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UpValley Family Centers' Thirteenth Annual Back to School Family Celebration

The UpValley Family Centers (UVFC) kicks off the new school year with its thirteenth annual **Back to School Family Celebration on Friday, August 26, 2016**. The event will be from **5:30pm-7:30pm at Berry Field** on the campus of Calistoga Elementary School. In 2015, more than 800 attended the event where families with children connect with teachers, school staff, friends and the community at large.

Hosted by UVFC and the Calistoga Joint Unified School District, the Back to School Family Celebration features children's activities and entertainment, a free meal, as well as a "service provider fair" where UVFC and its 40+ partner agencies showcase the various services that are provided to the Calistoga community. Families have the opportunity to learn about vital services such as nutrition programs, wellness services, health insurance, pediatric dental care, preschool options, literacy programs, and more.

Jenny Ocon, UVFC Executive Director stated, "This event is the definition of community – everyone is welcome and it's a great way to start the school year. We are grateful to the Calistoga Joint Unified School District, our sponsors and organizations throughout the valley who participate in offering families an opportunity to learn about the many resources available to them."

Save the date. We hope to see you at this year's Back to School Family Celebration!

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