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News Advisory

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Dothan CRS washing wheelchairs for safety, performance

WHAT: Dothan Children's Rehabilitation Service (CRS) wheelchair wash and tune-up

WHERE: Dothan CRS office
795 Ross Clark Circle

WHEN: Thursday, June 8
8 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

WHO:

- Children's Rehabilitation Service
- Dothan Parent Advisory Committee

WHY: The Dothan CRS office is hosting a free wheelchair wash and tune-up for anyone who regularly uses a wheelchair. Volunteers and staff will wash and shine both manual and power wheelchairs, complete minor repairs, and perform chair evaluations for persons with disabilities in the Dothan area. This free service is designed to maintain performance of wheelchairs and enhance the safety of the individuals who use them.

At 10 a.m., Dothan CRS will also present the "Hero of the Month" award to a CRS consumer. The award is presented in conjunction with the Kids Wish Network, a children's charity that has been granting wishes for kids with life-threatening illnesses for 20 years.

CRS provides services to Alabama's children with disabilities from birth to 21. It is a program of the Alabama Department of Rehabilitation Services, the state agency whose mission is to enable Alabama's children and adults with disabilities to achieve their maximum potential.

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