



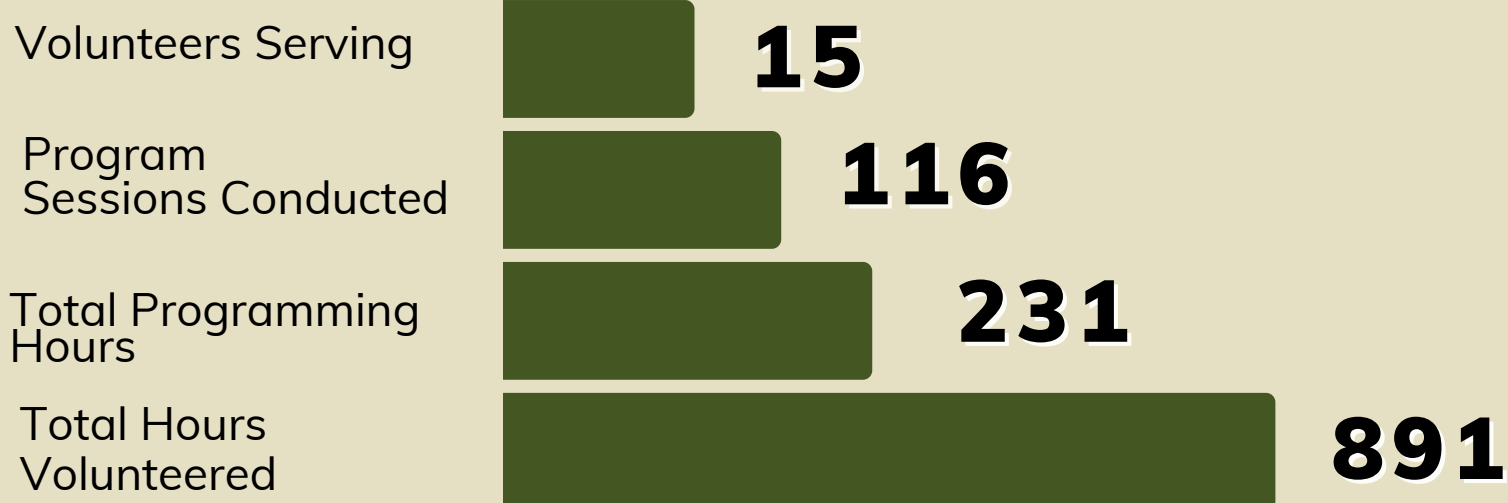
# INTEGRATED COMMUNITY SOLUTIONS

# 2023 IMPACT REPORT

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## Group Participants - All Programs

- Our social and educational groups include friends and family of our group members with DD, as well as others in the community who would like to join us. Groups are designed for individuals with DD, as they comprise the majority of groups.
- We continue to be the sole provider of free or low cost social and educational programs for people with developmental disabilities in Medina and surrounding areas..
- We started Youth Groups for individuals age 5-14, addressing the need in the DD community for social enrichment groups designed for a younger population.
- We continue to build awareness of our Social Enrichment Programs and or Participant Volunteer Program (to build employability skills)



## Programs & Outings

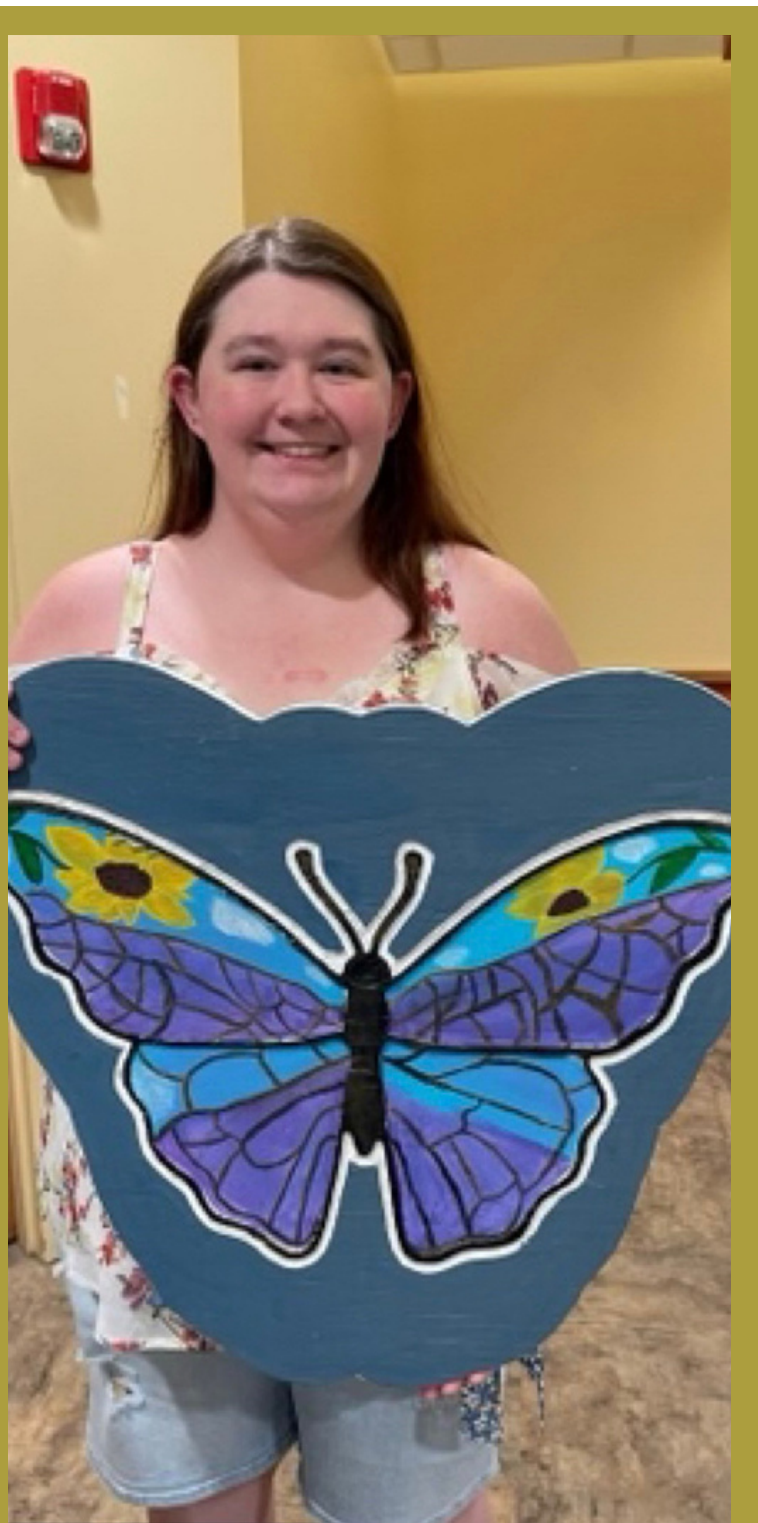
### This Year's Programs and Outings Included:

- Art Group and Dot Art Group
  - Yoga
  - Basketball
  - Fitness
  - Birthday Club
  - Movie Night
  - Cooking Class
  - Bingo
  - Game Night
  - Hayrides and Pumpkin Patch
  - Apple Picking
  - Walk and Roll Groups
  - 5K Running Group
  - Summer Volunteer Program
  - Food Delivery Volunteer Program
  - Christmas Treat Bag Volunteer Program
- Independent Living Skills Classes:**
- Personal Financial Management
  - Personal Safety
  - Nutrition/Cooking
  - Digital Art Class
- Special Events:**
- Paint Pour Class
  - African Drum Circle class
  - Started Youth Group for ages 5-14
  - Felting Class
  - Art Show and Reception
  - Art in Nature Display at Hubbard Valley Park
  - Special Needs Financial Planning Event



230 unique persons with DD were served in ICS Programs and Outings in 2023.

## In Their Own Words...



**"ICS means everything to me. I have true friends now. I get to go places and learn new things! "**

**- Hannah**

**"When you have a child or loved one with special needs, you can feel isolated and lonely. Everyone wants their child to develop friendships and have a group where they can truly be themselves and excepted. We have found this exact place at ICS! Hannah has blossomed. She continues to make friends and build relationships. This has also improved her social skills and she's found new talents. It's been life changing and we are both grateful!"**

**- Hannah's mom, Renee**

## How You Can Help

It takes the support of the entire community to make a project like our community into a reality. We received grants from the following groups this year:

- Medina County Community Fund
- Medina Fraternal Order of Eagles
- Progressive Insurance
- Medina Sunrise Rotary
- Medina County Community Fund
- 100+ Women Who Care
- Medina County Arts Council
- Medina Odd Fellows
- Heritage Parent Coalition
- Akron Community Foundation Millenium Fund
- Cleveland Clinic Medina Hospital Foundation

**DONATE**

## Want to Donate?

No amount is too small (or too big!). Visit our website at [www.ics-oh.org/donate](http://www.ics-oh.org/donate) and make a donation online or via check. The adults we serve now and in the future are grateful for your support.



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**Mission:** Integrated Community Solutions develops communities that provide social engagement, independent living skill development, educational enrichment, vocational training and employment opportunities, and integrated housing choices for people with and without developmental disabilities (DD).

## Leadership

ICS is pleased to have a strong board of directors.



**Lisa Morrison**  
Co-Founder  
President, Treasurer



**Jim Morrison**  
Co-Founder  
Vice-President



**Laura Brocklehurst**  
Director



**Angel Way**  
Director



**Christina Laskovski**  
Director



**Jeff Mourdant**  
Director



**Cheryl Mason**  
Director



**Kurt Hawley**  
Director



**Ken Okeson**  
Director



**Kara Wolff**  
Director



**Denise Testa**  
Director

## Residential Community Update

### Interest List Now Open!

We are eager to know how many adults with a developmental disability, their families, and adults without a disability might be interested in living in our Autumn Bridge Crossing residential community. Go to our website Home Page and scroll down to "Residential Interest List Signup" and complete the questions. This is an Interest List only, not a waiting list or priority list.

### Land Update

We continue to look for the ideal 20-25 acre parcel in Medina County for Autumn Bridge Crossing and we've looked at and discussed possibilities regarding several promising parcels. If you know anyone who might have land for us to consider, we'd love to hear from you. Please contact Lisa Morrison at [info@ics-oh.org](mailto:info@ics-oh.org) or 216-280-7755.



## Partnerships and Collaboration

- Volunteer Program Collabs
- Empower Sports
- Painted Dreams
- Buehler's Fresh Foods
- Access the Arts
- Medina County Park District
- Art in Nature Display
- Hearts for Music
- Way Street Financial
- Sharon Township
- Highland Library
- Medina County Board of Developmental Disabilities
- H2O Foundation
- Partnered with Medina Sunrise Rotary
- Highland Library
- Whisper Shifter LLC
- Cliffside Artist's Collaborative
- Educational Program Collabs
- Skylight Financial
- Medina County ESC and the Arc of Ohio
- Feeding Medina County
- Bunker Hill Golf Course and Cups Café
- Social Enrichment Program Collaborations
- Amazing Race Medina and Medina Chamber Charities

## Connect With Us Online

**Liked Our Facebook Page Yet?**

Visit [facebook.com/integrated.ohio](https://facebook.com/integrated.ohio)

**Find Us On LinkedIn**

[www.linkedin.com/company/integrated-community-solutions-inc/](https://www.linkedin.com/company/integrated-community-solutions-inc/)

**Check Us Out On Instagram**

Our handle is [@ics\\_ohio](https://www.instagram.com/ics_ohio)

**Visit the ICS Website!**

Check out [www.ics-oh.org](https://www.ics-oh.org).

Sincerely thanking you for your support,

*Lisa Morrison*

President  
Integrated Community Solutions



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# 2023 PROGRAMS & OUTINGS



Hayride



Digital Art Class



Birthday Club



Family Bingo



Volunteer Shopper Program



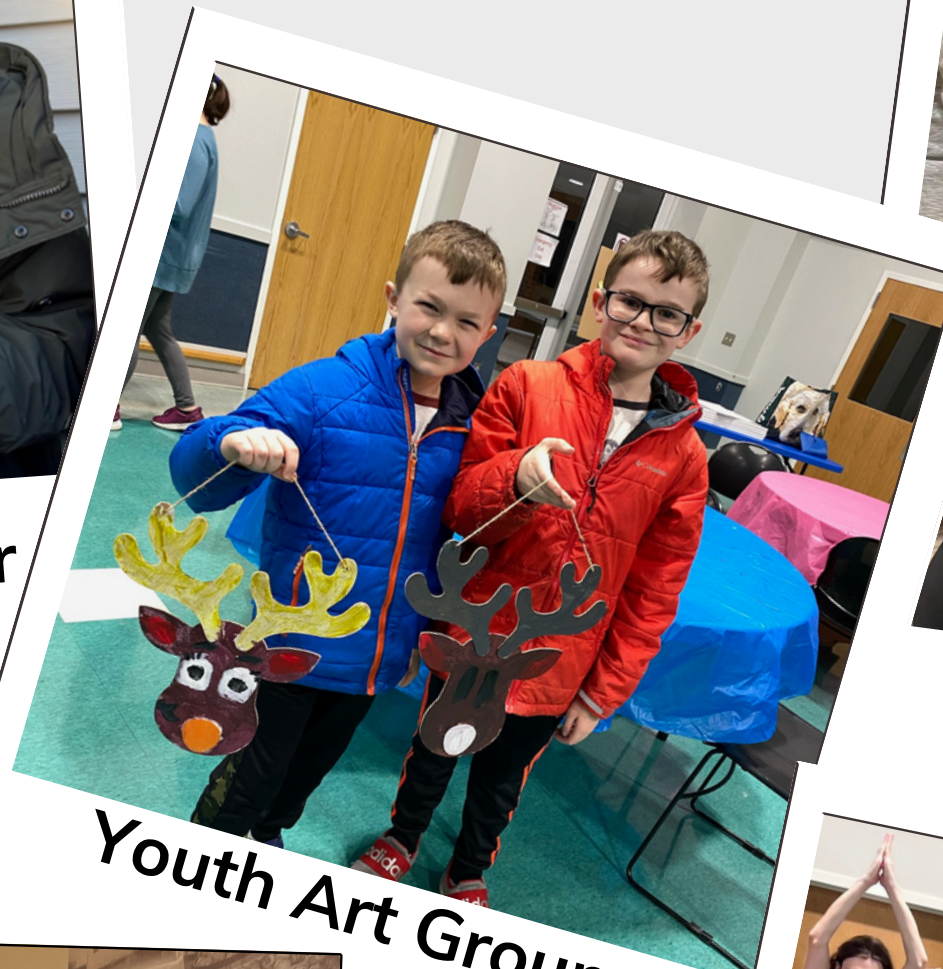
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Felting Class



Yoga