



"A safe port in the storm"

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5th Annual *AGAPE* Walk & Roll



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Lace up your sneakers or your skates and bring the entire family out to join us for fun and prizes as we walk/skate to raise money for Fair Haven. The Walk & Roll will be held at the Omni Blade & Skate 221 US Route 41, Schererville on Saturday, April 12, 2008. Registration is 9:30 am. The walk/roll is from 10:00 am- 12:00 pm.

Adults walking or skating and raises just \$50.00 in sponsorships will receive FREE admission into the event and FREE skate rental for themselves and up to three children twelve years of age or under! Raise \$75.00 in sponsorships and receive entry into a drawing for numerous and fun door prizes. Raise \$100.00 or more in sponsorships and receive a FREE one week trial membership for Omni 41 Health and Fitness Connection! We also have three spa packages to Josef and Mari's Salon and Spa as our GRANS PRIZES for the top three fund raisers!

Teens are also encouraged to get involved! Teens that obtain a walker packet and solicit just \$25.00 in sponsorships receive FREE entry into the event and free skate rental. Grand Prizes will be awarded to the top three youth fundraisers! All teens are welcome to attend the event and enter for just a \$5.00 admission fee. Concession stand will be open throughout the event for your convenience.

Broadcasting live from the event, Shine.fm music for generation now. 89.7 is a listener supported Christian radio station located on Olivet Nazarene University Campus in Bourbonnais, IL.

To pre register and obtain a walker packet call Fair Haven at 219-961-HELP (4357) or email kelly@asafeport.org. Walk in registrations and donations will also be accepted at the door

the day of the event. We will also have our phone lines open (219.961.HELP) from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm accepting pledges.

Our exclusive *AGAPE* Ribbon will be handed out at the Walk & Roll. April is nationally recognized as Sexual Assault Awareness Month and the teal green ribbon symbolizes sexual violence. Fair Haven has taken that ribbon one step further by sewing a red heart into the center of the ribbons. This red heart symbolizes *AGAPE* the Greek word for pure unconditional love and, when sown into the center of this issue, Fair Haven believes healing can and does happen!

Sexual violence, the truth...Child sexual abuse is still the most underreported form of child maltreatment across the globe. It is estimated that one of every four girls and one of every six boys will be sexually abuse by the age of eighteen. Approximately 57% of perpetrators are family members. (Finkelhor) In the United States, 1.3 women are raped every minute. That results in 78 rapes each hour, 1,872 rapes each day, 56, 160 rapes each month and nearly 700,000 rapes each year. (National Center for Victims of Crime)

Join with us as we take steps to eradicate sexual violence from our community. Together, we can make a difference!

Thank you to our Sponsors of the 5th Annual AGAPE Walk & Roll!

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