

8th Annual Strike Out Child Abuse April 28th 2024 1-4pm

About Us

Children's Advocacy Center of Butler County is a nonprofit 501(c)3 organization established November 2013. Designed as a child friendly, trauma-informed location, the Center provides quality forensic interviews, forensic medical exams, and multidisciplinary team coordination for children who are victims of sexual abuse, physical abuse, and/or human trafficking. In addition, the center also offers trainings to the community and professionals around Butler County. Since 2013, the Center has provided essential quality services to over 2,700 alleged victims of child abuse.

Our Mission

The Mission of **Children's Advocacy Center of Butler County** is to empower our community to ensure the safety, health, and well-being of children and families.

About the Event

Our annual Strike Out Child Abuse event is held at Family Bowlaway in Butler, PA with food provided by The Hoagie Shop. Attendees may bowl or play other exciting games in the Back Alley: duckpin bowling, pigskin bowling, bocce, and corn hole. There will also be a 50/50 raffle, a basket raffle, high-end items for a special raffle, as well as a **new activity** with opportunities to win incredible prizes! Activity bundles available for more ways to have fun will supporting a great cause!

What Difference Can You Make?

On average, it costs \$1,849 for each child to be served at the Child Advocacy Center and the healing and criminal justice processes are often more lengthy and complex than anticipated for families. With that in mind, Children's Advocacy Center of Butler County will be dedicating a portion of the proceeds to ensure children seen at the Center have access to mental health treatment and court preparation services, regardless of their ability to pay. Community support like yours is critical for the Center to continue to provide these essential services to survivors of abuse and their families.

How You Can Support The Event

- **Financially**: This is an effortless way to help out, with an incredible impact to our organization. Head to butlercountycac.org/events to learn more and to download the sponsorship packet.
- **Gifting a Basket**: Attendees love the varied, fun baskets we offer at the event! Contact the Center to arrange drop off/pick up by April 19th.
- **Donating Baked Goods**: If you can't stay out of the kitchen, this option is for you! Please contact The Center to arrange drop off/pick up by April 26th.
- **Volunteering**: It takes a lot of community teamwork to make this event successful—head to <u>butlercountycac.org/events</u> to find out how you can be a part of the day.
- Attending: Pre-registration offers the most perks, but walk-ins are welcome too!
- Tell Others: Word of mouth helps us and brings greater awareness to Child Abuse Prevention as well as the mission of the Children's Advocacy Center!



Those donating will be recognized via the Center's Facebook page and website as well as on the day of the event. Please contact Lauren Merten at lmerten@butlercountycac.org or (724) 431-3689 with any questions.

We thank you for your support of this event and your continued commitment to the children of Butler County!

Danielle Schmidt, Executive Director



8th Annual Strike Out Child Abuse Bowling Team Pre-Registration Form



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Team	Contact Name:		
	Address:		
City/	State/Zip Code:		
Tele	phone Number:		
	Email:		
Sponsor Level:			
	(if applicable)		
\$165/Lane Reservation—includes bowling for up to 6 participants, food provided by The Hoagie Shop, unlimited soft drinks, an event T-Shirt per registered participant, and 1 Special Activities punch pass. -Checks should be made payable to: Children's Advocacy Center of Butler County -Credit card and PayPal payments can be made by visiting www.butlercountycac.org/events			
MAILING ADDRESS: 101 Mahood Rd., Butler, PA 16001			
Please provide the FULL NAMES of bowling team members, including the team contact (maximum 6) and t-shirt sizes. Please specify adult or youth for t-shirt size.			T-Shirt Size
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Special Notes/Comments:			