DIVORCE EDUCATION 2021 & 2022 PARENT EDUCATION CLASS SCHEDULE PARENTING COORDINATOR – Babs Ragsdale 423-209-6658

The following programs fulfill the **MANDATORY EDUCATIONAL SEMINAR** requirement for divorcing or post-divorce parties with minor children. All parents are required to attend **one** four-hour seminar.

- It is **not necessary** for parents to attend the same class.
- You only have to attend **ONE 4-HOUR CLASS.**
- You may select from one of the four following providers and call or email as listed to **pre-register** (if required) for the class you choose.
- <u>Be sure to file your certificate as soon as possible</u> (to avoid a future show cause order from the Judge ordering you to come to court explaining your reason for not completing the class) in Circuit Court, 5th Floor, Hamilton County Courthouse, Suite 500, 625 Georgia Avenue, Chattanooga, 37402.
- The current schedule is also available @ www.hamiltontn.gov (Click on Courts; click on divorce mediation and Parenting Plan, scroll down for list of approved Parent Education Classes to view or print)
- A CLASS MUST BE COMPLETED BY *APRIL 1, 2022 (IF DIVORCE WAS FILED IN JANUARY, 2022. **Example*: File Jan. 15, you have the remainder of the month you filed, plus 60 more days, or the next two months, February & March. Ideally, the parenting class is completed by April 1st.)

Due to Covid-19 pandemic, the Court has approved until further notice, parents may fulfill their parenting seminar obligation as an alternative, an interactive video class presentation by ZOOM. (not to be confused with an Online Parenting Course, which DOES NOT meet the requirement for a parenting class in this jurisdiction.) ZOOM classes may be accessed remotely, but registration with the provider is necessary for a specific class to receive log-in information and a password. Successful Parenting by Ruth Tucker is the only walk-in class at this time.

CHILDREN IN DIVORCE AND SEPARATION (CIDS) PHONE: 423-697-3791

Instructor: Eundra Porterwww.centerforfamilyconnections.comClasses held at: 1800 McCallie Avenue, Chattanooga, TN 37404Registration Information call 423.697-3791 or email cfc@partnershipfca.comfor brochure.Pre-Register: by phone a full week in advance, \$45 for one or \$80 for two.Walk-ins welcome: Arrive 10 minutes early /\$50 per person, \$90 for two; can pay cash, money order, orcredit card. (Offering classes by ZOOM ONLY until further notice.)For Private (\$250) Class, Advanced Class Appointments e-mail or call: 423-266-0477/423-697-3791

| <u>Saturday 10:00 a.m.to 2:00 p.m.</u> | <u>Wednesday 5 p.m. to 9 p.m.</u> | Friday 12:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. |
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| December 11, 2021 | December 8, 15, 29 - 2021 | December 3, 17 – 2021 |
| 2022 | 2022 | 2022 |
| January 8, 22 | January 5, 19 | January 14, 28 |
| February 5, 19 | February 2, 16 | February 11, 25 |
| March 5, 19 | March 2, 16 | March 11, 25 |
| April 2, 9, 23 | April 6, 20 | April 15, 29 |
| May 7, 21 | May 4, 18, 25 | May 13, 27 |
| June 4, 11, 25 | June 8, 22 | June 3, 17 |

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| SATURDAY Classes Session 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. – arrive by 8:15 a.m. to register. <u>No pre-registration</u> <u>necessary</u> ; \$40.00 CASH for one; Visa, Mastercard, American Express or Discover. If both parents attend the same class, \$70. | | | | | | |
| <u>2022 - Clas</u> January 8 July 9 | sses offered in February 12 August 13 | <u>n-person only</u> March 12 September 10 | April 23 October 29 | May 28 November 12 | June 25 December 3 | |
| MONDAY Evening Classes 4:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. – arrive by 4:15 p.m. to register. <u>No pre-registration</u> <u>necessary</u> ; \$40.00 CASH for one; Visa, Mastercard, American Express or Discover. If both parents attend the same class, \$70.00 | | | | | | |
| 2022 - Clas January 24 | ses offered in February 28 | <u>n-person only.</u> March 28 | April 4 | May 9 | June 6 | |
| July 18 | August 22 | September 19 | October 3 | November 21 | December 12 | |
| LIGHTHOUSE COUNSELING & LIFE SKILLS CENTERPHONE: 423-499-9335Cooperative Parenting and DivorceCOST: \$35.00/per person7209 Hamilton Acres CircleCOUPLE: \$60.00/coupleChattanooga, TN 37421(Classes via ZOOM ONLY until further notice.)• Please register and pay for the Cooperative Parenting Class 48-hours in advance.Saturday Sessions: 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.Monday Evening Sessions: 5:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.December 4, 18 - 2021December 6, 13 - 2021January 8, 22January 10, 24February 12, 26February 7, 21 | | | | | | |
| March 12, 26 April 9, 30 |) | | | h 7, 21 11, 25 | | |
| May 14, 21 June 11, 25 | | | May June | 9, 23 | | |
| THE KNOWLEDGE FIRMPHONE: 423.805.3476www.theknowledgefirm.com4104 Dayton Blvd., Chattanooga, TN 37415Instructor: Jan GoldsmithPre-registration \$45.00 / per person & \$85.00 per couple – Walk-ins welcome: arrive 15 minutes early,\$50.00 per person, \$90.00 per couple.(Offering classes by ZOOM ONLY until further notice.)Private classes available upon request \$450.00 | | | | | | |
| <u>2022</u> <u>Tuesday 4:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.</u> <u>Thursday 4:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.</u> <u>Saturday,10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.</u> | | | | | | |

| <u>Tuesday 4:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.</u> | Thursday 4:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. | Saturday,10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. |
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| January 11, 18, 25 | January 6, 13, 20, 27 | January 8, 15, 22, 29 |
| February 1, 8, 15, 22 | February 3, 10, 17, 24 | February 5, 12, 19, 26 |