

January

# Tuesday's Treasures Resale Shop

Potter Gymnasium 2350 Nashville Rd. Bowling Green, KY 42101 2017

Inner Shop Hours 8:45-2 Clothing Area Hours 8:30-2

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## Please Thank a Volunteer!

Tuesday's Treasure's Resale Shop would not be possible if it weren't for these wonderful volunteers.

Potter Children's Home and Family Ministries relies completely upon the thoughtfulness and generosity of concerned people, who are interested in the quality care of those in need, to fulfill a ministry to the children and families in our care.

Items donated are used to meet the needs of programs/individuals first, used towards a voucher system with Goodwill Industries to benefit those in the program, or sold in the Tuesday's Treasure's Resale Shop (unless requested otherwise). Donations are tax deductible and receipts are available when requested.

# **Special Events**

- February 4– March 4: Duck Duck Goose Consignment Group will be renting the gym for one month. No Potter clothing will be available in the large gym area during this time. The inner sale area will be open from 8:45-2.
- February 22-25: Duck Duck Goose Consignment Sale open 10-8.
- March 14th: Spring Clothing Roll Out!
- September 1-30: No Tuesday's Treasures sales will be held during the month of September. Donations are accepted throughout the month. Preparations for Fall Festival prevent the possibility of regular weekly sales. Save up your money this month for Fall Festival!!
- September 16th: Fall Festival!! Activities begin at 9:30. Great Food, Campus tours, Live and silent auctions, Christmas Shop, Dollar Store, Bargain Bin, Tuesday's Treasures Resale Shop, Special discount coupons sale, children's activities and prizes (\$5 unlimited air rides and games), face painting (prices vary).
- October 3: Fall Clothing Roll Out!



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Call Geneva Brewer at 270-791-9953 for questions regarding sale details, donations, garage sale drop-offs, and scheduling pick-ups for large donations, when possible.

# Potter Children's Home & Family Ministries

# On Campus Foster Care Ministry

This Kentucky State licensed ministry is for school-age children who are in need of a loving, stable, structured home environment. The children live in a family setting with dedicated Christian full-time foster parents. Children are referred by families, teachers, individuals, church leaders, or others who know a child our services could help. Referrals are made privately and no fees are charged for referrals or placements.

Each child has a counselor to help them with significant issues in their life. Family reunification is encouraged when possible, through family counseling. A level system is used for behavior modification. The children attend public schools and are encouraged to be involved in extracurricular activities. Educational tutoring is supplied when needed.

# Serving children and families since 1914

# **Extended Care Ministry**

In order to meet the needs of foster children in our care who have turned 18 but are still in high school, we offer them the opportunity to voluntarily remain. They will complete their high school diploma and will then receive help launching out to a job, or post-secondary schooling.

# **Mission Statement**

The mission of
Potter Children's Home
& Family Ministries is
to be a tool in the hands
of supporting Churches
of Christ and individual
Christians to deliver
God's justice and mercy
to children and families
in need.

# Single Parents Family Ministry

Divorce, desertion, and death have left many in our society and in the church as single parents. They are often under financial and emotional strain needina significant Our Single assistance. Parent Alliance for Raising Kids (SPARK) ministry meets this great need. This ministry allows the existing family to stay together during their recovery as changes are made. Some single parents have a vocation or skills to

continue supporting themselves and their families. However, many are without these capabilities. The SPARK ministry allows single parents to go to school or learn a vocation while maintaining priority focus on faithfulness to God and their children. Housing, counseling and lifeskills training are provided at no charge.

# Transitional Living Ministry

This ministry serves residents from ages 18-23 who have little or no support from their own families. This ministry allows the young people to accomplish their goals and develop skills, which help them successfully transition to independence. Host families help with housing, food, emotional and spiritual support while the young person can attend school, work or a combination of the two.

# General Information

Potter is licensed as a Child Placing Agency by the Kentucky Cabinet for Health Services and meets or exceeds all standards for out-of-home care for children.

Potter typically serves about 60 residents per year, as well as more individuals and families with counseling and other services.

During the past several years, Potter has provided care to residents from 17 states and several other countries including Guatemala, Liberia, Ghana, Honduras and Albania.

Since the first child resident in 1915, Potter has served more than 7,000 residents.

The SPARK program was created in 1989 to serve the individual needs of Single Parent families.

A volunteer Board of Trustees consisting of 12-15 church leaders, from the immediate three-state area, governs Potter Children's Home & Family Ministries.

The first triplex for SPARK families was opened in 2009 and a second was opened in 2010. A quadplex was opened in 2014

The cost of Potter's quality group child care is consistently and considerably less than the national average. However, no fees are charged for services.