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April 14, 12pm-1pm  **Assessments**
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April 21, 12pm-1pm  **Introduction to Positive Behavior Supports**
 Sometimes a student’s behavior makes it difficult to learn, causes harm, or isolates the child from peers. This webinar is an overview of behavior considerations and tools that can be used to address these needs.

April 28, 12pm-1pm  **DeafBlind Resources**
DeafBlind Central will be joining us for this webinar, sharing information about DB Central and the resources available for students who are DeafBlind.

May 4, 12pm-1pm  **Ask The Expert**
Our panel will respond to your special education questions on a wide variety of topics- including behavior, IEPs, accommodations/modifications, and eligibility. Questions can be submitted in advance to webinars@michiganallianceforfamilies.org. Note: this webinar will not be recorded.

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WHY CHANGE THE NAME?

We’ve been expanding the options available to individuals with disabilities for over sixty years. Along the way, this has meant consistently expanding our offering of services in order to meet the needs of a wider range of clients. We began as a camp for children with physical disabilities, and over the years we’ve evolved so we could serve more people in more ways. We now offer many additional services to help our clients achieve self-sufficiency and experience joy wherever they are.

Eventually, it became clear that we’re more than a camp—we’re a comprehensive provider of life enrichment services. Indian Trails Camp and our other services needed to be part of a parent organization that expresses everything we do. And that’s where IKUS comes in.

WHAT DOES “IKUS” MEAN?

Campers have been going to Indian Trails Camp for over sixty years, and at the end of each day, they look forward to singing the official camp song: “I like IKUS! Nobody like us! We are the camp of ITC! Always a-winning, always a-grinning, always a-feeling fine!”

So when we launched the camp’s parent organization, “IKUS” was the perfect word to use as our name. IKUS means greater freedom for our clients, and it means fun activities that build meaningful relationships, both at camp and through a variety of other enriching programs. Our new logo represents the ever-expanding choices and freedom that clients can access through IKUS, as well as the integrated care they receive.

IKUS (i'-kus)

(v.) 1. To empower others by teaching with compassion 2. To give others joy, independence, and greater choices (n.) 3. A safe environment in which to grow, learn, be accepted, make friends, and have unforgettable experiences

INFORMATION:

Indian Trails Camp is here to stay. Don’t worry—ITC isn’t going anywhere. We will continue to offer the same unforgettable experiences we always have, now standing alongside IKUS’s other programs.

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