



Monday Morning Update July 15, 2019

News

211's Back-to-School Events List for 2019

Gearing up for the 2019-2020 school year! 211 has compiled a list

Congratulations to the City of Delray Beach: 2018 GLR Pacesetter Award

Online Survey for the Arc of Palm Beach County

The Arc of Palm Beach County wants to learn about the challenges

of back-to-school events for families and caregivers with school-aged children. These events will feature back packs and school supplies, with some also offering free food, haircuts, physicals and other health screenings. [Click here](#) to learn more.

The Campaign for Grade-Level Reading (GLR) announced that 32 communities across the nation are Pacesetters for their work during 2018 to support early school success. We salute the City of Delray Beach for going the extra mile and being recognized as one of the 2018 GLR Pacesetters! [Click here](#) to learn more about the campaign.

professionals experience in supporting people with developmental disabilities and co-occurring mental health diagnoses. Your responses will assist us in developing educational materials and trainings. You can register for a \$50.00 gift card upon completion of the survey. [Click here](#) to learn more and to complete the survey.

Opportunity for All: 2019 grants through The Starbucks Foundation

The Starbucks Foundation believes in investing in communities by supporting organizations creating pathways to lifelong opportunity. The 2019 Starbucks Foundation Opportunity for All grants will support programs to create job and training opportunities for people who may have faced barriers. [Click here](#) for more information and to apply. Grant applications are due on **July 31, 2019**.

Council Update: PBC children benefit from Lutheran Services Florida's Head Start Program

Palm Beach County children in Lutheran Services Florida's Head Start Program, which is partially funded by Children's Services Council of Palm Beach County, performed better than their peers on kindergarten readiness tests for the past two years, according to an analysis CSC staff shared with the Council's board on Thursday, June 27. [Click here](#) to learn more.

Council CEO accepted into Leadership Florida Cornerstone Program

Congratulations to our CEO, Lisa Williams-Taylor, who has been accepted into the 2019-2020 class of Leadership Florida Cornerstone. Leadership Florida is a statewide organization dedicated to bringing together emerging and existing leaders from across the state to challenge, prepare and inspire them to build a better Florida. [Click here](#) to read more.

No Shots, No School: Summer Immunization Campaign

The Florida Department of Health in Palm Beach County is happy to announce a new, independent website has been created to beat the "end of summer crunch" for school vaccinations in Palm Beach County: No Shot No School. Find out what vaccinations your child may need to enter school this fall by selecting the grade your child is entering. [Click here](#) to learn more.

Free meals for kids and teens with Summer BreakSpot

Many children in our community depend on school breakfast and lunch as their only source of food for the day. With school out for the summer, families can **call 2-1-1 for the nearest Summer BreakSpot meal site**. Summer BreakSpot provides nutritious meals at no cost to children 18 and under while school is out for the summer. To find a location, [call 2-1-1 for the nearest meal site near you](#).



Down time can create memories and spur growth

These days, children rush through a tight schedule of school requirements, sports, music lessons and after-school activities. That's why it's important to emphasize down time. Down time, particularly no screen time, is essential for children of all ages to rest and take a break from the daily stress of school and hectic schedules. [Click here](#) to learn more. For more information, local tips and trusted advice, create a family profile today on EveryParentPBC.org.

Events

A Write to Read with BRIDGES at Highland

Tuesday, July 16
10 a.m. - 12 p.m.
Mandel Public Library of West Palm Beach
411 Clematis St.,
West Palm Beach

Promote reading and writing with your pre-school aged children by attending this literacy class. We'll have fun while we create ways to make learning fun for our children. For more information feel free to contact BRIDGES at Northwood 561.840.3106. [Click here](#) to see a calendar of events for all ten BRIDGES locations.

Award of Excellence Talent Gala 2019

Saturday, Sept. 7
4 p.m.
Village Golf Club
122 Country Club Dr.,
Royal Palm Beach

The Talented Teen Club's Excellent Award Celebration is a special event to celebrate the talented members of South Florida and honor the recipients of this year's

Scholar CC Mentor Recruitment Social

Sunday, July 21
2 - 4 p.m.
Harvest Grill
1841 S Federal Hwy #402
Delray Beach

Are you passionate about education and youth? Would you like to make a difference in your community? Join Scholar CC at this free event to learn about the process of becoming a volunteer mentor! Scholar CC are recruiting College Academic Mentors to serve the students in its mentoring program for the academic year of 2019-2020. For more information and to sign up as an attendee, [click here](#).

Parent Cafe: Transitioning to Kindergarten

Wednesday, July 17
6 - 7 p.m.
Early Learning Coalition of Palm Beach County
2051 M.L.K. Jr Blvd #300,
Riviera Beach

Need help with transitioning your child to Kindergarten? Join the Early Learning Coalition of Palm Beach County's Parent Cafe and obtain

July Happenings at Palm Beach County Parks

Throughout July
Palm Beach County park locations

July is Park and Recreation Month, and Palm Beach County Parks and Recreation is celebrating all month long with fun events and activities for your family. From trivia and food trucks to wetlands tours, there's something for everyone! [Click here](#) to learn more.

Child Rescue Coalition Blankets and Bear Hugs

Saturday, August 10
10 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
Child Rescue Coalition Offices
4530 Conference Way South,
Boca Raton

Join the Child Rescue Coalition for a family-friendly event to assemble teddy-bear care packages for children rescued from sexual abuse and learn important tips on how you

Talent of Excellence Awards. The Excellence Award was created to celebrate those members who reflect leadership, talent, core values of connecting, collaborating and change as well as individuals who have made a notable contribution to improve and impact our community. [Click here](#) to learn more and to register.

more information about this important transition for your child. Space is limited and RSVP is required. [Click here](#) to learn more.

can keep your kids safe online. All ages are welcome for this morning of fun, philanthropy and pizza! For more information and to register, [click here](#).

Trainings

How to Help a Traumatized Client: Art and Play Therapy for Children, Youth and Families dealing with Death, Loss, and Trauma

Monday, Sept. 9
9 a.m. - 4 p.m.
Children's Services Council of Palm Beach County
2300 High Ridge Rd.,
Boynton Beach

Therapists are called to work with children and teens dealing with traumatic experiences and loss that most adults struggle with understanding. Earn 6 CEU's and contact APTs. [Click here](#) for more information and how to register.

Learn the LEAP approach

Saturday, August 10
8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Mental Health America of Palm Beach County
909 Fern St.,
West Palm Beach

Join Dr. Jacintha Cauffield, PharmD, BCPS, CDE, CRPS, a clinical pharmacist and certified LEAP instructor, for the LEAP Training event. This course teaches Family Caregivers, Healthcare Professionals, Criminal Justice Professionals, and Peer Specialists how to create relationships with persons who have serious mental illness that can lead to treatment and recovery, reducing involuntary hospitalizations, homelessness, incarceration and other devastating outcomes. To register please call 561.832.3755.

Bagels & Brains: Therapeutic Meditation and Mindfulness presentation

Tuesday, July 16
8:30 - 9:30 a.m.
Your Aging and Disability Resource Center
Community Room
4400 North Congress Ave.,
West Palm Beach

Bagels & Brains is a series of informational presentations held on the 3rd Tuesday of each month through October 2019. These presentations are opportunities for professional development and can enable each of us to be more knowledgeable and better equipped to advocate for our seniors, adults with disabilities and their caregivers. Please email your RSVP to Trish at TErnstYourADRC.org.

ACEs, Trauma and Toxic Stress

Thursday, August 8
9 - 10:30 a.m.
Quantum Foundation
2701 N Australian Ave
West Palm Beach

This 1.5-hour free workshop will provide an overview, hands-on interactive learning, and strategies on becoming trauma-informed. [Click here](#) for more information and how to register.

Working with Children and Teens on the Autism Spectrum Using Play Therapy

Friday, August 9
9 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.
Children's Services Council Of Palm Beach County
2300 High Ridge Road
Boynton Beach

This workshop will provide participants with the opportunity to learn about clients diagnosed with autism spectrum disorders (ASD),

Free Domestic Violence Support Groups in English for Adult Women

12 sessions, every Wednesday through Sept. 25
6:30 - 7:30 pm
Center for Family Services of Palm Beach County, Inc.
4101 Parker Ave.,
West Palm Beach

Adult women survivors of domestic violence will learn more about the cycle of domestic violence, the

play therapy and other evidence-based therapeutic approaches, to help treat the most common clinical issues. Earn 4 CEU's and contact APTs. [Click here](#) for more information and how to register.

power and control wheel, safety plan and prevention of re-victimization, mental health, self-esteem, parenting skills, mindfulness, stress management, and resources. Participants will receive a certificate of participation (if they attend at least 10 sessions). Supervision for children is provided. [Click here](#) to learn more. Please call 561.616.1222 for more information and registration.

Healthy Food, Healthy Children Webinar

[Click here](#) to watch the Hunger Relief Initiative of Palm Beach County's "Healthy Food, Healthy Children" webinar about different food programs that are available for child care centers to participate in.

Boca-Delray Fearless Caregiver Conference 2019

Thursday, July 25, 9 a.m. - 2 p.m.

South County Civic Center

16700 Jog Rd.,

Delray Beach

At this year's Fearless Caregiver Conference, attendees will learn how to become a fearless member of your loved ones care team while balancing family, work & caregiving. [Click here](#) to learn more and to register.

Additional Resources

[Visit the CSC website](#)

[CSC Employment](#)

[CSC Provider Agency Employment](#)

[Search for Trainings](#)

Do you have information for the MMU?

Email your MMU submission to mmu@cscpbcc.org. [Click here](#) to review the MMU Submission Guidelines.

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