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Helping Palm Beach County  
children grow up  
healthy, safe and strong



## Monday Morning Update March 28, 2022

### [COVID-19 Resources](#)

#### Testing sites, meals sites, health tips and more COVID-19 updates and resources

Children's Services Council has compiled an ongoing list of local resources that Palm Beach County families may find helpful in these uncertain times. [Click here](#) for links to federal, state and local resources and as well as educational resources for your family.

### News

#### **Apply for the Anquan and Dionne Boldin Scholarship**

On an annual basis, The Anquan and Dionne Boldin Scholarship Foundation awards four \$10,000 scholarships over the course of four years to high school graduates. In addition to the financial need, each student must demonstrate academic excellence and show leadership in their community. To learn more about how to apply, [click here](#) to view the application guidelines. The deadline to apply is April 15.

#### **School District of Palm Beach County Scholarship Search**

Looking for money to pay for school? The School District of Palm Beach County can help match you to scholarship money. This is a free scholarship matching service provided by the School District of Palm Beach County. The keyword search is a great place to start if you already know something about the scholarship you are looking for OR enter a little information about yourself to get started. Ask your school counselor for more help in

#### **MLK Drum Major for Justice Advocacy Competition**

The National Bar Association is hosting its annual MLK Drum Major for Justice Advocacy Contest and the Cunningham Bar has agreed to be a regional participant to receive and evaluate essays for Palm Beach County. The essay contest is open to current high school juniors and seniors. All national level competitors will receive a prize for participating in the competition at the national level. First place will receive \$5,000; second place will receive \$3,500; and third place will

finding scholarship money. They can also help you with scholarship applications and other college planning tools. [Click here](#) to learn more.

receive \$2,000. All other national competitors will receive \$500. Essays are due to the Cunningham Bar by **April 1, 2022**. Essays should be emailed to [fmcunninghambar@gmail.com](mailto:fmcunninghambar@gmail.com).

### **Google grants for nonprofits**

Google Ad Grants helps nonprofits share their causes with the world. Google Ad Grants shows your message to people searching for nonprofits like yours. Each qualifying nonprofit has access to up to \$10,000 per month in search ads shown on Google.com. Additional Google Ads may be purchased in a separate account. [Click here](#) to learn more and to apply.

### **Clerk of the Circuit Court & Comptroller's Operation Green Light starts March 28**

The Clerk of the Circuit Court & Comptroller's annual Operation Green Light event is March 28 through April 1. Operation Green Light started with our office in 2014 and has since been adopted by Clerk's offices statewide. During the event, anyone with outstanding traffic tickets or other court fines and fees will have their collection agency fees waived. The original fine and any late fees must still be paid. Waiving collection agency fees can still result in substantial savings for our customers – in some cases, those collection agency fees can be as high as 40%. [Click here](#) to learn more.

### **Children's Services Council Funding Opportunity**

The Children's Services Council of Palm Beach County (CSC) has released a Request for Proposals (RFP #22-002) seeking Proposals from an organization to conduct a mixed methods evaluation to determine the strategies and collaboratives implemented by the Healthy Beginnings System in Palm Beach County that are the most effective in producing positive birth outcomes both overall and by race. The successful Proposer will be awarded an initial agreement that is anticipated to be for a term of one year, with the option of subsequent agreements for varying terms based on the data collected and the results of the initial evaluation. Deadline for proposal submission is **April 7, 2022, by 2:00 p.m.** Those interested in submitting a proposal, [click here](#). Please share this with organizations that might be interested. Certified small, minority, women-owned business enterprises (SBE, MBE, WBE) are encouraged to apply.



## Palm Beach County events for families can be found on the free EveryParent App!

Children's Services Council's free EveryParent app now features weekly 'Things to Do' updates for families with events, activities and adventures from Boca Raton to Belle Glade. The app, which is free to download from the Apple App and Google Play stores, shares at least 10 new Things to Do each week – from free bonfires at Lake Worth Beach to low-cost, hands-on STEM programs in West Palm Beach:

[Learn more!](#)

## Events

### Place of Hope's 6th Annual KDW Fish for Hope Fishing Tournament

Friday, May 13 and Saturday, May 14

Harbourside Place  
200 US-1,  
Jupiter

Place of Hope's 6th Annual KDW Fish for Hope Fishing Tournament is a unique, fun, and laid back, yet competitive fundraising event bringing together over 300 local, active and influential business owners, anglers, philanthropists, and media coverage to support the mission of Place of Hope! They will kick off this weekend tournament with our Captain's Meeting Friday night at Tiki 52, followed by a day out fishing off of Florida's coast, and end with a great awards dinner at Harbourside Place Jupiter. Guests will enjoy exciting raffles, auction items, and giveaways. This 6th Annual Fish for Hope Fishing Tournament will be an exciting fishing tournament directly and

### CROWN Awards with Talented Teen Club

Sunday, June 12

2 - 5:30 p.m.  
Lake Pavilion  
101 S Flagler Dr.,  
West Palm Beach

Talented Teens Club Youth Cosmetology Program along with Salon Café Crowned the day with community leaders, entertainers, entrepreneurs as well as top hairstylists, and advancement for people of color. The inaugural CROWN Awards honored women, girls, and men for their contributions to society, culture, and furthering the tradition of Black beauty. They also celebrated the CROWN Awards celebrates with top Students from South Florida, teen dancers, and singers. The CROWN Awards brought hair, Music, and Culture together to Inspire, Educate and Encourage people to PASS the CROWN. Click here to learn more.

### Jupiter Police Family Autism Day

Saturday, April 23rd from  
10 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Carlin Park West  
400 A1A,  
Jupiter

Join Jupiter Police for a free event with lots of fun, ASD friendly activities. Over 25 local autism resource vendors who will provide information on autism educational awareness, vocational training, behavioral assistance, social skills, support, mentoring, recreational activities and groups, safety, and more. Bounce Houses provided by Jupiter Bounce, petting zoo, yard games, sensory stations and more. [Click here](#) to learn more.

immediately benefitting hundreds of abused children, youth, and families in desperate need throughout Palm Beach. [Click here](#) to learn more.

### **Community Educational Fair with TRIO**

Saturday, April 9  
10 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Palm Beach State College's TRIO Educational Opportunity Centers is hosting an Educational Fair to provide resources for Palm Beach County adults and high school students to reach their postsecondary goals. Participants will get information about multiple programs and can sign up for school the same day. Free food will be provided. [Click here](#) to register.

### **Deliver the Dream Upcoming Programming**

Deliver the Dream is offering the following programs in February:

- Canvas & Connections: Hope at Home, Tuesday, April 19, 2022 6:30 - 8 p.m. via Zoom. A world of your won: showcase your world with this multi-media project.
- Family Retreats (in-person) Veterans and Families Retreat, April 29 - May 1, 2022. Cerveney Conference Center, Live Oak. This retreat is for families who have been impacted by cancer.

[Click here](#) to learn more and to register.

### **17th Annual Turn of the Light National Conference on the Wellbeing of Children and Families**

Monday, April 25  
Palm Beach County Convention Center  
650 Okeechobee Blvd.,  
West Palm Beach

The Turn on the Light National Conference on the Wellbeing of Children and Families is a one-day conference that brings together parents, volunteers and professionals concerned with the welfare of children and families for a full day of educational and networking opportunities. Attend a variety of workshops and presentations focused on child and family health and wellbeing including strategies, research, practices, therapeutic approaches and advocacy. Continuing Education credits are available for many professions. Acquire information and resources about community programs, services and products relevant to children and families from local and national exhibitors and vendors. [Click here](#) to register.

### **Birth to 22 Community Conversations**

March 29 and April 4  
5:30 - 7:30 p.m.  
Virtual

All are invited (youth, young adults, guardians and community partners) to join in on the virtual Birth to 22 Community Conversations. The group will go over the Birth to 22 Action Team's achievements as well as any suggestions for improvement. Topics include:

- Achieve Success in Higher Education

### **SWA Run Away 5K**

Sunday, April 3  
7:30 a.m. race start  
SWA Greenway Trail System and Education Center  
7501 N. Jog Rd.,  
West Palm Beach

The Annual SWA Run AWAY 5K celebrates the harmony of industry and nature with a trail run/walk that brings awareness to recycling and solid waste issues. Held at the Solid Waste Authority of Palm Beach County's Greenway Trail System and Education Center, the course will

### **2022 Nehemiah Action Assembly**

Monday, March 28  
7 p.m.  
Palm Beach County Convention Center  
650 Okeechobee Blvd.,  
West Palm Beach

PEACE (People Engaged in Active Community Efforts) host its annual Nehemiah Action Assembly where they call together a great number of people to do justice. During the event, they will present their research and proven solutions,

- Strengthening Out of School Time (OTS)
- Ensuring Safety and Justice
- Trauma Sensitive Community
- Health and Wellness
- Education to Employment Pathways for Disconnected Youth
- Social Emotional Learning
- Economic Access
- Parenting and Role Models

[Click here](#) to register. For more information, contact PBC Youth Services at 561.242.5713.

take runners AWAY through cabbage palms, cypress hammocks, marshes and lush pine flat woods, with glimpses of Grassy Waters Preserve and the SWA's Renewable Energy Park. [Click here](#) to learn more and to register.

and ask our public officials to take necessary steps to address these serious community problems. This year, the assembly will address affordable housing, community IDs and police-community relations. [Click here](#) to register.

**Heroes 5K benefitting Children's Home Society of Florida**  
Sat., April 9  
7:30 a.m.  
Okeeheliee Park  
7715 Forest Hill Blvd,  
West Palm Beach

Bring the whole family out for a beautiful day at Okeeheliee Park to include a timed run and kids fun run! Not only will you be helping us invest in the future of children in your community, you'll be joining us in honoring our everyday heroes, Palm Beach County firefighters and police. Virtual option also available so you can run anywhere anytime! [Click here](#) to learn more.

**Operation DADucation: Father and Reading program**

Wednesdays 5 - 6 p.m. or 6 - 7 p.m.  
Riviera Beach Library  
2129 N. Congress Ave.,  
Riviera Beach

Fathers are teachers, too! Join Operation DADucation, a father /child reading program at the Riviera Beach Library! Stop by with your child for a time of fun, learning and bonding. Open to all Riviera Beach fathers and father figures. Call or email for further information: 561.229.2329 or [sgordon@bgcpbc.org](mailto:sgordon@bgcpbc.org).

**West Palm Beach Center for Art and Technology: Free Youth Development Digital and Visual Arts Program**

Tuesdays and Thursdays  
3:30 - 5:30 p.m.  
801 N. Railroad Ave.,  
West Palm Beach

Access FREE youth development digital and visual arts programs! Program benefits include community service hours, help create murals and installations in an artistic friendly space and learn about digital and visual arts, photography and film (TikTok). [Click here](#) to learn more and to register.

## Trainings

### Upcoming trainings with the Center for Child Counseling

The Center of Child Counseling is hosting the online on-demand trainings below. Their trainers

**Operationalizing Perinatal Equity, Quality and Safety in Materno-toxic Zones - Every Person, Every Time**  
Tuesday, April 26  
11 a.m. - 1 p.m.

### Upcoming CSC trainings

Virtual

Children's Services Council will host the upcoming online trainings

have a wealth of experience, knowledge, and formal training in a wide array of best practice and evidence-based interventions for young children, their families, and caregivers:

- Healthy Babies, Healthy Children, Healthy Life: A Symposium on Demand
- Self-Regulation for the Classroom and Beyond
- Showing Affection During the Pandemic
- Implementing Effective Transitions for Children
- Integrating Mindfulness into Daily Routines
- Creating a Calm Down Corner
- Beating Burnout for Teachers
- The Power of Co-Regulation
- Calming Down for High Energy Children
- Promoting Engagement for Withdrawn Children
- Supporting Empathy Development
- Separation Anxiety
- Stress and the Pandemic
- The Power of Play
- Supporting Social-Emotional Development in Children
- Mindful Parenting
- Promoting Resilience
- ACEs: Trauma to Resilience

[Click here](#) to learn more.

### Virtual using Zoom

As defined by the National Perinatal Task Force (NPTF), a materno-toxic area is any area where it is unsafe to be pregnant, breastfeeding or parenting. Jennie Joseph has dedicated her career to addressing these areas and to promoting respect and safety for all perinatal women. In this workshop, you'll learn to describe the effect of racial disparities in perinatal outcomes on all members of society, including yourself as a provider and on other community stakeholders—while simultaneously exploring current approaches to eliminating these disparities. [Click here](#) to register.

through the end of the calendar year:

- Lunch and Learn with T. Leroy Jefferson Medical Society, through May 11
- Intersection of Domestic Violence, Mar. 16
- Symposium Series: Autism and Cultural Considerations, through Apr. 21
- Cultural Humanity, through April 7
- Compassion Fatigue: Power of Positivity, through Aug. 11
- Community Trauma and Systemic Thinking webinar, Mar. 30
- Substance Abuse Signs, Prevention and Clinical Tools, Mar. 28 - May 24
- Reflective Supervision, May 12 - Aug. 5
- Mindful Movement and Meditation June 3 and July 1
- Trauma-Informed Organizations July 5 - Aug. 26

[Click here](#) to view more information about these trainings and additional trainings to come.

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## Additional Resources

[Visit the CSC website](#)

[CSC Employment](#)

[CSC Provider Agency Employment](#)

[Search for Trainings](#)

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## Do you have information for the MMU?

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

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