

## Quick Notes

### We Need Your Help!

*Are you interested in marketing and having fun at the same time?*

We are looking for volunteers to help out with **Bike Nights** at the *Quaker Steak and Lube*. Join TWC employees and members from Tri-County ABATE to help promote **Ride for Shelter 2009**. For more information please contact Andrea at (570) 784-6632

### Gateways Program

Gateways Summer Program begins June 18th!  
See page 2 for more details!

### *Purchase your Grocery Store Gift Cards now!*

Support TWC in a new way.  
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## Support Ride for Shelter 2009 and Bike Nights in Buckhorn!



### *Bike Nights at the Quaker Steak and Lube in Buckhorn*

TWC is currently promoting our **4th Annual Ride For Shelter** event every Wednesday during *Bike Nights at the Quaker Steak and Lube* in Buckhorn, PA.

When you visit TWC's Ride for Shelter booth at Bike Nights, you can purchase grand prize raffle tickets and TWC staff, volunteers and Tri-County ABATE members will be on hand to answer any questions you may have regarding our charity event and the services TWC provides.

The 4th annual Ride for Shelter will be held *Saturday, July 25th* and is our most successful fundraising event thanks to our local ABATE chapter, volunteers and all TWC staff members. The all-day event will be held rain or shine and all vehicles are welcome! With paid registration the event will also include a free after-party pig roast along with one of PA's hottest bands,

### *Shoot The Moon.*

This year, the grand prize includes: a \$500 gift certificate for *Vreeland's Harley Davidson* in *Bloomsburg, PA*. During the after-party there will also be *50/50 drawings and door prizes*.

TWC is always grateful for the volunteer help we receive. Volunteers are still needed for the following positions during the day of Ride for Shelter:

- Registration
- Selling grand prize raffle tickets
- Selling 50/50 tickets
- Poker Hand
- Set-up and food preparation
- Clean-Up

If you are interested please contact Andrea at (570) 784-6632 and see page 3 for more Ride For Shelter details.



## OUR MISSION

The Women's Center Inc. of Columbia / Montour provides direct services for victims of domestic violence and sexual abuse, prevention activities, advocacy and leadership to the community, aimed at eradicating domestic violence and sexual assault.

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## Summer 2009 Gateways is Here

**Gateways** is a *free summer program* for children ages 5-12 years old who have been affected by domestic and/or sexual violence. Some of the themes covered in this program include *non-violent problem solving, self-esteem, creativity, safety, feelings and cooperation*. Most importantly, *it's an opportunity for children affected by domestic and sexual violence to come together and be kids!*

The children will also enjoy exciting field



trips to such places as Montour Preserve, Red Deer Rolling Hills Farm, Roller Skating, Bloomsburg Theatre Ensemble, Children's Museum, Swimming and Knoebels Amusement Resort.

**Gateways** is held *every Thursday* beginning *June 18th* from *9:30am to 4 pm* and lasts for eight weeks. If you are interested in **Gateways** and would like additional information, please contact Jamie at (570) 784-6631.



*The Women's Center now sells grocery store gift cards as a way of helping us to raise money.*

*Ten percent of each gift card sale benefits The Women's Center.*

*Help support victims by visiting our website to purchase your gift card today!*

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### To Contact The Women's Center:

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570.784.6632      570.784.6631

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### **Yes!**

**I would like to support The Women's Center.**

Enclosed is my tax deductible donation of \$ \_\_\_\_\_

- Yes. Please *include* my name in a list of public donors.
- No. Please *do not* include my name.

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Donor*

Please Remit To: The Women's Center  
111 North Market Street  
Bloomsburg, PA 17815

# Ride for Shelter

July 25, 2009

Rain or Shine - All Vehicles Welcome

**50/50  
Drawings &  
Door Prizes!**

**Grand Prize Drawing  
\$500 Gift Certificate**

**Courtesy of  
Vreeland's  
Harley-Davidson**

**Free Pig Roast**  
With Paid Registration

- Cost: \$15.00 Per Rider or \$25.00 Per Couple, includes meal at ride's end.
- Registration from 9 to 11 am at the Millville Legion Post 564.
- Ride ends at Millville American Legion.



**Entertainment  
Provided by  
One of PA's  
Hottest Bands:** ☆



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*All Proceeds Benefit Adult and Child Victims of Domestic and Sexual Violence*

*For More Information or to Make a Donation Contact*

*The Women's Center at 784.6632!*

# The Women's Center, Inc.

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# THANK YOU!