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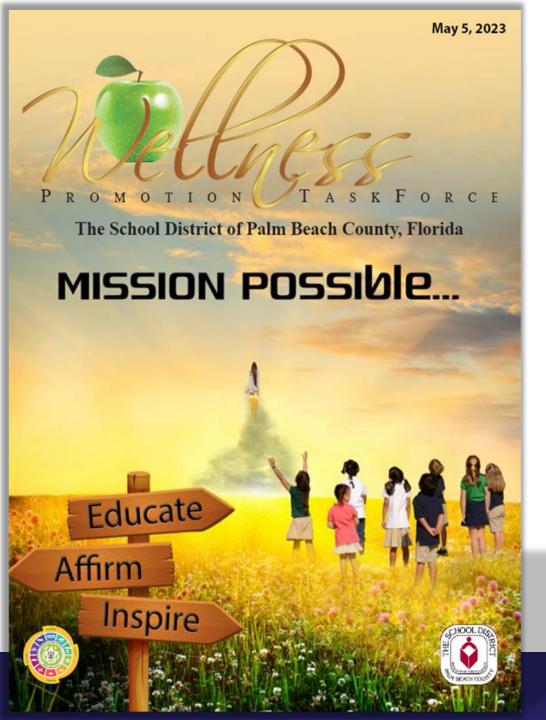
Keysto Wellness 🖞

Wellness Promotion Task Force

May 5, 2023

HYBRID Meeting





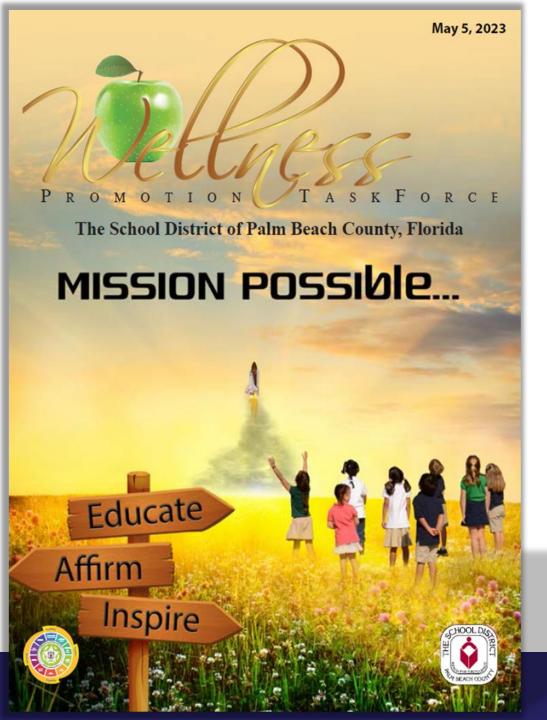


Welcome

Allison Monbleau

School Food Service Director







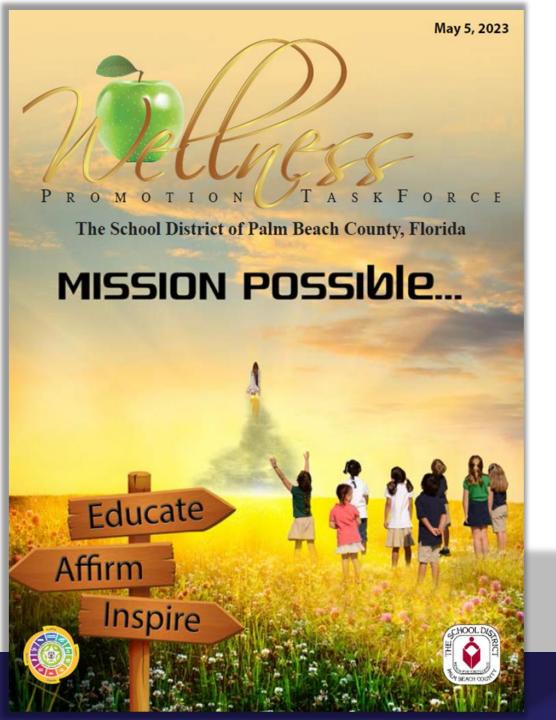
Pledge of Allegiance

BAK Middle School of the Arts

Communications Art Students









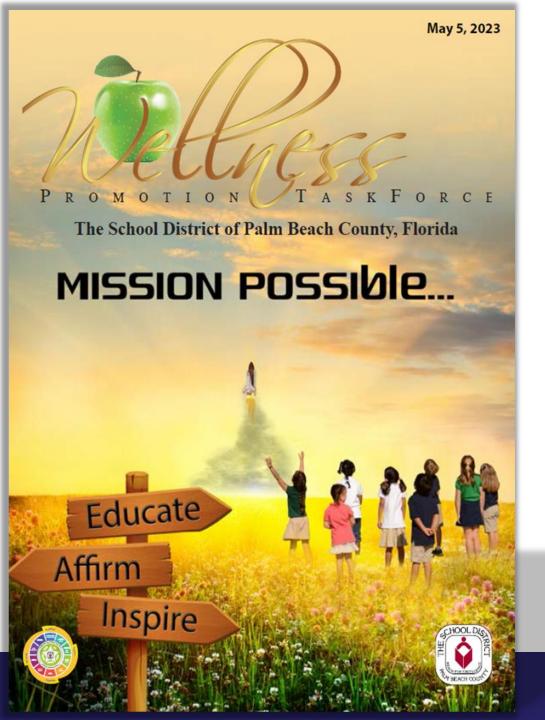
The Star-Spangled Banner National Anthem

H. L. Johnson Elementary

Aleah Bonitto, Madison Johns, Sarah Clarke, Rory Barfield, Bella Davis, and Jayla Georges



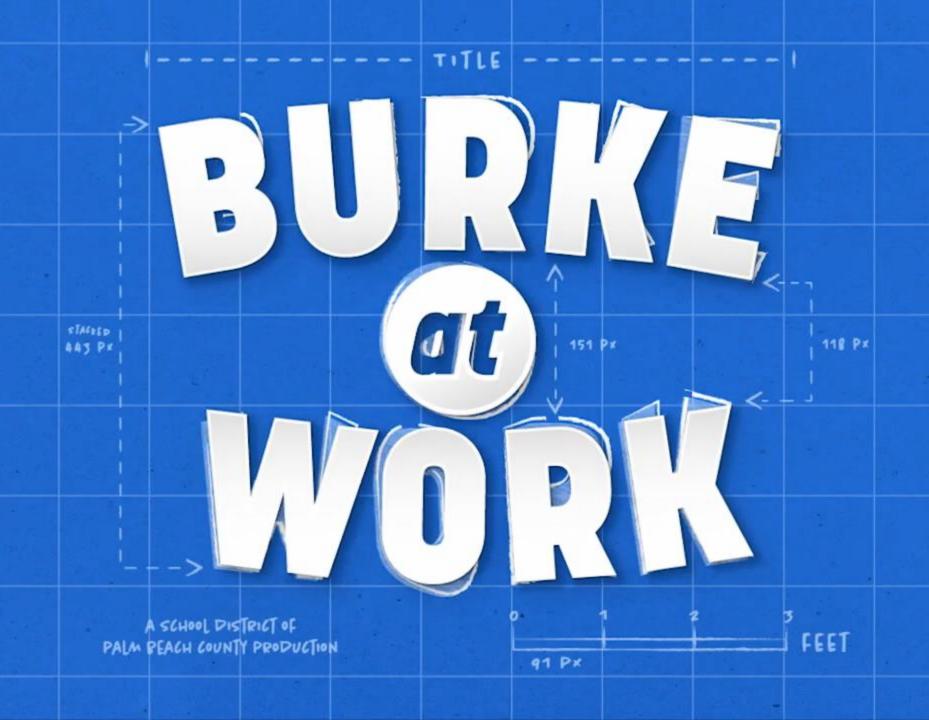


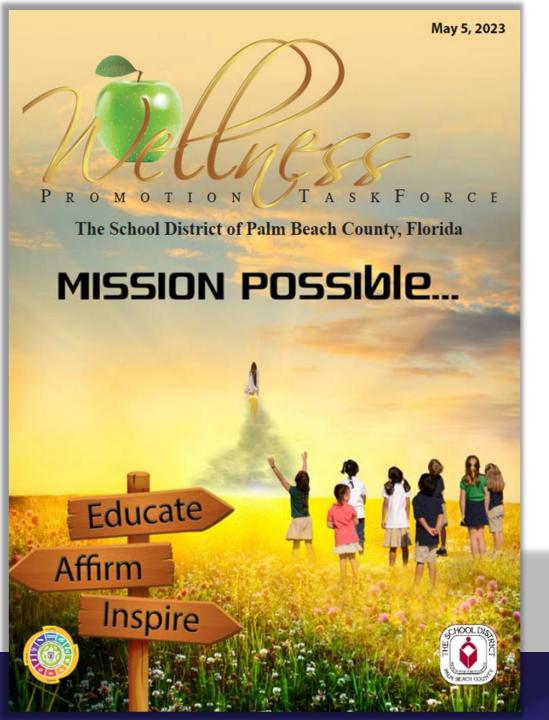




Michael J. Burke
Superintendent



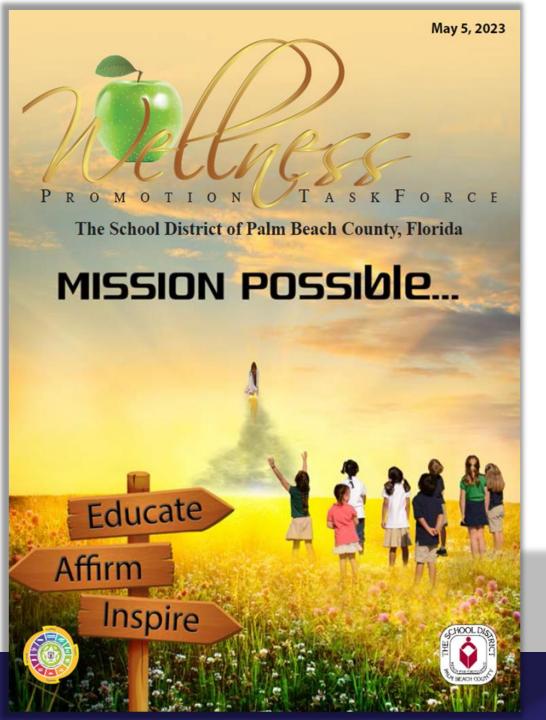






Frank A. Barbieri, Jr., Esq.
School Board Chairman – District 5



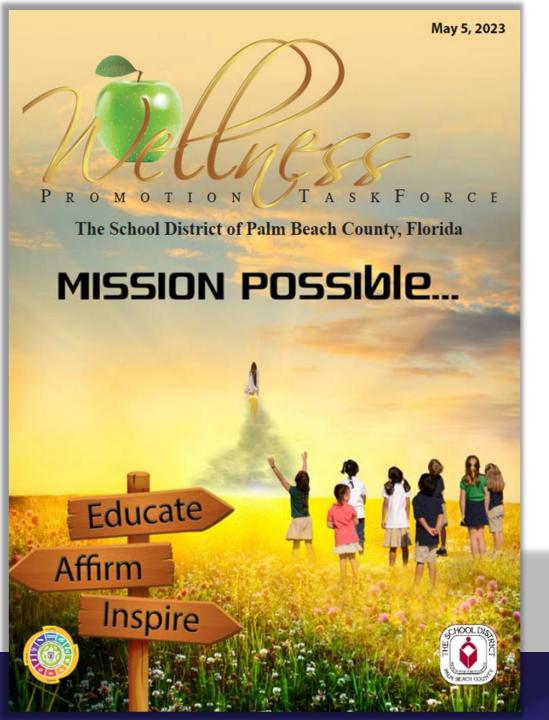




Edwin Ferguson, Esq.

School Board – District 7



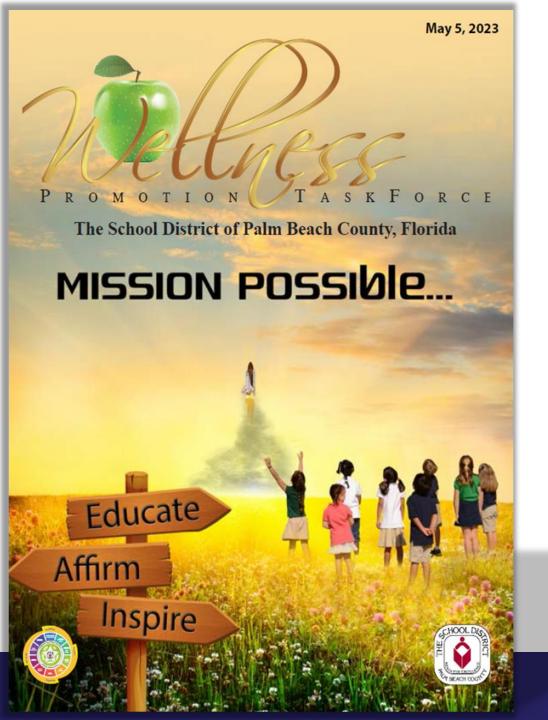




Marcia Andrews

School Board – District 6







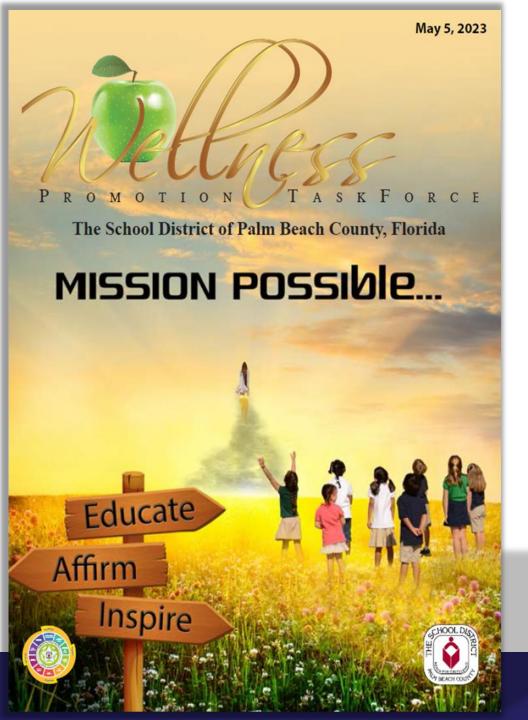


FIRST TIME ATTENDEE

Virtual Attendees

MORE OF EVERYTHING YOU WANT FOR YOUR CHILD







Dr. Seth B. Bernstein

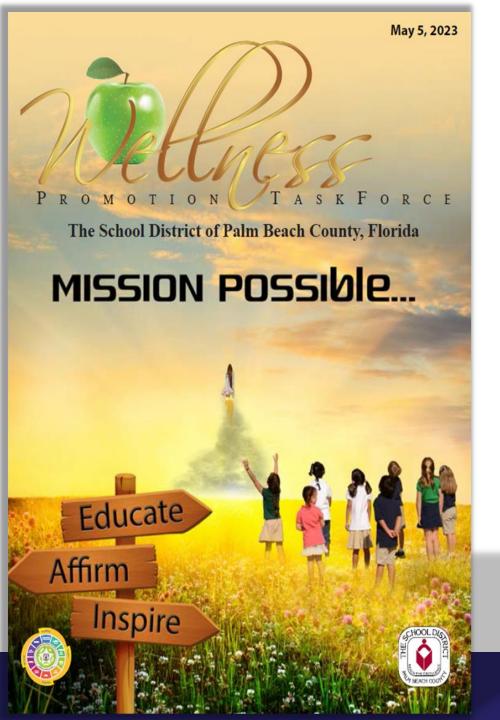
Executive Vice President of Community Investments United Way of Palm Beach County













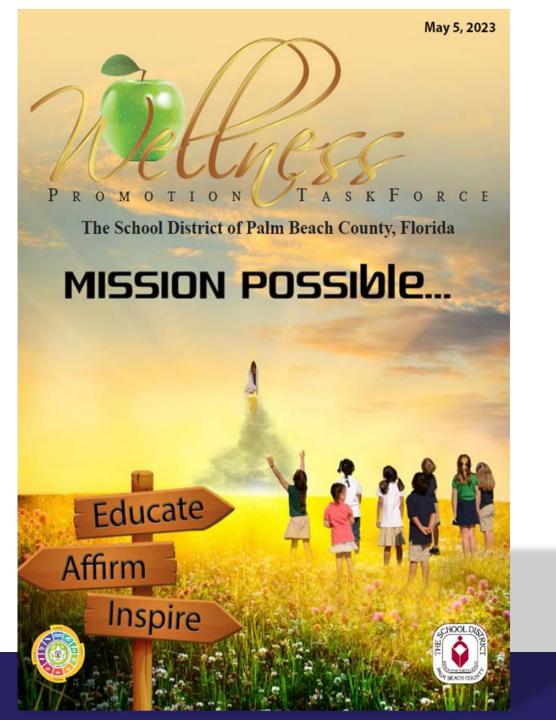
Wellness Promotion Updates...



Paula Triana

Wellness Promotion Manager













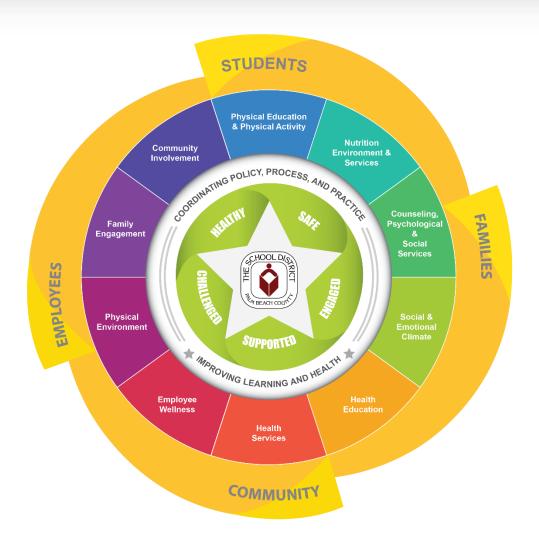






MORE OF
EVERYTHING YOU
WANT FOR
YOUR CHILD
PALM BEACH COUNTY SCHOOLS
Your BEST Choice!

High-performing A-rated District



Whole School, Whole Community,
Whole Child...
District's WSCC Model 10 Components:

- Physical Education & Physical Activity
- Nutrition Environment & Services
- Counseling, Psychological, & Social Services
- Social & Emotional Climate
- Health Education
- Health Services
- Employee Wellness
- Physical Environment
- Family Engagement
- Community Involvement

Whole School, Whole Community, Whole Child Culture...





High-performing A-rated District



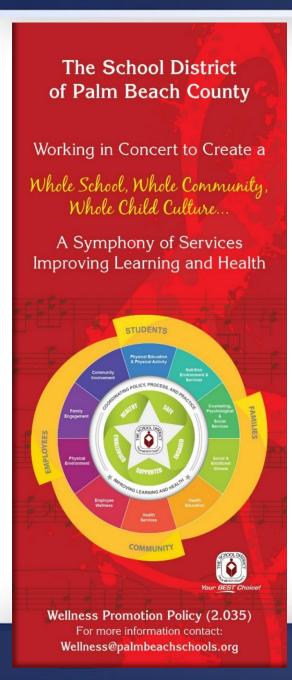


"Putting It All Together the WSCC Way in Palm Beach County"

2022 National Conference on Child Health and Well-Being Chicago, Illinois
November 3, 2022







"Putting It All Together the WSCC Way in Palm Beach County"

Panelists:

- Paula Triana, RDN, LDN, Wellness Promotion Manager, School Food Service Department
- Eric Stern, K-12 Physical, Health, and Driver Ed. Administrator, Teaching & Learning Division
- Allison Monbleau, SNS, Director, School Food Service Department
- Mary Claire Mucenic, PhD, NCSP, Director, Behavioral and Mental Health Department
- Robert Grossman, Middle School Counseling Program Planner, Teaching & Learning Division
- Pete Stewart, MPH, CPH, Health Education Specialist, Teaching & Learning Division
- Carlye Fabrikant, MS, CWP, Wellness Coordinator, Risk & Benefits Management Department
- Nicole Blackson, Environmental Specialist,
 Environmental & Conservation Services Department



High-performing A-rated District



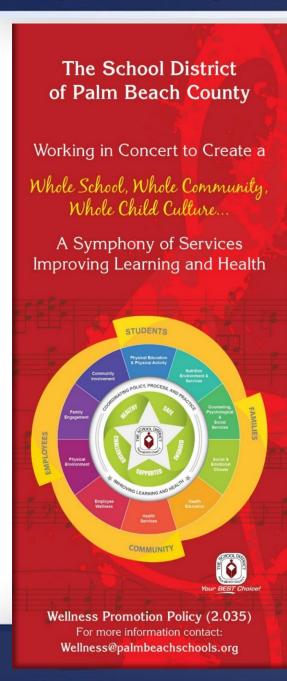


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School Health Advisory Council (SHAC) February 9, 2023







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- Robert Grossman, Middle School Counseling Program Planner, Teaching & Learning Division
- Pete Stewart, MPH, CPH, Health Education Specialist, Teaching & Learning Division
- Karla Berlingeri, RN, Health Services Specialist, Equity & Wellness Division
- Carlye Fabrikant, MS, CWP, Wellness Coordinator,
 Risk & Benefits Management Department Chief Financial Office
- Nicole Blackson, Environmental Specialist,
 Environmental & Conservation Services Department Operations Division
- Javier Ortolaza, Welcome Center Specialist,
 Multicultural Education Department Equity & Wellness Division



Wellness Promotion Collaboration Team (WPCT)...







Mission:

To promote a culture of emotional, social, and physical wellness throughout the District where healthy decisions are made by all students, staff, parents, and the community.

Purpose:

To positively impact staff and students' lives by promoting wellness and implementing coordinated wellness strategies throughout the District.





High-performing A-rated District

STUDENTS Healthy Physical Education & Physical Activity School Teams VO LEARNING AND VIL COMMUNITY

Whole School, Whole Community, Whole Child (WSCC) Model

HUB - HST

Food Fundraising Guidelines

Healthy School Teams

School Points of Contact List

Food Fundraising Tracking Form

Annual Compliance Requirements

Smart Snacks - Approved Snack List

Smart Snacks - Approved Beverage List

Smart Snack Calculator

Wellness Promotion Policy

WPTF Newsletter Archives

Contact Us



WSCC Bulletins – Communication is Essential...

Ten (10) WSCC Components:

- Physical Education & Physical Activity 3
- Nutrition Environment & Services 8
- Counseling, Psychological & Social Services 15
- Social Emotional Climate 5
- Health Education 0
- Health Services 10
- Employee Wellness 2
- Physical Environment 8
- Family Engagement 1
- Community Involvement 5

Comprehensive WPP(2.035)/WSCC Assessment – 1

Bulletins FY23
WSCC Components

Comprehensive VIII (2.000)/VVCCC Assessment

FY23: WSCC Components Bulletins (58): <u>July 1, 2022 – May 3, 2023</u>





WPTF Newsletters since COVID-19:

'Wellness Promotion: District & Community Updates'





Keysto Wellness⁹

* District & Community Updates

Thank YOU All!



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Dear Friend of Wellness,

These are quite challenging and delicate times we are living in since the Public Health Pandemic of COVID-19 has taken over our lives. On behalf of the District's Wellness Promotion Task Force (WPTF), we wanted to of our Superintendent, Dr. Donald E. Fennoy, reassure each one of you, that you are not please d o not confuse working from a alone, and together we can overcome these distance with wo rking alone.

embracing our Whole School, Whole It is important that we all maintain physical Community. Whole Child (WSCC) distancing right now because that is the safe Culture. We are blessed to live in such a and responsible thing to do. However, keep caring county that focuses on lifting each in mind to give love to one another.

If you are in need of any assistance and/or support, please click the "Let's Connect" button on the right side to send us a

With kindest regards,

VIRTUAL LEARNING



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Welcome Back and Happy 2nd Week of Virtual Learning!

March 31, 2020 was the first day of distancelearning for all students of The School District of Palm Beach County. In the words

We are all in this together! Do not be afraid Every day we continue creating and of change as change is what makes us grow.

> Thank you to everyone that is making this new adventure a SUCCESS!

> > Let's Connect

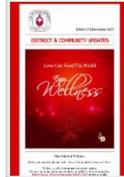




















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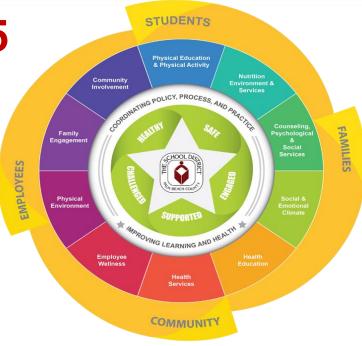
Wellness Promotion Policy 2.035

Evaluation and Measurements

- Triennial Progress Assessment (annually)
- Wellness Promotion Policy Annual Report

Informing the Public

 Provide Wellness Promotion Policy information and updates to students, parents, and staff, and the community, as applicable.







Wellness Promotion Policy – Required School Assessment: Whole School, Whole Community, Whole Child (WSCC) Model



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SUBJECT:

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Wellness Promotion Policy (2.035)
Working in Concert to create a

Whole School, Whole Community, Whole Child Culture...

A Symphony of Services Improving Learning and Health



Section 1 of 11

FY23 Wellness Promotion Policy (2.035) - REQUIRED SCHOOL ASSESSMENT

Directions: This comprehensive assessment is intended to collect information about your school's implementation progress of the District's <u>Wellness Promotion Policy (2.035)</u>.

This Policy strengthens a unified and collaborative effort of promoting and improving learning and health, and supports the principles of the "Whole School, Whole Community, Whole Child" (WSCC) model. This required assessment tool incorporates questions from each of the ten WSCC components (refer to image below) that are vital for positive results in learning and health for our students and our staff of The School District of Palm Beach County.

If you cannot complete the entire form at once, responses can be changed after being submitted.

Thank you for your commitment and time on this task.



100% of participation from all schools

WPP School Assessment (WSCC 71 Questions)
HERE







Looking To The Future ... Wellness Promotion Policy Annual Reports...

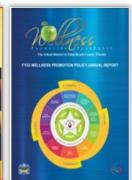


























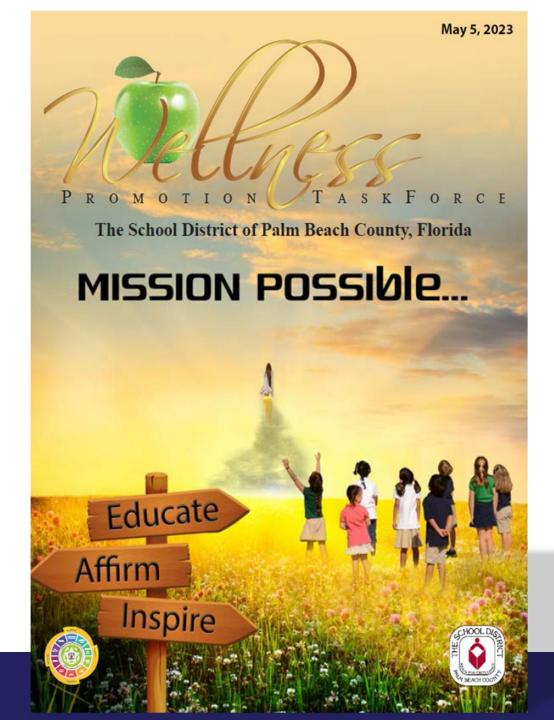


I Say YES!...Global Wellness Day! June 10, 2023





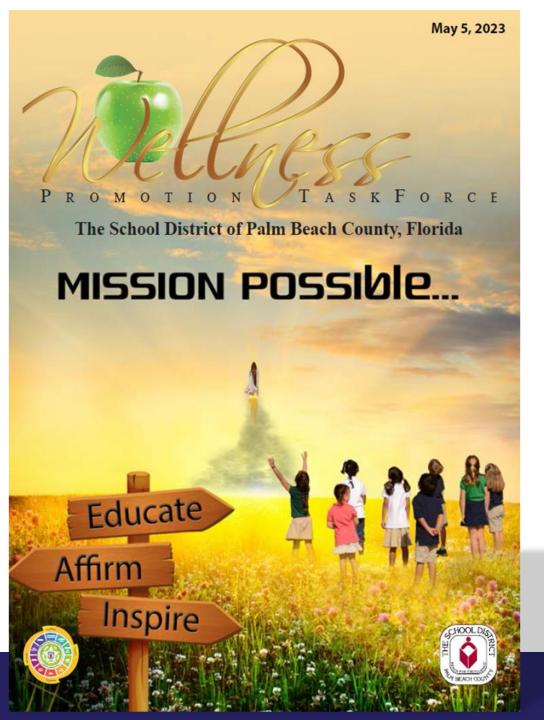






Presentation, Dancers & Regions WSCC Remarks...







The Strategic Plan & YOU

Jay Boggess
Chief of Staff



Strategic Plan 2022-202

The Strategic Plan & YOU

Wellness Promotion Task Force

EDUCATE AFFIRM NSPIRE

2022



2023

May 5, 2023

Presenter: Yvette McLean-Pilliner, Strategic Management Director

Annick Charlot, Strategic Management Manager Barbie Brown, Strategic Management Specialist

Agenda Mission

District Foundational Documents

- Vision
- **Equity Statement**
- Core Beliefs

Why?

- **Organizational Transformation**
- Stakeholders Voices

Implementation Phase

- Where are we now?
- **Current Projects**



Strategic

Plan 2022-202

Mission Statement

The mission of the School District of Palm Beach County is to educate, affirm, and inspire each student in an equity-embedded school system.





Vision Statement

We envision...

The School District of Palm Beach County is an educational and working environment, where both students and staff are unimpeded by bias or discrimination. Individuals of all backgrounds and experiences are embraced, affirmed, and inspired. Each and every one will succeed and flourish.

The School District of Palm Beach County will take ownership for students' academic mastery, emotional intelligence, and social-emotional needs by creating environments where students, families, staff, and communities will develop agency and voice.

A joy of learning is fostered in each student and a positive vision for their future is nurtured. Each student's cultural heritage is valued, and their physical, emotional, academic, and social needs are met.

...WE SEE YOU.





Equity Statement

The School District of Palm Beach County is committed to creating safe, equitable and inclusive learning environments that ensure students have what they need to be successful in life.

The School District of Palm Beach County will provide each student – regardless of race, ethnicity, economic status, disability, national origin, religious affiliation, gender identity or sexual orientation – access to any and all opportunities, resources and support they need to develop agency, voice and achieve their dreams.

The School District of Palm Beach County will embrace, celebrate and honor our students, families, staff and community members and their unique cultural histories, while ensuring each student achieves personal, academic and sustainable success.







We believe:

- Every student can learn and is capable of growth and success.
- Every student is deserving of programs and opportunities that match their needs and interests.
- We all have a role in student success.
- High expectations for both students and employees will promote high performance.
- Investing in our employees is an investment in their ability to serve our students.
- Diversity makes our community stronger and must be celebrated and fostered.
- Palm Beach County Schools are the community's best choice, and we must prove that each day with an unwavering commitment to prioritizing the needs of our students.



2022-2027 STRATEGIC PLAN



Strategic Theme A ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE & GROWTH

OBJECTIVE A1

Ensure all students engage in teaching and learning that results in academic excellence

Initiative A.1a

Ensure consistent and effective literacy instruction in every PreK — 3rd grade classroom

Initiative A.1b

Strengthen career pathway opportunities and coordinate choice programs to ensure all students identify, understand, and prepare for careers aligned to their interests

OBJECTIVE A2

Accelerate student learning using innovative and differentiated approaches

Initiative A.2a

Implement innovative learning approaches including acceleration options in all four core subjects, project-based learning, and authentic assessment

OBJECTIVE A3

Improve equitable participation in programs and resources

Initiative A.3a

Define the essential characteristics of the future Palm Beach County Schools graduate in collaboration with our community, and align learning opportunities for all students

Strategic Theme B STUDENT-FOCUSED CULTURE

OBJECTIVE B1

Increase student voice and choice in educational experiences

Initiative B.1a

Establish formal structures for students to influence decisions at each school and the District

OBJECTIVE B2

Increase family engagement in supporting student success

Initiative B.2a

Create a tailored hub to help students and families navigate District processes to achieve their educational goals

Strategic Theme C MENTAL HEALTH & WELLNESS

OBJECTIVE C1

Enhance a sense of belonging, safety, and acceptance for all students

Initiative C.1a

Implement a District-wide system to ensure every student has a positive relationship with at least one adult at school and is recognized for their achievements

OBJECTIVE C2

Increase comprehensive support for student and employee well-being

Initiative C.2a

Coordinate systems to assess needs for mental health and well-being, align resources, and deliver the intervention/support for those needs

Initiative C.2b

Implement practices to recognize and better support students who have experienced trauma in their lives

Initiative C.2c

Expand mental health and wellness peer support programs available to employees

Strategic Theme D COMMITTED & IMPACTFUL EMPLOYEES

OBJECTIVE D1

Ensure all employees have the environment, support, skills, and resources for excellence

Initiative D.1a

Create employee-designed approaches to improve job satisfaction, loyalty, and retention

Initiative D.1b

Evaluate the alignment of job descriptions and actual role responsibilities, and adjust as needed to foster employee success and effective/efficient use of resources

OBJECTIVE D2

Ensure all employees are committed to effective practices and performance expectations centered on students

Initiative D.2a

Create a culture of customer service excellence among employees

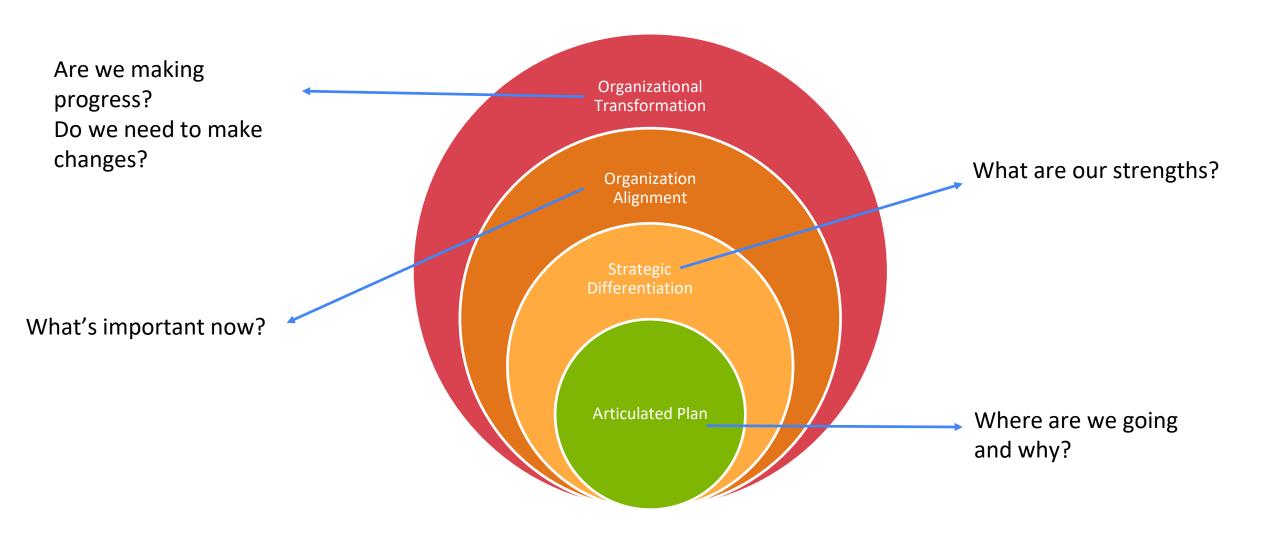
Board Approved Strategic Plan August 3, 2022

What is Strategic Planning?

Strategic planning is a process in which an organization's leaders and stakeholders define their vision for the future and identify their organization's goals and objectives.



What's different as a result of our strategic plan 12 months from now?



What would you do, know, or experience if you were educated?

Continue education and attain degrees

Set and achieve life goals

Expand opportunities and quality of life

Job opportunities

Respectful, humble, accepting, aware

"Book Smart == Educated"

Communicate properly, intellectually, articulately

Understand business and finance

Help and advise others

Confidence. leadership

Understand current events

Connected to different people and cultures

Navigate racial insensitivity, how to live in a White world

Independence

Apply high school class information to real life

What would you do, know, or experience if you were affirmed?

Know that I am genuinely okay as a person, accepted, included

Confident, overcome anxiety, positive, able to hold your own

Grounded

Stand up for someone, know how to lift others, offer emotional support "What does affirm mean?"

Resilient, stay strong, see negative things clearly, overcome challenges

Trust

Treated like anyone else, equality

Supported, happy, encouraged

Seen, heard

Recognized, positive feedback, acknowledged

Experience success

What would you do, know, or experience if you were inspired?

Growth mindset, resilient, persistent; experience failures, obstacles, doubt

Motivated, drive, goaloriented, resourceful, do better in life, passionate, determined, dedicated

"Motivated to do anything you put your mind to"

Accepting and safe environment, not worried about passing and being accepted

Improve your community, make the world a better place, advocate for social issues, domino effect

Have a purpose, cause

get ideas from others

Influenced, look up to someone you admire,

Creative, forward thinker, constantly educate themselves, enthusiasm

Personal growth, strive to make better choices; healthy relationships with people, food, wellness, finances

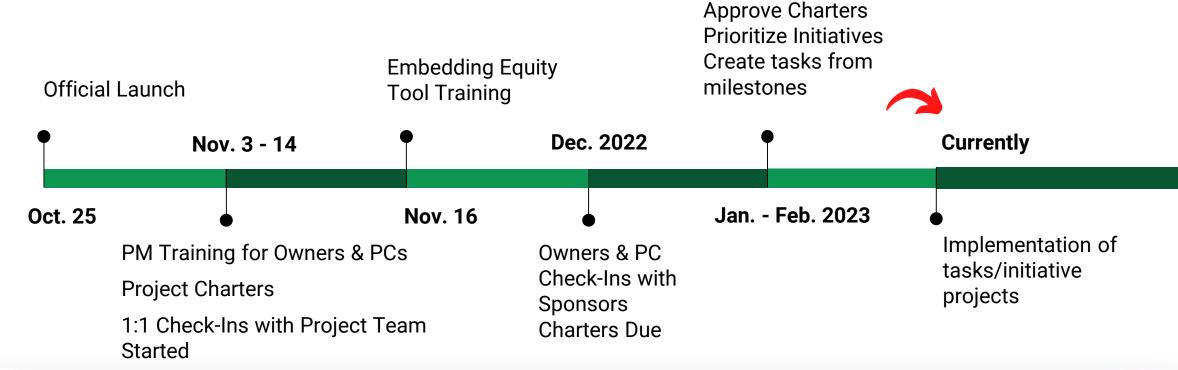
Focus on learning rather than the grade

Total Thoughts and Ratings 24,860

Thought Exchange Participation		Student- centered culture	Academic excellence and acceleration	Mental health and wellness	Committed and impactful employees
Thoughts and Ratings		14,832	2,596	2,704	4,728
Participant Role	Student	5%	5%	5%	2%
	Parent/Guardian	49%	46%	39%	33%
	Teacher	33%	39%	33%	50%
	School Administrator	5%	6%	8%	3%
	Other School Employee	9%	6%	13%	9%
	District-Level Employee	6%	4%	7%	7%
	None of the Above	2%	2%	6%	4%

Where are we now?









Strategic Plan Themes 2022 - 2027



Academic Excellence and Growth



Mental Health and Wellness



Student-Focused Culture



Committed and Impactful Employees





Current	Projects

THEME A	- Academic	Excellence	and Growth

Implement use of high-quality instructional materials K-5

Collaborate with ELC to improve kindergarten readiness

Develop a comprehensive plan to improve existing Choice and Career programs and develop new programs aligned with local labor market demand

Increase opportunities for high school students to enroll in career dual enrollment prior to graduation

Establish community experiences standardized across identified grade levels

Strengthen and promote partnerships with our business partners

Pathway, Student Acceleration Academic Support Plan, Student Acceleration Success Measures

Develop and implement student acceleration pathways, Advanced Placement Pathway, AICE

PBL Pathway of Progression for School Readiness, PBL Network of Schools

THEME B - Student-Focused Culture

Develop formal structures to advance student's voice

Transitioned to new student portal

Transitioned to new District website

Create new parent portal

Define the essential characteristics of the Palm Beach Schools' graduate

Current Projects

THEME C - Mental Health and Wellness	THEME D - Committed and Impactful Employees
Develop a District-wide framework to formally match each student to one trusted adult on campus	Design and implement a Job Satisfaction and Retention Resource Center to support leaders
Develop a tracking system for student support	Develop a professional learning series (onboarding process) for supervisors that manage human capital
Implement a Mental/Behavioral Health Quality Assessment Tool for schools to assess the current state of programs/services and identify gaps in supports/services	Develop District Civility Policy
Implement Universal Trauma-informed Care to guide the District's practices in providing a safe place where our students, parents, and staff feel safe, supported, and empowered	Create pre and recurring annual customer satisfaction surveys for students & parents
Develop a yearly campaign for Mental Health Month	Support the District brand of "Your Best Choice" with content related to customer service
Create a mental health Voluntary Employee Resource Group	
Create a police wellness/mental health group	



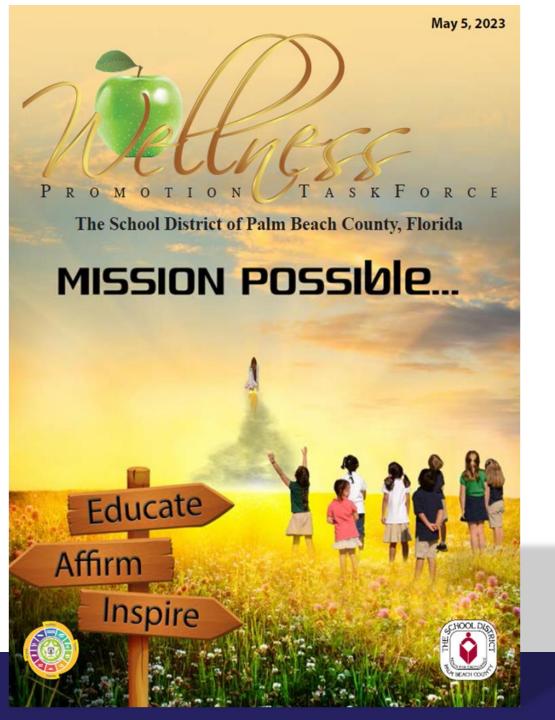


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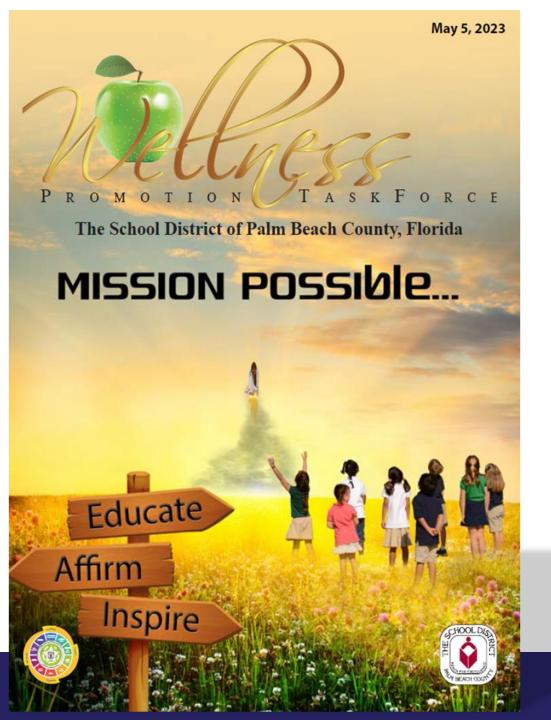
Students Dance Performance

Ronda Smith & Andrée Pun

Plumosa School of the Arts K-8









WSCC Through the Regions

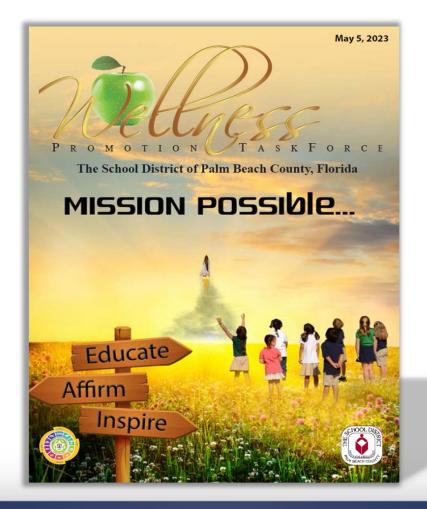
Sabrina Higley

Instructional Support Team Leader Central Region





Awards & Recognition













RISE – Resilience In School Environments...

Presenters: Carlye Fabrikant, Employee Wellness Coordinator Charlette English-Wright, Assistant Wellness Coordinator





RISE (Resilience in School Environments) Schools:

Atlantic Community High
Boca Raton Community Middle
Loxahatchee Groves Elementary
Manatee Elementary
Northboro Elementary
Palm Beach Gardens Elementary
Polo Park Middle
Spanish River Community High
West Boca Raton Community High

















Wellness Champion Superheroes...

Presenters: Carlye Fabrikant, Employee Wellness Coordinator Charlette English-Wright, Assistant Wellness Coordinator







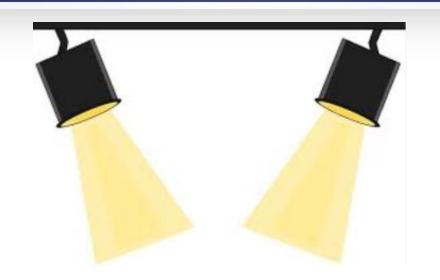
FY23 WELLNESS CHAMPION SUPERHERO AWARDS



Juliette Franklin, Crossroads Academy
Karen Miller, Accounting
Margaux Tome, Palm Springs Community Middle
Tamara Bejarano, Bak Middle School of the Arts
Vari Seenath, Santaluces Community High









Wellness Spotlight...

Presenters: Carlye Fabrikant, Employee Wellness Coordinator Charlette English-Wright, Assistant Wellness Coordinator





FY23 WELLNESS SPOTLIGHT AWARDS

Solange Dawson, Hidden Oaks K-8 Nicole Pero, Loggers' Run Community Middle

















CPR - AED Superhero...

Presenters: Eric Stern, K-12, Physical, Health, and Driver Education Administrator Eileen Tirado, Adapted Physical Education Resource Teacher Amie Schneider, Physical Education Resource Teacher





Superhero...Mr. Jady Hill ©



2/1/2023 "I had a student have a heart attack on the soccer field. Called it in on my walkie and started CPR by myself for 7-8 minutes. Got him back but lost him again. My Athletic Director ran to get the AED out and we implemented it. Got a heart beat and EMS arrived a minute later. HE'S ALIVE! Get your PE Team trained!"

"I started the compressions and we got the AED right away. Shaved a lot minutes off. We gave EMS a kid with a heart beat!"

"I'm ok emotionally. I gave it my best. No pulse and unresponsive. Big kid. Flipped him over and called for help and killed the compressions. Doctor says I saved his life!..." Jady Hill



"THANK YOU MR. JADY HILL PALM BEACH COUNTY SUPERHERO!"...Mom









"We are so proud of you - Mr. Jady Hill - you make a difference in all your students and go beyond to save their lives."...the Palm Beach County School District & the American Heart Association





Pictured:
Molly Hietapelto
Jay Hill
Erica Whitfield
Eric Stern















Healthy Meals Advocate...

Presenters: Allison Monbleau, School Food Service Director

Jamie McCarthy, Nutrition Services Manager Chef Thomas Occhipinti, Catering Coordinator















Chef Vincent Risi... Vincent Risi...





Fresh Meal Delivery Program



Hungry For a Delicious QUICK & EASY LUNCH?

Pre-order your meals Ordering cut-off 12:00 noon for next day delivery

Easy on-line Menu Ordering Guaranteed Service & Delivery Time Different Items Each Week To Choose From Lunches Stored in the Employee Lounge/Refrigerators Lunch Reward Program - Order 10 Lunches, Receive One Free Lunch

Learn More: www.cognitoforms.com/PBCSD1/bistroorderform



Learn More: https://palmbeach.schoolcashonline.com/





















Featured Healthy Recipes

White Bean and Spinach Soup
Crustless Quiche
Turkey Burger on WG Bun with Baked Sweet
Potato Fries
Overnight Oats
Bean Salad











Garden Spotlights...

Presenter: Jamie McCarthy, Nutrition Services Manager









Celebrating Community Gardens...







illuminating young minds through Entrepreneurship

Veleké Brown, CEO/Founder E-RoadMap & Operation No Food Gap

JFK Community Garden













Celebrating School Gardens









The Garden of Dreams

Linda Moreno
Executive Director
Keep Palm Beach County
Beautiful, Inc.





A 501(c)(3) non-profit that serves as Palm Beach County, Florida's certified non-profit affiliate of Keep America Beautiful.

At Keep Palm Beach County Beautiful Inc., we believe that individuals can make a positive difference in the appearance and sustainability of our community.

Mission: to enhance the quality of life in Palm Beach County through programs and partnerships that encourage public agencies, private entities, residents and visitors to reduce litter and waste, increase recycling, beautify, sustain and maintain public spaces, and inspire generations of environmental stewards.



Focus Areas:

- Community Greening and Beautification
- Environmental Education and Stewardship
- Litter Prevention
- Recycling and Waste Reduction













Garden of Dreams

- Engages your senses
- Provides a safe space to retreat
- Encourages Relaxation
- Allows you to Recharge
- Rejuvenates your spirit

Native Gardens

- Attract birds, butterflies and other insects
- Sustain a living ecosystem
- Provides a platform for children to learn about nature

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Thank you for your commitment to the environment!











Celebrating School Gardens



Presenters:
Susan Hahn and Ashley Zook

Eagles Landing Middle







A place to unwind, enjoy nature, and learn about helping the Everglades.









This all started because of the **Everglades** Champions in Action program! Students applied for a grant to get a native plant garden installed in our courtyard and they got it! Visitors can scan the code to learn about helping the **Everglades!**





Plant	Butterfly	General Description	Picture
Parsley(host plant)	Black Swallowtail butterflies	Male: black with a broad yellow submarginal band and a row of yellow marginal spots. Female: black with yellow submarginal band reduced or absent; hindwing with increased blue	
		scaling.	
Plant	Rutterfly	General Description	Picture

Plant	Butterfly	General Description	Picture
Rosemary(host plant)	White Butterfly	-Male and female: bright white color with black tips to the forewing, extending down the wing edge, the undersides are a creamy white with 2 spots. -Females have 2 spots on the forewings while males don't	





The garden is utilized in many ways:

- -Guidance counselors take students outside that need a little break.
 - -Teachers bring their classes out for brain breaks.
- -The student government has students assigned to help maintain and promote the garden. A student is even working on butterfly signs for each plant.
- -The National Junior Honor society students earn community service hours for helping maintain the garden.
 - -Teachers come out on their breaks to enjoy the sounds and sun.



There are many ways that the Garden of Dreams monthly mindsets are promoted school wide. For the month of November, Students and Staff participated in a door decorating contest to show what "Gratitude" means to them.

Below are the winners!











To promote Decembers Mindset of "kindness", students were able to purchase kindness grams to send to friends and staff to spread Kindness.





To promote January's Mindset of "Vision", students had the opportunity to make vision boards





Join Ms. Zook and Ms. Morin every Wednesday starting Wednesday, 11/02/2022, @ 9am in the Garden of Dreams for a midweek mindfulness group

- Increase self-esteem
- Learn new coping skills
- Socialize with peers

Stop by Ms. Zook (rm 183) to sign up and for a morning pass







The earlier and more often children are exposed to nature, the happier, healthier, and brighter they become.













WPTV T.A. Walker, Nada Cory, and Hammock Pointe Elementary

Gardens of Hope "Shining a Light" on Student Health

Presenters: Nada Cory, Founder/President, Joseph P Cory Foundation

Lisa Richman, Joseph P Cory Foundation





WPTV STUDIOS



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GROWING MINDS THROUGH GARDENING

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"Shining a Light" On Student Health

In recognition of the WPTV's segment "Shining A Light".

2023 Gardens of Hope Honorees

Mrs. Holly Nilsen
Principal Stephanie Cook
Mrs. Carri Jones Gallagher







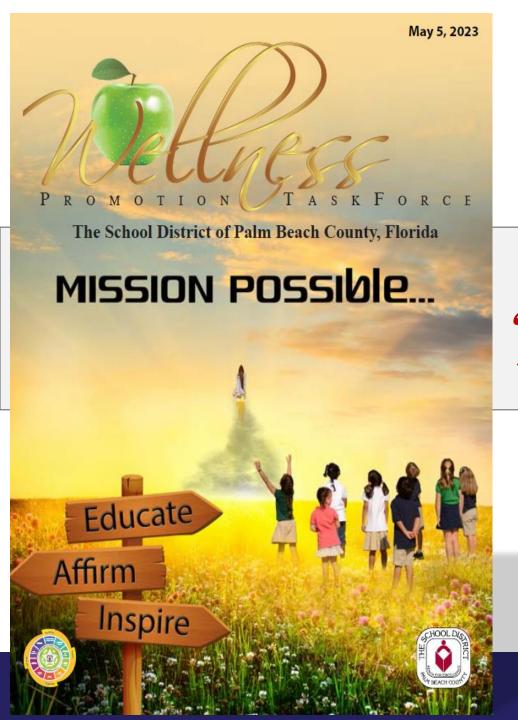
Congratulations for "Growing it Forward".

By supporting and participating in Gardens of Hope, you impact student health, one seed at a time!



Nada Maria Cory, Founder & President







"Lifetime Award for Child and Youth Mental Health Advocacy"

Presenters: Keith Oswald, Chief of Equity and Wellness

Dr. Mary Claire Mucenic – Behavioral and Mental Health Director

Dr. Seth Bernstein, WPTF Community Chair & United Way of PBC



We Appreciate You Beyond Words! ©













Best Wishes Always Dearest Sharon! 3





"Lifetime Award for Child and Youth Mental Health Advocacy in Palm Beach County"

Ms. Sharon Tarlow

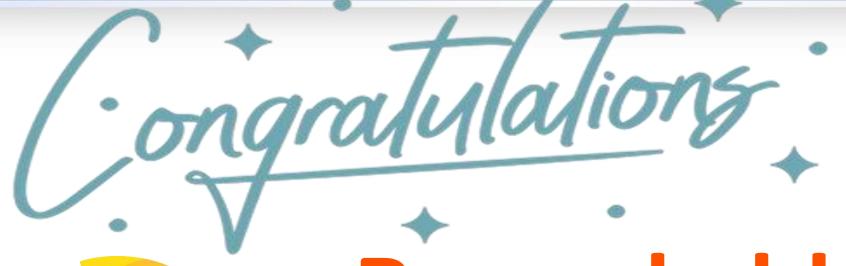
In appreciation for your passion, dedication, loyalty and support for fostering education and awareness of Mental Health... and being a *Shining Star* to everyone you touch.

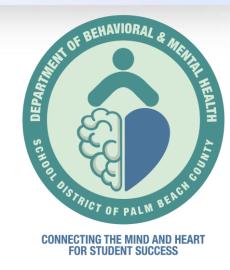
We recognize your **Outstanding Contributions** to the School District and the community of Palm Beach County!



May 5, 2023







Remarkable

Youth Mental Health First Aid



Instructors

Presenters: Keith Oswald, Chief of Equity and Wellness

Dr. Mary Claire Mucenic, Behavioral and Mental Health Director

Dr. Ora Meles, Youth Mental Health First Aid (YMHFA) Manager

Mental Health FIRST AID

from NATIONAL COUNCIL FOR MENTAL WELLBEING

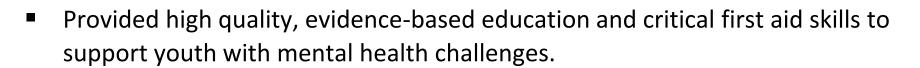




Youth Mental Health First Aid Instructors

• Made it possible for The School District of Palm Beach County to meet the Florida State's mandated requirement for 80% of all employees to receive mental health awareness training by June 2023.

This goal was reached in March and we continue to exceed expectations!



 Provided training environments that fostered non-judgemental communication and understanding to reduce the stigma around mental health.















We're All In – Champion for Equity in Education...

Presenters: Pete Stewart, Health Education Specialist &

Brian Knowles, Program Planner African, African American, Latino, Holocaust & Gender Studies







"We're ALL In!

Champion for Equity in Education







Pranoo Kumar, Owner & Founder Rohi's Readery







Dynamic House System Climate & Culture Heroes...



Presenters: Kristen Rulison, Skills for Learning & Life (SLL) & School Counseling Manager

Michael Kanusky, Project Connect Program Planner





The School District of Palm Beach County
Wellness Promotion Task Force

Dynamic House System Climate & Culture Heroes Award



To

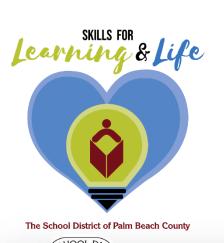
Christopher Forte

Assistant Principal, Osceola Creek Middle School

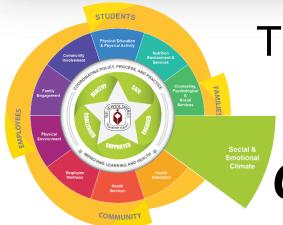
For Working in Concert to Create a

Whole School, Whole Community, Whole Child Culture...

House System Climate & Culture School Leader





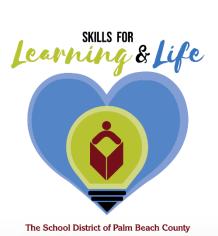


The School District of Palm Beach County Wellness Promotion Task Force

Dynamic House System Climate & Culture Heroes Award



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Dwan Moore-Ross & House Leaders

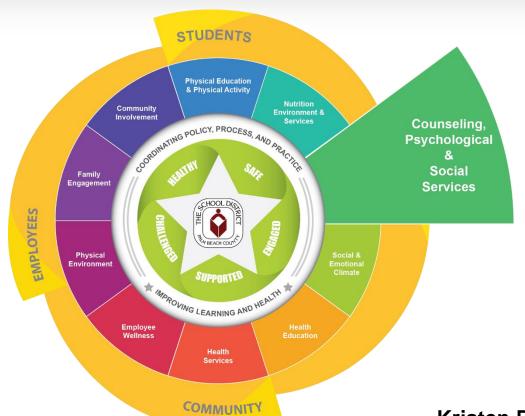
Principal, Everglades Elementary

For Working in Concert to Create a

Whole School, Whole Community, Whole Child Culture...

House System Climate & Culture Model School





SCHOOL COUNSELING SPOTLIGHTS...

PRESENTERS:

Kristen Rulison, Skills for Learning and Life (SLL) & School Counseling Manager Cheri Girtman Daniels, Elementary School Counseling Program Planner Robert Grossman, Middle School Counseling Program Planner Dr. Charlene Beckford, High School Counseling Program Planner













Park Vista Community High SCHOOL COUNSELING TEAM





















Berkshire Elementary





























INSPIRE













Sustainability Spotlight Awards

Presenter: Joseph Sanches, Chief Operating Officer

Kesta James

Director of Environmental and Conservation Services

Anne Meador

Senior Environmental Specialist

Nicole Blackson

Environmental Specialist







Royal Palm School



















Indian Ridge School







Students Participating Earth Day Recycling Events















STUDENTS

COMMUNIT





Outstanding Sustainability Administrator

Presenter: Joseph Sanches, Chief Operating Officer





Outstanding Sustainability Administrator - 2023









"...working to create connections for our students to become the next generation of environmentally responsible change-makers." – **Nicole Blackson**





Outstanding Sustainability Administrator - 2023





Congratulations...

Nicole Blackson - Environmental Specialist Environmental & Conservation Services













McKinney-Vento Program (MVP) Supporter...

Presenters: Aleshia Coleman, MVP Program Planner

Melanie Lobeto, Safe Schools Specialist







The Soup Kitchen in Boynton Beach













Safe Schools
The School District of Palm Beach County









MVP Outreach Team at the Soup Kitchen

















McKinney-Vento Program (MVP) Supporter...



The Soup Kitchen in Boynton Beach

Marlene Mejia, Chief Executive Officer **Dimitry Viarenich**, Chief Operating Officer Holly Bromer, Program Specialist Maria Aguilar, Program Coordinator







Community Outreach Champions...



Presenters: Julie Acevedo, Welcome Center Specialist
Katty Chois, Multicultural Education Manager
Melissa Patterson, Multicultural Education Director
Javier Ortolaza, Assistant Principal, Conniston Community Middle





Community Outreach Champions...Iglesia de Dios Puerta del Cielo



























Dr. Carlos Betancourt, PastorGustavo Rivero, Food Pantry DirectorWilfredo Roman, Faith Community Closet Director











Teen Parent Program Champion...

Presenters: Katia Hildebert, Teen Parent Program Specialist Melanie Lobeto, Safe Schools Specialist

















Ms. Noretta M. Tisdale
Prenatal Outreach Coordinator





Let's Move Record Breaking Top 10 Movers... LET'S



Commit to Change



Presenter: Deborah Feinsinger, Director of Community Relations, Digital Vibez, Inc.



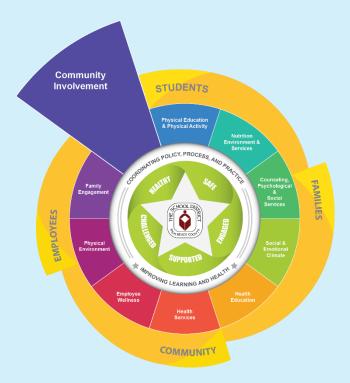






Top 5 Teams

#1 The Village of Wellington
#2 Lion Country Safari
#3 City of Delray Beach
#4 The School District of Palm Beach County
#5 Healthier Lake Worth Beach



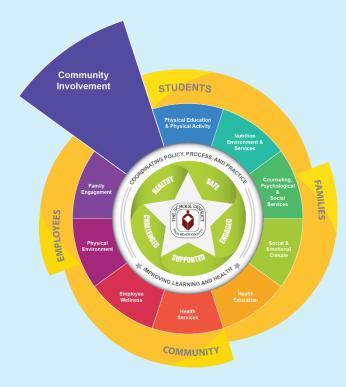








TOP 10 District Sub-Teams	Minutes Logged
Hidden Oaks K-8 School	2,864,160
Belvedere Elementary	2,097,790
Highland Elementary	45,555
K. E. Cunningham-Canal Point Elementary	40,500
Christa McAuliffe Middle	37,937
Jupiter Elementary	26,971
School Food Service	26,196
Wellington Community High	23,946
Chuck Shaw Technical Center	22,280
John I. Leonard High	20,157









RICHARD DAVID KANN FOUNDATION

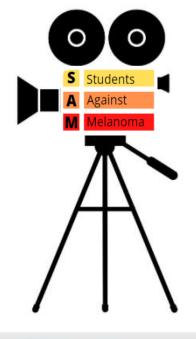


The Richard David Kann Melanoma Foundation fights to save lives through education about the prevention and early detection of skin cancer, specifically melanoma. RDK held its Annual Video Contest to encourage students in Palm Beach County to create videos that advocate sun safety and skin cancer prevention techniques and the winner is...

Presenters:

Zack Barrett, Executive Director Jenique Crawley, Director of Operations









SOUND WARNING DUE TO THE WINDY WEATHER, THE SOUND QUALITY ISN'T THE BEST

ENJOY:)



2023 Video Contest Winner!



Forest Hill Community High – SAM Club Students

Michael Aronson, Principal

Marvelys Vina, Vocational Health Teacher





Congratulations to the SAM students from left to right...Gabriella Vighetto, Leah Barney,
Camila Mejia - Secretary, Carly Roth, Ashley Ramos - Vice-President, Christian Rosales - Historian,
Eriel Ortega - President, Carlos Vega, Sienna Aleman - Social Media, Emily Gonzalez - Junior Secretary
Members Not Pictured: Soleil Hernandez and Richard Cruz









Exemplary Blood Drive Performances...

Presenters: Claudia Passamonti, Regional Director, Collections & Recruitment Paul Caruso, Manager of Donor Recruitment







Exemplary Blood Drive Performances



School Performer of the Year – John I. Leonard High

Dr. Jesus Armas – Principal Jackie Burgess-Malone – Chairperson

Grateful for the partnership and for coming forward in support of our Mission saving lives in the community in the wake of the pandemic with very successful drives!







Exemplary Blood Drive Performances



School Committee of the Year – Suncoast High

Kathryn Koerner – Principal
Autumn Ramsey – Chairperson
Jacob Darocha – Head Student Volunteer
Kamuli Bahemuka – Head Student Volunteer

This committee showed incredible organization and teamwork, great communication skills and excellent student donor flow.









Keith Oswald & Paula Triana...





Energizing Our Community!









