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ACC Gala In The News



(Above) Photo from Channel 7 Action News
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ACC's 31st Annual Civic and Humanitarian Awards Gala was featured on Detroit's local news stations on Saturday, October 16, 2010. Gala guest speakers and gubernatorial candidates Virg Bernero and Rick Snyder were highlighted in the news coverage. With over 800 guests in attendance, the event was a great success.

[Click here](#) to view Channel 7 WXYZ Action News' video clips, photos and more.

Also featured in this weeks issue of the Arab American News, the article [Gubernatorial candidates speak at ACC 31st annual gala](#) highlights this years honorees, speakers and the impact ACC has within the community. [Click here](#) to view the full publication. Go to page 10 for the article in English and page 50 to view the article in Arabic.

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ACC Family Fun Fair - October 30th



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ANGELS NIGHT FAMILY FUN FAIR

FREE!

Saturday, October 30, 2010

2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

ACC Youth Recreation & Leadership Center

62 W. Seven Mile Road, Detroit, MI 48203



Event Activities



**Moon Bounce
Fun & GAMES
Pumpkin Decorating
Cider & Donuts
And MORE!!**

Women, Infant, & Children (WIC)

Health Screenings:

**Blood, Glucose, Vision and
Hearing Screenings
Lead Testing
Dental Services**

Medicaid, Medicare & MiChild



**For additional information, contact Kevin Friedrich, at (313) 369-4739
or Yolanda Hill, at (313) 876-0324.**

The Arab American and Chaldean Council's Public Health Division, in partnership with the Detroit Department of Health and Wellness Promotion, will host its **FREE Angels Night Family Fun Fair** on **Saturday, October 30, 2010** from **2:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.** at ACC's Youth Recreation & Leadership Center, located at **62 W. Seven Mile Road in Detroit**. The purpose of this event is to provide a safe family environment for fun activities and free health services for those who are uninsured and underinsured.

The health fair will offer Glucose and Blood Pressure Screenings, Hearing and Vision Screenings, Lead Testing, Dental Services, Medicare and Medicaid, MiChild, and Women, Infants and Children (WIC) services and information, Children's Games and Activities, Pumpkin Decorating, Cider and Donuts, and MORE!

For more information, contact Kevin Friedrich at 313-369-4739 or Yolanda Hill at 313-876-0324.

New ACC WIC Location



ACC, in partnership with Wayne County, is proud to announce that its Women Infant and Children (WIC) Nutrition Program has opened a office located at:

138 Cortland, Highland Park, MI 48203.

For more information, contact ACC's Highland Park WIC Program at (313) 865-4631 ext 299.

The Special Supplemental Food Program for Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Nutrition Program assists in meeting the nutritional needs of expectant, breast feeding and postpartum women, infants, and children through age five. Program services include nutritional education and counseling, supplemental nutritious foods, breastfeeding support, infant formula for babies up to one-years-old, health screenings, lead poisoning education, lead testing, hemoglobin testing, and referrals for additional services.

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UMS presents: Assi El Helani



Assi El Helani
Saturday, November 6, 2010 ~ 8:00 p.m.
Hill Auditorium, Ann Arbor

Born in 1970, Assi El Helani has been a major figure in the music scene of the Middle East since the 1990s. With participation in numerous important musical events, including the Carthage Festival, the Baalbeck International Festival, and concerts throughout Europe, the Arab World, and America, he is regarded as one of the true superstars to emerge from Lebanon. With more than a dozen recordings to his name, Assi El Helani's popstar status makes him an incredibly exciting addition to the UMS series.

[Click here](#) for tickets and more information.

Assi El Helani will receive the King-Chavez-Parks Visiting Professor Award from the University of Michigan at this event.

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Employment Opportunity

Southwest Counseling Solutions is currently seeking an Arabic speaking individual for an Adult Educator position. Please see position details below. To submit your resume please contact Southwest Counseling Solutions' Human Resource department at hrresume@swsol.org.

ADULT EDUCATOR POSITION DETAILS:

HIRING DIRECTOR/SUPERVISOR: Human Resources - hrresume@swsol.org

HIRING DEPARTMENT: Family Literacy

ANNUAL PAY RATE: \$20.00 - \$22.00

GENERAL DUTIES:

The Adult Educator is responsible for the implementation of educational activities for a given population and teaching parents their role in their child's education and how to create a learning environment in the home. The Adult Education Teacher provides assessment and individual educational planning and programming for adult students working to improve their literacy, and home visits and group sessions focusing on the parent's role in their child's education. Students may be of varying educational levels and cultural backgrounds, studying for General Education Degree (GED) Adult Basic Education (ABE) or English as a Second Language (ESL). The Adult Educator functions as part of the English Language Learners Even Start Team, helping families achieve their educational goals. The Adult Educator will also coordinate with Detroit Public School teaching staff and Principal to implement parent and child together time within the public school location. The Adult Educator reports directly to the Adult Educator/Supervisor of the English Language Learners Even Start program.

QUALIFICATIONS:

Bachelor's degree and Michigan Teaching Certificate. Experience in adult education (GED, ABE, ESL) with a diverse population. Excellent English with Spanish and/or Arabic reading, writing and communication skills. At least three years professional experience in family literacy / human services; or educational experience preferred. Must have valid driver's license and access to reliable transportation.

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