

# The Clubhouse

## For Special Needs, Inc.

For the mild to moderate mentally/ physically challenged teenagers and young adults.

JULY 2009 Newsletter

### From the Director's Desk

#### THE WORD IS OUT

Recently various organizations have been calling to tell me that they have linked us on their website. Trinity High School website has already linked us and HEBISD called to say that soon there will be info about us and a link to us on their home page. Another organization is putting our info in their list of resources for parents. Also I've been receiving calls from people who want to start an after-school program in their city.

ABC News will be coming out to do a "shoot" to air news about us. This will give us more exposure within our local area.

All of this is telling me that The Clubhouse is being recognized by our communities as a viable and successful program. These things can be a means of generating funds to help us towards moving to a larger facility.

#### **SPEECH**

The Clubhouse has a speech therapist and will perform a FREE assessment to anyone that would be interested in speech for their young person. Remember, Medicaid pays for it.

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# New Moon July 11<sup>th</sup> – <u>Grand Opening</u> - 10:00 am

10% of sales will be donated to The Clubhouse. This 10% will continue for several Saturdays thereafter.

The New Moon is a new business owned/operated by a parent of one of our kids. Mom, Lauri Roby will be retailing apparel, accessories, handbags and sunglasses among some of the items. Let's all help her make her new business a success and also help The Clubhouse toward that move to a larger facility. 7410 Hwy 26, Richland Hills \* Ouestions: 817-285-0885

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