



## Press Release

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### **Still Time to Bowl!**

Family Service Agency's Big Brothers Big Sisters has rolled the first ball for the 2009 Bowl For Kids' Sake. The events started on February 23<sup>rd</sup> at the NIU Huskies Den. Teams are still being accepted for the following dates and locations: March 6<sup>th</sup> from 5:30 to 7pm & March 7<sup>th</sup> from noon to 4:30pm at Mardi Gras Lanes in DeKalb, March 8<sup>th</sup> from noon to 4pm at Four Seasons Sports in Sycamore, and March 15 from 10 to 11am at Idle Hour Lanes in Sandwich.

Bowl For Kids' Sake is a long-time community fundraiser to benefit Family Service Agency's Big Brothers Big Sisters of DeKalb County, funding up to 80% of its annual budget. Funds raised provide guidance and support to at risk children through Big Brothers Big Sisters and go directly towards matching children with caring Big Brother and Big Sister volunteers. This year, our goal is to raise \$100,000 with approximately 200 teams, 1000 bowlers and 12,000 individual sponsors.

Family Service Agency of DeKalb County is a premier social service agency, providing support to individuals and families throughout the lifecycle. Family Service Agency is comprised of five distinct departments – Big Brothers Big Sisters, Center for Counseling, Child Life & Family Education, Children's Advocacy Center and Senior Services Center. A host of programs are available through these departments, and all services are provided by experienced professionals.

Family Service Agency of DeKalb County accepts insurance, and scholarship and reduced fees are available for those who qualify. In some instances, services can be provided at no cost to the client. Family Service Agency's main office is located at 14 Health Services Drive, and satellite offices are located in DeKalb and Sandwich. Family Service Agency is a Kishwaukee United Way Agency. For more information about the services at Family Service Agency call 815-758-8616, 815-786-7079 in Sandwich, or visit their website at [www.realsolutionstoday.org](http://www.realsolutionstoday.org).

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