

COMMUNITY RESOURCE NEWSLETTER

August, 2026



BLUE SKIES FOR CHILDREN - BACK2SCHOOL BOOST

Register NOW - Friday, September 11th (or until full).

One-stop shopping opportunity for families in need of **SHOES** and **COATS** for the new school year. This will be the only distribution event hosted in 2026.

All families must **pre-register**. Walk-in appointments will NOT be accommodated. All participants must meet eligibility guidelines and be able to verify income eligibility and identification for all children and guardians prior to the event.

To be eligible for Blue Skies for Children programs:

Child must be homeless, low-income or in foster care, -and-

Child must live in Whatcom or Skagit County -and-

Child must be age 6 to 18th birthday.

[Click Here for Registration & Event Information](#)

About Us

Community Resource Center
1111 Cornwall Ave.
M-F 9am-4pm
360-734-5121 option 3

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To submit content to the newsletter,
email communityresources@oppco.org

WHATCOM INTERGENERATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL

A Tuition-Free Public Charter School Serving Grades 9-12

Whatcom Intergenerational High School (WIHS) provides a new kind of learning experience for systemically underserved and marginalized students in Whatcom county. Students' brilliance and capacity are at the center of their work, and they support each individual learning journey. Students co-create their classroom experiences through exploring real-world problems (phenomenon-based learning), learn to recognize bias and power dynamics (critical literacy), and benefit from supportive connections between generations (intergenerational learning).

Resource Guides

Community Resource Library
whatcomabc.org/library

Food and Meal Guide
[English](#) | [Spanish](#)

Homeless Housing Guide
[English](#) | [Spanish](#)

Clothing Resource Guide
[English](#) | [Spanish](#)

Hygiene Guide
[English](#) | [Spanish](#)

SNAP Brochure
[English](#) | [Spanish](#) | [Russian](#)

Resource Directory

A community designed website
for human services & resources
in Whatcom County:
whatcomresources.org

Find the resources and
information you need. Get
connected to social, health
and human services in
Whatcom County.

A PROJECT OF
WHATCOM RESOURCE INFORMATION
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COMMUNITY NEWS BULLETINS

News, announcements, & updates

- [Whatcom Resources - Save Resources & Create Lists](#)
- [Childcare Spaces - Drop-In & Emergency Childcare](#)
- [Financial Foundations - Credit 101 September 23rd 3-5pm](#)
- [Bellingham Day Shelter on Hold](#)
- [North Sound ACH - September Convening](#)
- [Whatcom Transportation Authority - 2026 Fare Changes](#)
- [Taylor Made Truck Driving School - CDL Funding Options](#)

PROVIDER EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES

Whatcom Dream | [Understanding Poverty Workshop](#)
10/17 1:00 - 3:00pm | [Information & Registration](#)
Washington State Health Care Authority | [Overdose Awareness](#)
On-Demand Toolkit | [Information](#)

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Cascade Connections: [Multiple Openings](#)
Catholic Community Services: [Multiple Openings](#)
Christ the King Community Church: [Financial Case Manager](#)
Lake Whatcom Center: [Multiple Openings](#)
Lifeline Connections: [Multiple Openings](#)
Northwest Workforce Council: [Multiple Openings](#)
Opportunity Council: [Multiple Openings](#)
Sunrise Services: [Multiple Openings](#)
Unity Care Northwest: [Multiple Openings](#)

