



INFORMATION BULLETIN

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Fashion at Play!

*A Benefit for Circle of Success®!
A Delicious Lunch at Gasperetti's Restaurant
Fashions from Target
Friday Sept. 11, 2009
11:30 a.m. ~ 1:00 p.m.*

**Please call for reservations – Seating is limited
Gasperetti's Restaurant
1013 N. 1st St.
Yakima, Washington
509.248.0628**

The public is invited to enjoy a delicious lunch and see the latest styles at an event that will benefit the Circle of Success® program called *Let's Read*. The event is being held on Friday, September 11, from 11:30 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. at Gasperetti's Restaurant. Fashions from Target will be featured. There is no cover charge. The cost to attend is the price of the lunch ordered by guests. Reservations are advised. Please come for lunch and fun raffle prizes while you support books for Yakima Valley kids!

Gasperetti's is opening its premier restaurant to help early literacy. Target is providing the latest fall fashions during the luncheon. The models are parents, grandparents and supporters of participating

children. Volunteers from Yakima Valley Community College Women's Basketball team will assist at with the program.

Target is also being celebrated for awarding a \$3,000 grant to Circle of Success® to support 50 foster children in the *Let's Read* program for a year. These children are receiving books and getting ready to enter school ready to learn, while living in foster homes in the area.

The *Let's Read* book program is sponsored by Circle of Success®. We have 3,400 little children enrolled in the Yakima Valley, Kittitas Valley and Ephrata. Children receive a book every month from Dolly Parton's *Imagination Library* thanks to contributions from generous community members.

Let's Read is a program that changes a child - and as we change a child, we change our community. The enrollment of one child, for one year, is an investment of **\$60**. The program is available to every child in the region aged zero to five, at no cost to the family. The *Let's Read* program's three services include: 1) Newborn Resource Guides to newborn babies, 2) 12 books delivered from the Dolly Parton *Imagination Library*, and 3) the quarterly *Let's Read* newsletter.

Four years ago, Circle of Success® introduced the *Let's Read* program to 115 Yakima Valley children. Today, there are 3,400 children enrolled and 460 on our wait list. There are fifteen percent of the preschool children in Yakima County enrolled in *Let's Read*.

More information about Circle of Success, Inc.® can be obtained at 509.469.9888 or on our website at www.circleofsuccessinc.org.

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Circle of Success, Inc® is a private, nonprofit 501-c-3 partnership of community organizations that empowers parents to prepare their children to enter school ready to learn. Circle of Success® provides Imagination Library books, home based learning materials and helps connect parents to community services. The program operates in the Yakima Valley, Kittitas Valley and in Ephrata.

"Empowering parents to prepare their child to enter school ready to learn"

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