



September Mentor Newsletter



readiness



mentors



scholarships



retention



hope

Time to Gear Up!

"A lot of people have gone further than they thought they could because someone else thought they could". -Unknown

Mentor News

A Word from your Mentor Coordinator:



Dear Mentors,

School is in session and we are eagerly serving our students. Our coaches have arrived, and they are meeting students for the first time. Please reach out to your student. If they are not responding

to your communication, please let us know. If you have not met your new student yet, we will arrange introduction meetings sometime in September.

We have recently accepted 62 new students. We need mentors! Please reach out to your co-workers, friends, and colleagues and challenge them to become a mentor for Take Stock in Children. If you would like to mentor an additional student, please let us know. Mentors are the heart of our program, and our students cannot do it without you.

Finally, our Mentor School Ambassador Initiative is kicking off this month. You will be receiving a welcome email from your mentor ambassador(s) this month. I encourage you to reach out to them, and participate to make better connections with all the mentors at your school. They are there to support and assist you throughout the year.

We are very excited what this school year has in store and for you to build better relationships with your student(s). Remember, it takes all of us to make an impact on the

lives our students. Although you may feel you are not impacting them now, stay the course because your efforts will influence their future. Thank you for your continued support and commitment.

Warmest Regards,
Kimberly Briard
Mentor Coordinator

Mentor News

Get Ready for a Mentors Event

MENTOR BACK TO SCHOOL WORKSHOPS

Connect and Collaborate



RENEW AND REFRESH IN THIS
HIGHLY INNOVATIVE SETTING.
PLEASE JOIN US ON:

Thursday Sep 19 at 5:30pm

or

Wednesday Oct 9 @ 12:00pm

*Location: Extraordinary Charities,
2635 Okechobee Rd WPB*

Lunch and/or Dinner will be served

We have a new format for the Mentor Back to School Workshop. We encourage all of you to attend one of the sessions. It is mentor driven and mentor facilitated this year with round table, and interactive discussions.

[CLICK HERE TO RSVP](#)

Making Connections

The health and wellness of our students and families are very important to us. Please mark your calendars for our '*Reset for Success*' **Saturday, October 5, 2019.**



Parents and families are encouraged to attend!

Vendors will include:

Agencies supporting health & wellness
in Palm Beach County

Mentors are invited & encouraged to attend
this event!



[Click Here to Register](#)

Mentor Session Sign-up Reminder

If you would like to be added to the list to receive weekly reminders to log in your mentor sessions click the link below.

[Click Here to Respond](#)

Mentor Spotlight

Colette Brown-Graham

Colette Brown-Graham, MD, FACOG, is a board-certified Fellow of the American College of Obstetrics and Gynecology who provides patients with skilled and dedicated care at Complete Healthcare for Women in Wellington, Florida.



Dr. Brown-Graham has mentored 2 students in the past 7 years. This year she will meet her third student. She has enjoyed being a part of each of the students' lives.

As she truly believes as Nelson Mandela says "Our children are our greatest treasure. They are our future."

Take Stock News



Inaugural Bridge the Gap 5K

Singer Island | February 22, 2020 | 7:30AM

RUN THE BRIDGE. ACCEPT THE CHALLENGE.

Join us for a beautiful run beginning at Ocean Walk Singer Island! This is a brand new 5K race across the 65 feet high Blue Heron Bridge. This challenging and incredibly scenic

course takes runners up and over the Blue Heron Bridge with views of Peanut Island and the Port of Palm Beach, returning back over the bridge and finishing at Ocean Walk on Singer Island for a pancake breakfast.

ACCUCHIP TIMING| CUSTOM FINISHER MEDALS| 5 YEAR AGE GROUP AWARDS| TECH SHIRTS| PANCAKES| MUSIC

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Vote for Take Stock in Children Palm Beach!



Take Stock in Children Palm Beach has been nominated as a finalist to receive this year's Palm Beach Illustrated's Education Award and we need your help to make that happen! This honor is given to the education program in Palm Beach County that has a significant impact on students' learning and shows a high level of innovation. Click the link below for more information about the award and to cast your vote. Make sure to enter your email for the vote to be counted.

[Vote Here](#)

Mentor Resources

Help your student stay on track this school year.
See our Student Guidelines & Policies
for Scholarship and Academic requirements including the probation process.

[Click here for 2020 Student Guidelines](#)

September Student Discussion Topics

Every month a topic of discussion will be shared with you. We encourage you to reinforce these topics with your mentee.

"What are your successes from last year?" "Area of needed improvement?"

[8th Grade Roadmap](#)

[10th Grade Roadmap](#)

[9th Grade Roadmap](#)

[11th Grade Roadmap](#)

[12th Grade Roadmap](#)

Upcoming Schedule Mentor Lunch and Learn 2019 - 2020

Our state office will send you a link for a prerecorded Mentor Lunch and Learn webinar available each month of the 2019-2020 school year. Each webinar will focus on best practices, current college readiness information and other timely topics to help mentors as they work with their mentees. Topics were selected based on feedback received from the annual end-of-year mentor surveys.

[2019-2020 School Calendar](#)

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