



Send your completed membership form
along with check payable to DSC to:

Curtis Thelin, Treasurer
Down Syndrome Community
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Seattle, WA 98166

Thank you for your membership and support!

What We Do:

- **Puget Sound Buddy Walk** – Held during October, Down Syndrome Awareness Month, in association with the NDSS, our biggest event brings almost 1000 people – from all over the Northwest and beyond – together at the Seattle Center to celebrate Down syndrome
- **New Parent Packet Project** – We create positive, inspirational, informative packets for new and prospective parents of babies with Down syndrome, and deliver the packets to hospitals in King, Pierce & Snohomish counties
- **Annual Conference** – Speakers of interest to those concerned with Down syndrome and beyond, and exciting networking opportunities
- **Can Bike** – A Lose the Training Wheels camp right here in Seattle with our partner, Northwest Special Families
- **Sharing Library** – A place to exchange books related to living with Down syndrome
- **Referral Services** – Helping people and families get connected with each other and with the resources they need throughout their lives
- **Quarterly Newsletter** – DSC news, useful information & personal interest articles – every issue better than the one before
- **Megarama Day** – Spend a day playing cowpoke, complete with horseback rides, on the kid-friendly, expansive M-Bar-C Ranch on Whidbey Island
- **Sweetheart Dance, Pizza Party & Silent Dessert Auction** – Our biggest dance party of the year, full of grooving, socializing, and pizza, plus sweetheart pictures, a silent dessert auction & lots of fun for all ages
- **Country Kicker Dance & Potluck** – DSC Annual Meeting with dancing, door prizes & ice cream floats for cowpokes of all ages
- **Holiday Party** – Santa visits, friends are made, carols are sung – potluck & dessert, too
- **Swim Parties** – We've got the pool to ourselves – let's socialize and have some fun
- **UPSIDE** – The Kitsap County affiliate of the DSC
- **Down Syndrome Awareness** – Working with colleges, therapists and international organizations in person to enlighten current and future generations about the qualities of people with Down syndrome and the work we do
- **Camp Prime Time** – Every other year, the DSC hosts a free Camp Prime Time weekend
- **NDSS & NDSC Affiliate** – We support, financially and in service, the National Down Syndrome Society and the National Down Syndrome Congress
- With your help, we'll have even more events and services coming soon!

Dues-Paying Members Receive:

- Delivery of DSC Newsletter
- Reduced Annual Conference registration fee
- Automatic enrollment in our email notification group
- Pride in knowing you are reaching out to new parents of children with Down syndrome, helping families connect with each other, and providing education and advocacy throughout the year

Down Syndrome Community Membership Drive 2011

YES! I will support the Down Syndrome Community's efforts
to improve the lives of individuals with Down syndrome and their families.
(DSC membership dues are a tax-deductible contribution. Tax ID #91-1565600)

- \$25.00 (Family) Please make check payable to: **DSC**
- \$15.00 (Individual)
- Additional tax-deductible contribution: \$50.00 \$100.00 \$ _____
- I am unable to pay dues, but I would like to remain on the mailing list
- Please remove my name from the mailing list
- Send other DSC correspondence via email **ONLY** (include your email address below)
- Renewal New Member

Name _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Home Phone _____ Alternate Phone _____

Email address _____

School district _____ County _____

Name of person with Down syndrome _____ Date of Birth ____/____/____

Your relationship to person with Down syndrome _____

- Yes! I'd like more information about volunteering with the DSC
- Yes! I'd like to share my contact information with other DSC members who are seeking advice

Comments and suggestions:

