## **Barker Central School**

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Dear Barker Families,

The Barker Central School District has contacted local child care providers in an effort to assist <u>essential health care professionals and first responders with emergency childcare needs</u>. Essential health care professionals and first responders may include but are not limited to health professionals such as nurses, nurse practitioners, physician assistants, emergency medical technicians, paramedics, police officers, and firefighters.

The Lockport Family YMCA is able to accommodate childcare services for any <u>school aged</u> student. In order to register for emergency vacation club please contact the Lockport Family Branch YMCA at 716-434-8887 or email Brigid Dillman, Office Manager at <u>bdillman@ymcabn.org</u> between the hours of 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday. For any child currently enrolled in the YMCA School Age Child Care program, the registration form will be reviewed at the time of registration. For new enrollment, a child care registration form must be completed prior to attendance. Please contact the YMCA if your child requires medication or has allergies to review requirements for care. Program hours are 7:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. Monday through Friday. Children should bring a bag lunch and change of clothes, snack is provided.

Further, for younger children, the Community Child Care Clearinghouse of Niagara County has provided us with contact information for <u>licensed</u> childcare centers or family child care providers near our community who have availability for additional children. Please contact one of the following individuals or facilities and they will be able to assist you with questions and any processes needed to register you children:

Tiny Town Day Care 6115 First St Newfane, NY 14108

716-778-7329

Little Critters Childcare 8412 East Ave Gasport, NY 14067 716-940-7108 Bowers Buddies 361 Gooding St Lockport, NY 14094

716-266-9157

Stacey Perry 52 Prospect St Lockport, NY 14094 716-280-1539

Please continue to be safe and healthy during these trying times.

Sincerely,

Jacob Reimer

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