



Adoptive Parents' Training Network

30 November 2011

Following on from our previous 'Family Futures' training in September we are pleased to provide a follow up training day. This will be held on Saturday, 28 January 2012.

Beyond Ordinary Parenting – PART 2 by Family Futures

This follow-up course will consider aspects of behaviour in the light of the neurological and physical impact of the early trauma, thinking about the general daily management of children through the domains of nurture, engagement, structure and challenge. It aims to look at the issues of non-verbal communication, sibling interaction, rage and outbursts, violence, lying, stealing, sexualised behaviour and defiance versus compliance. It will address the need to understand the child's perception within these behaviours and consider the effect of living with shame. It will consider ways to support the child in managing self-regulation and will also address the importance of establishing boundaries.

Who is the course designed for?

Primarily for those people who attended the training day in September but other adoptive/foster parents, social workers and professionals are welcome too.

Will there be any handouts? Each participant will receive a manual.

Who will present the course? Two experienced therapists, **Sue Hughes**, Social Worker & Integrative Arts Child Psychotherapist, and, **Marion Allen**, Education Specialist

VENUE	Tullamore Court Hotel, O' Moore St., Tullamore, Co. Offaly (For directions see www.tullamorecourthotel.ie or call 057-9346666)
COST	€100 per person or €180 per couple (Payable to Adoptive Parents' Training Network) (To include tea/coffee and lunch)
Date:	Saturday 28th January 2012
Time:	9.30am to 4.00pm (registration time 9.00am)

If you know others who would be interested in this workshop, please feel free to give them a copy of this correspondence. The circular and booking form are also available on www.barnardos.ie and www.attach2me.com. If you have any questions, please contact any of the following:

Brian Semple 087-9733880, Vanessa Fennelly 087-2661822, Stephanie Keating 086-3871665

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APPLICATION FORM – Family Futures – Sat, 28th January 2012

Early booking is advisable as places are limited

Please return this booking slip together with payment to:

Adoptive Parents' Training Network,
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NAME(s): _____

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Do you wish to be contacted about other events? Yes ___ No ___