





APRIL 2025

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2 <u>BLUE WEDNESDAY'S</u> wear BLUE for (Child Abuse Awareness)	3	4 <u>NATIONAL WEAR BLUE DAY!</u> (Child Abuse Awareness)	5
7	8 <u>RAISE ME UP</u> "Spring Flowers" 5:30pm-7:00pm	9 <u>BLUE WEDNESDAY'S</u> wear BLUE for (Child Abuse Awareness) <u>TUMMY TIME</u> (Free Diapers) 5:30pm-6:30pm <u>WEST RIVIERA ELEM. SAC MEETING</u>	10 <u>SAFETY SERIES</u> Water Safety 1:00pm via Zoom	11	12 <u>SPRING INTO LITERACY</u> Riviera Beach Community Garden 1010 W. 10th St. Riviera Beach, FL 10am-12pm
14 <u>"THE CAVE"</u> (Dinner provided) 6:30pm – 8:00pm	15 <u>DR. MARY MCLEOD BETHUNE ELEM. SAC MEETING</u> 5:30pm	16 <u>BLUE WEDNESDAY'S</u> wear BLUE for (Child Abuse Awareness)	17 <u>SAFETY SERIES</u> Water Safety (Creole) 1:00pm via Zoom <u>WOMEN of POWER</u> (Dinner provided) 6:00pm-7:30pm	18	19 <u>ARTS IN MY BACKYARD</u> 10am-11:30am 
21	22	23 <u>BLUE WEDNESDAY'S</u> wear BLUE for (Child Abuse Awareness) <u>FAMILY READ ALOUD</u> Riviera Beach Library 2129 N. Congress Ave Riviera Beach, FL., 33404 6:00pm--7:00pm	24 <u>"IT'S A GIRL THING!"</u> CAN Awareness (Lunch provided) 11:00am - 1:00pm	25	26
28 <u>"THE CAVE"</u> (Dinner provided) 6:30pm – 8:00pm	29  <u>"BRB BABY SHOWER"</u> 11:00am-1:00pm	30 <u>BLUE WEDNESDAY'S</u> wear BLUE for (Child Abuse Awareness)	30 <i>When Families Read, Kids Succeed; Home Story-time and Reading Logs</i> 		

DID YOU KNOW
April is National Child Abuse Prevention (CAP) Month, a time when child wellness and child welfare organizations across the U.S. elevate the importance of creating systems and programs that put children and families first.

- Safety Tips**
- Learn CPR and basic water rescue skills.
 - Watch kids when they are in or around water, without being distracted.
 - Close lids and doors.
 - Empty tubs, buck-

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MONDAY - FRIDAY
9:00am - 5:00pm
Offering parental support and activities for families and their children.
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APRIL 2025 HIGHLIGHTS

MONTHLY THEME



PARENT/CHILD ACTIVITIES

EVENT: RAISE ME UP: SPRING FLOWERS
DATE: Tues., April 8th, 2025 5:30pm-7:00pm
PLACE: BRIDGES at Riviera Beach
 Spring is in the air. During this activity your child will work on strengthen their fine motor skills by creating their very own flowers. Looking forward to seeing all of the beautiful flowers.

EVENT: TUMMY TIME (w/ WHIN nurse)
DATE: Wed., April 9th, 2025 5:30pm-6:30pm
PLACE: BRIDGES at Riviera Beach
 This ongoing workshop prepares expectant parents to have a healthy birth and informs parents with babies up to 6 months old about healthy development after baby's arrival



EVENT: SPRING INTO LITERACY
DATE: Sat., April 12th, 2025 11am-1pm
PLACE: Riviera Beach Community Garden
 1010 W. 10th Street
 Riviera Beach, FL 33404
 During the Happily Ever After Parent and Child Together (P.A.C.T.) moment, parents are provided with helpful reading facts and hands-on, interactive strategies that they can easily implement at home with their children.

EVENT: ARTS IN MY BACKYARD
DATE: Sat., April 19th, 2025 10am-11:30am
PLACE: BRIDGES at Riviera Beach
 This program provides opportunities for youth and families to engage with visual and performing arts, along with providing exposure for partner cultural organizations to educate the community.



EVENT: FAMILY READ ALOUD
DATE: Wed., April 23rd, 2025 6:00PM
PLACE: Riviera Beach Library
 2129 N. Congress Ave.
 Riviera Beach, FL 33404

Join us for a fun filled evening while reading stories, filled with laughter and joy. The adventures await you as you turn the page with us for **Family Read Aloud Night, at Riviera Beach Public Library.**

WORKSHOPS



EVENT: NATIONAL WEAR BLUE DAY
DATE: Fri., April 4th, 2025
PLACE: WORLDWIDE
 Wear Blue is a statewide awareness campaign that takes place on the second Wednesday of every April, Child Abuse Prevention Month. We are encouraged to wear blue that day – to work, to school, to a community event – to show support for preventing child abuse and neglect. The next Wear Blue day will be **April 4th, 2025.**



EVENT: THE CAVE
DATE: Mon., April 14h & 28th, 2025 6:30pm-8:00pm
PLACE: BRIDGES at Riviera Beach
 Fathers, you are **IMPORTANT** in the lives of your children and families. Come together with

other fathers as we support each other to be the **BEST** we can be!



EVENT: "WOMEN of POWER"
DATE: Thurs., April 17th, 2025 6:00pm-7:30pm
PLACE: BRIDGES at Riviera Beach
 Teaching women how to break the cycles of abuse so they can be free from their past will allow each woman a new lease on life.

EVENT: "IT'S A GIRL THING!"
DATE: Thurs., April 24th, 2025 11am-1pm
PLACE: BRIDGES at Riviera Beach

Please join us and get the opportunity to meet other moms with young children, gather information, form friendships, and a support system that will make a lasting, positive impact on your future.



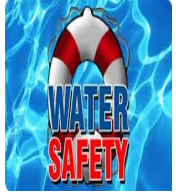
EVENT: BABY SHOWER
DATE: Tues., April 29th, 2025 11am-1pm
PLACE: CP of South Florida
 2001 Blue Heron Blvd.
 Riviera Beach, FL 33404

We've traveled around the world and back again, now the adventures begin. Join us as we celebrate all the mommy's to be and all the new additions. This event is **INVITE ONLY.**

SAFETY WORKSHOP

EVENT: WATER SAFETY
DATE: Thurs., April, 10th, 2025 1pm
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PLACE: ZOOM: <https://zoom.us/j/6846584976>
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With summer fast approaching we want to be sure, you and your family know the safety steps you can take to keep your children safe in and around water. Whether you go to the beach or the pool with your children, there are water hazards around every home. We will share potential dangers and ways to keep your little ones safe.



COMMUNITY EVENT

EVENT: SCHOOL ADVISORY COUNCIL (SAC meeting)
DATE: Tues., April 15th, 2025 5:30pm
PLACE: Dr. Mary McLeod Bethune Elementary
 1501 Avenue U. Riviera Beach, FL 33404
 Parents! You can learn a lot by attending a SAC meeting! Be proactive! Get involved! Meeting location Media Center.

EVENT: SCHOOL ADVISORY COUNCIL (SAC meeting)
DATE: Wed., April 16th, 2025 5:30pm
PLACE: Lincoln Elementary
 1160 Ave. N., Riviera Beach, FL 33404
 Parents! You can learn a lot by attending a SAC meeting! Be proactive! Get involved! Meeting location room 112

EVENT: SCHOOL ADVISORY COUNCIL (SAC meeting)
DATE: Wed., April 9th, 2025 5:30pm
PLACE: West Riviera Beach Elementary
 1057 W. 6th St., Riviera Beach, FL 33404
 Parents! You can learn a lot by attending a SAC meeting! Be proactive! Get involved!



healthy mothers, healthy babies
 Coalition of Palm Beach County, Inc.

EVENTS: HMHB COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES
DATES: Dates and location vary, all HMHB activities are free to the public. Registration is **REQUIRED 48 hrs. in advance.** TO REGISTER www.hmhbpbcc.org CONTACT INFO. 561-517-1551 or 561-517-2541