

February 24th, 2022



Good Morning Members,

I hope to find you well. I know it's been a week and a half since I put out a letter. I hope you had a beautiful Valentines week and did something special for yourself. I want to let you know that **March 16 th is Disability Advocacy Day!** Survival Coalition is having a virtual event on the 16th from 10am-12pm. Please register right away because **deadline to register is March 8th.**

Here is the link to the event information:

<http://www.survivalcoalitionwi.org/index.php/events/>.

If you have any questions or need help with the application please call me or People First and we will help you.

**We need to continue the talk about COVID. The numbers seem to be getting better, but we need to continue to be safe.** Keep wearing your mask in public and washing your hands. I know Milwaukee's mandate goes until March 1st , but I don't know if they will extend it. **Check your local health department for more details.** I know that I will continue to wear my mask either way.

If someone has a problem with me wearing a mask, I don't care because I am keeping myself and others safe. Even though we have COVID there is a lot you can still do and still be safe. Please make sure to **take a look at our People First Website for events** that we are doing. I just recommend you to take a look at the website-- because **there is a lot of good stuff there!**

Here is a link to the website: <http://www.peoplefirstwisconsin.org/>.

**Spring is right around the corner, YAY!** There is a lot you can start planning for. You can start to think about what you can order for plants when the cold is finally over. I plan to order an air conditioner to prepare for warmer days. Easter stuff has already been put out in stores, so you can start planning for that as well. I am planning on taking a little trip for Easter and have a long weekend.

**Also, if you plan on traveling think that about getting your plane tickets sooner rather than later.** I already have my plane tickets for my big trip to Florida in June and I am excited for that trip. I think Canada's border is open again to travel if you are thinking about that. **Make sure you have your passport if you plan to do that. Now is the time to start planning if you want to travel.** With spring coming there is a lot going on in your area. **Check out your community webpages for more information!**

In Milwaukee we have basketball going on, there are concerts, and museum's to attend, like the Black Holocaust that is reopening tomorrow the 25th . Here is a link to the museum: <https://www.abhmuseum.org/>. The entry fee for the museum is \$7 dollars for adults. March 5th is a free day at the Milwaukee Zoo. Also, we have St. Patty's Day coming up on March 17th!

I wish you a happy rest of the week and weekend! **I will have another letter going out the week of March 7th.** Please reach out to me if you need anything. I am wishing you all a blessed Monday. You can call my cell phone @ 414-852-6462 8:00am - 5:00pm, Monday - Thursday. If I am unable to take your call, I will call you back. You can reach **the cope hotline @ 1(262)-377-2673.**

Sincerely,

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