



Free Workshops

- **Shaken Baby Syndrome Prevention**
- **Mandated Reporter Training**—Learn how and when to report suspected abuse or neglect.
- **Internet Safety**—Keeping kids safer online.

Summer Internet Safety presentations are scheduled for the Jackson, Lone, and Sutter Creek Extended Learning Program sites. We offer free presentations for kids and adults.

First 5 "Dad & Me" Event
Saturday, July 19th
10am to noon
Amador Cooperative
Preschool
Call 257-1092 for more info.

ACCAPC Meetings
PR Committee Meeting
August 22, 2008
9:00 am at Health & Human
Services Building

Full Council Meetings
10:00 a.m. at GSA Building at 12200
B Airport Rd. in Jackson
July 21, 2008
September 15, 2008
November 17, 2008

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It only takes a minute...to make a difference in the life of a child.

Keeping Kids Safer in the Digital World

The good news about keeping our kids safe in this instantly connected digital world is that it can be done—it can even be done fairly easily. Here are some tips and resources to help make kids safer while connected:

- **Talk about Internet safety, now!**
Recent reports show that when parents and guardians talk to their kids about Internet Safety, their exposure to potential threats decline and they make safer decisions online.
- **Become an experienced Internet user.**
Ask your kids to show you where they go on the Internet.
- **Keep the lines of communication open by not overreacting.**
Kids usually don't tell when they accidentally encounter an inappropriate image or receive a solicitation online for fear their parents or guardians will restrict or take away their Internet privileges.



Web Resources:

- ⇒ **Wired Safety.org** is a great resource for everything digital including the Internet, cell phones, online gaming, and other digital communication devices. There are resources for parents, educators/librarians, law enforcement, and kids, tweens, and teens. Download the free eight-page "Parenting Online" guide at: www.wiredsafety.org/parent.html. The last page of the guide contains the Agreement for Using the Internet that we use in our free Internet Safety Workshops.
- ⇒ **NetSmartz.org** is an educational site for parents, educators, law enforcement, kids, tweens and teens operated by the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children. They also operate the Cyber Tipline (800-843-5678) where you can report any inappropriate Internet issues. Great games, especially for younger children, and video clips. Visit www.netsmartz.org or www.missingkids.com.



⇒ The **National Crime Prevention Council** website has some great public service announcement videos and audio clips dealing with cyber bullying, bullying prevention and Internet safety, along with games and tips. Check out their "Current Campaigns" at www.ncpc.org.

Thank you!

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