddy Walk was developed by the National Down Syndrome Society in 1995 to promote awareness and inclusion for people with Down syndrome. Since that first year, the event has grown from 17 walks to more than 260 worldwide in 2006! At least 250,000 people are expected to participate in more than 275 Buddy Walks this year.

The goal of the Buddy Walk is to promote understanding and acceptance of people with Down syndrome. We encourage people with Down syndrome to invite "buddies"—friends and family, teachers and co-workers—to join them on the Buddy Walk. Whether you have a child with Down syndrome, know someone who does, or just want to show your support, come and join us for this fun and special event.

WALK DAY:

12:00 pm: Registration and packet pick up (Snacks and games will be provided)

2:00 pm: 1 mile fun walk will begin

After the walk, stay around to enjoy entertainment, food, a raffle and more fun!

BUDDY WALK PERKS

Everyone pre-registered by September 15th is guaranteed a T-shirt. On the walk day, we will have snacks, music, hats & visors to decorate, and you will be able to decorate your team T-shirts. We will also have special guests joining us at the event.

Directions:

From Highway 220/Battleground Avenue: Turn onto Owls Roost Road. Take first left onto Bur-Mil Club Road. Follow signs to Shelter #2.

Registration and T-Shirts

Register online for lower registration fees and guaranteed t-shirt sizes!!

WWW.ACTIVE.COM

1. Type "**Down Syndrome**" in the Find Events and Register On-Line search feature
2. Choose Down Syndrome Network of Greater Greensboro's Buddy Walk
3. Click Register now!

Individual registration - \$10 Family of 2: \$20

Family of 3: \$30 Family of 4 - \$30

Additional family members - \$5

CUT OFF to guarantee T-shirt size requested will be **September 15, 2008** when you register on-line or through the mail.

You may also register at packet pick-up on Thursday, October 9th, or on walk day, but T-shirt size cannot be guaranteed. T-shirt sizes available include: youth S, youth M, youth L, adult S, adult M, adult L and adult XL. Please call Dawn Pettus if you interested in picking shirts up before the event.

FUNDRAISING:

Ask your family, friends, neighbors and/or co-workers to pre-register & walk, or to make a donation to help support the Down Syndrome Network of Greater Greensboro. All Buddy Walk donations are tax deductible to the extent permissible by law. Donations may be made online at www.active.com. Pre-registration forms and donations should be mailed to:

Dawn Pettus

103 Cedarwood Drive

Jamestown, NC 27282

(336)454-3527

Families with a large number of registrations/checks may bring them to FSNCC @ Women's Hospital, or mail in bulk to the above address. Checks should be made payable to **Down Syndrome Network of Greater Greensboro** with "Buddy Walk" on the memo line.

If not registering on-line, please complete this form and mail with a check payable to:

Down Syndrome Network of Greater Greensboro
(please write "Buddy Walk" on the memo line)

Mail to: Dawn Pettus
103 Cedarwood Drive
Jamestown, NC 27282

Registrations will also be accepted on the day of the event & at packet pick-up, but correct t-shirt sizes are only guaranteed to those that are pre-registered by September 15, 2008.

Name/Family Member Names* T-shirt Size:

Walker #1 : _____

Walker #2 : _____

Walker #3 : _____

Walker #4 : _____

*If more than 4 walkers (from same address) are registering, please photocopy this form as needed.

Street Address: _____

City _____ State _____ Zip: _____

Daytime Phone _____

___ 1 to 3 people - \$15 per person

___ Family Registration (4 family members) - \$45

___ Additional family members - \$5

___ I cannot participate in the walk, but please accept my donation to support inclusion and acceptance of people with Down syndrome: \$ _____

Person with Down syndrome whom you are walking in honor of _____

Please call Dawn Pettus at (336)454-3527 if you would like to pick up your t-shirts prior to the event.

Waiver: In consideration of me and/or my minor child being permitted to participate in the Buddy Walk, I hereby-for myself, my heirs and personal representatives-assume any and all risks which might be associated with the event. I further waive, release, discharge and covenant not to sue the National Down Syndrome Society, The Down Syndrome Network of Greater Greensboro, or Family Support Network of Central Carolina, its officers, employees, sponsors, organizers, volunteers, or other representatives or their successors and assigns, for any and all injuries or damages of any kind whatsoever suffered by myself and/or my minor child as a result of taking part in the event and any related activities. I also authorize the use by DSNCC, and FSNCC of any photo, film or videotape taken of me or my minor child at the event for any purpose.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

This registration is not valid unless signed