



Losing the Chains of Addiction to Recovery

FREEDOM HILLS COMMUNITY CENTER, INC.

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What a fast summer! Summer, for the most part, was spent recuperating, so a lot of “business” was handled via telephone at home; our work and programs continued at Freedom Hills with the help of other staff and clients. I am now back at the office most everyday for a portion of the day, and hopefully after next doctor’s visit, will be back 100%. When not at the office, I can be reached at home. Our classes and groups continue on Monday and Thursday nights, but appointments can be made at anytime.

I have a question for you. Do you know where your “kids” are, who they are associating with, and what they’re doing? I had a “Mom and her 16 year old daughter” in my office recently. The Mom thought she knew, but in reality, she didn’t. The daughter had been on drugs since the age of 13, and the unsuspecting Mom had no idea. Scary, isn’t it? Be aware of what’s going on in the lives of your “kids”; company they’re keeping, where they’re going; changes in their habits. A life of drugs can happen to anyone at anytime. Results often times devastating.

Freedom Hills will soon be involved in a “new program” at the Center. This program will be announced when plans are finalized.

We continue to have “new clients” enter our program, seeking help with their addiction. We also would like to say thanks again to all of you who continue to support Freedom Hills. If you would like us to speak at your church, civic club, school, or any event, please feel free to contact us at anytime. We welcome the opportunity to update you on Freedom Hills.

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