



Independent Living  
Program

PROGRAM BULLETIN  
January 2008

**ILP store hours are as follows:**

- Mondays 3-6pm
- Tuesdays 12-6pm
- Thursdays 12-6pm
- Closed Saturdays, Sundays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

In-care and aftercare youth are encouraged to fill out an ILP store application. Contact your ILP worker or Tami Thompson at 893-2316 x 212 to find out more about the store.

On January 4<sup>th</sup> from 12-2:30pm all ILP eligible male youth are invited to 'Boys Bowling' in Oroville at Tyme to Bowl located at 4010 Olive Hwy. Hope to see you there. If in need of transportation please call your ILP worker.

The next workshop will also take place in Oroville on January 23<sup>rd</sup>. This workshop will be lots of fun as we will be learning how to ride the local city bus system as well as learning of other possible means of transportation. This workshop will take place from 2-4:30 and we will be meeting at the Youth and Family office in Oroville located at 1881 Robinson St. Ste E.

The new FAFSA for 2008-2009 school year will be available in January. If you plan to attend college in the near future please talk with your ILP worker. Help is available. On January 23<sup>rd</sup> from 6-8 pm ILSP will have a class session devoted to Financial Aid and Chaffee Grant information.

Butte College ILSP classes are held every Wednesday evening from 6-8pm at 2491 Carmichael Dr. Suite 300 in Chico. ILP highly encourages youth to participate in these class sessions. Topics covered in the month of January follows:

- January 9<sup>th</sup>- Goal setting and decision making
- January 16<sup>th</sup>- California Conservation Corps
- January 23<sup>rd</sup>- Financial aid and Chaffee Grant information
- January 26<sup>th</sup>- Saturday workshop "Leadership & Team building" (10am-5pm)
- January 30<sup>th</sup>- Drugs, Alcohol and Tobacco information

Be prepared to tackle your most difficult school subjects this year! If you are eligible for ILP services you are also eligible for free tutoring services through BCOE. If you would like extra help and support in passing the Exit exams or other school subjects please ask your ILP worker about receiving free tutoring.

CYC will be meeting on January 7<sup>th</sup> and January 21<sup>st</sup> at 4pm in Chico at the Youth and Family office located at 2577 California Park Dr. If you are in need of transportation or need more information please call Yolanda Knight at 893-2316 x 214.

ILP is opening ACDI hours to all in-care and aftercare ILP eligible youth. If you need to meet with your ILP worker for any reason

- The second Thursday of every month in Oroville from 4-5pm. 1881 Robinson St. Ste E.
- The fourth Thursday of every month in Chico from 4-5pm. 2577 California Park Dr.

Check out our ILP Myspace account at: [www.myspace.com/butteilp](http://www.myspace.com/butteilp) (add us) :)

Teens 16 and up who are in placement are entitled to ILP services\*. If you know of an un-referred teen aged sixteen or up in a foster home or group home please contact ILP. ILP serves teens placed from other counties as well as Butte County teens. In order for ILP to serve youth out of county, ILP require a current Transitional Independent Living Plan completed by the youth with his or hers county social worker or probation officer. Former foster youth aged 16 to 21, who were in placement at 16 or older, can call Butte county ILP for support in areas of employment, housing, connecting with community resources and more. Involvement in ILP aftercare is the ticket to ILP's START program. This program offers assistance with move-in costs and rent. Call ILP Aftercare at 893-2316 ext 231 or 1-888-893-4011. \* Contact ILP to determine eligibility

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