

# Futures

Working together to build a better future  
for young parents and their children.

December 2005

*Happy Holidays*

*Futures would like to wish you all a  
safe, happy, joyful season!*

*college?*

Want more info?

- ♦ Dec 7th from 2-5

Meet at Futures & carpool to the University to meet with career services to assess which major/career is best for you. Test the building of your interest & fill out all paperwork on line.

## Parents and the Law

### Custody and Parenting Plans

Tuesday, December 20th

5:00—7:00 at the TFRC

Obtain valuable information in a fun, interactive session. Dinner & child care provided.

Futures Teen Family Resource Center

1861 S. 12th St.

(Located at the corner of 12th and Grant)

For more information, please call 542-4900.

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# Leadership group

Congratualtions to:

- ◆ Caroline
- ◆ Chere
- ◆ Jessica
- ◆ Lisa
- ◆ Michelle
- ◆ Nikki
- ◆ Whitney
- ◆ Yev

...for completing the 7-wk leadership program! They discussed teamwork, communication, leadership, organization & values to create their own personal mission statement. And they ate a lot of food:)



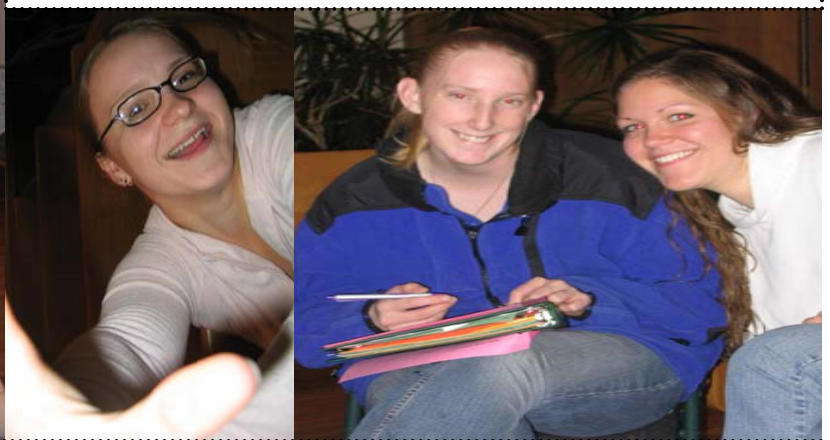
"I liked how people open up & talk about their lives."



# Leaders



"I like learning more about my self-worth and taking care of myself vs. others. "



"Everyone has different qualities & if you put them all together you can go further in life."

## Around Missoula



- \* 2nd Saturdays of every month there will be live bands for families. from 6-8 pm at the Raven
- \* FREE Safety Seat check up events. Tue. 12/13 1 to 5pm @ Missoula Rural Fire call Tina 549 6172 for appt. -OR- Fri. 12/16 10am to 2pm @ Karl Tyler Chevrolet call Lonnie 258-3880 or Bobbi 329-5660
- \* Bring the kids for a fun book reading of Gingerbread Baby Dec. 13 at Russell @ 3:30, Dec. 14 at Whittier @ 5:00, Dec. at Franklin @ 2:00

- \* Coming up in January: Financial Fitness Classes. Learn how to repair credit problem, manage credit cards, create a spending plan on a limited budget, obtain and read a credit report, understand taxes & insurance, reduce expenses, set goals and plan for your financial future. Free five week workshops 6:00-8:30 Thursdays Jan. 12- Feb.9 Free Childcare, snacks & door prizes! Graduates of the class receive a free credit report and consultation. Register Now class size limited Call Lindsay at 543-3550 xt40

Start thinking about your taxes now. We have a new program to offer online that will get your refund in as little as 10 days! Plus, you can get your earned income tax credit! Details to follow-



## Futures Holiday Party

Monday, December 19

5:00 to 7:00 PM

Dinner, Free Books, Raffle

**SANTA** will arrive!

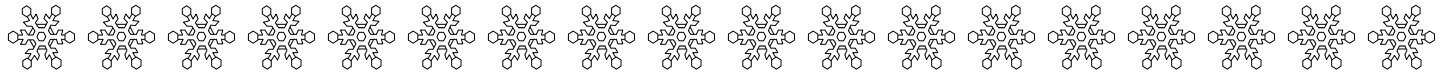
Fun For The Whole Family

Food Boxes/ gift boxes

Holiday meal food boxes and gift boxes are available through the Salvation Army.

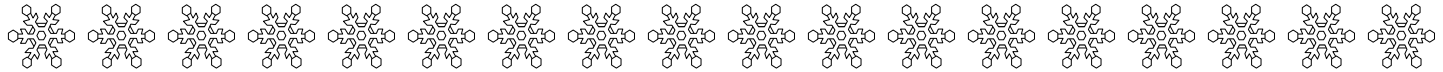
Applications must be Submitted by 12/9/05 at 339 W. Broadway 9AM-4:30PM

Bring proof of income and SSN# for all family members.



## Futures Activities (For more details, please see inside.)

- December 13th Final Leadership Session 5:00 @ TFRC
  - December 14th Leadership Graduation 6:30-7:30 pm. @ WORD
  - December 7th College Career Day 2:00-5:00 pm. @ U.M.
  - December 19th Family Fun Night: Holiday Party 5:00-7:00 p.m. @ TFRC
  - December 20th TPAL Custody & Parenting Plans 3:30-5:30 p.m. @ TFRC
  - December 25th Christmas Day Enjoy your family and loved ones.
  - December 26th Futures TFRC Closed
- All Futures activities are alcohol/drug-free.



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**Futures** helps young parents build a secure future for themselves and their children by providing case management, education and career counseling, parent education, housing, counseling and leadership.