

MAY 2025



Blue: Capacity Building Workshops Yellow: Parent /Child Activities Orange: Family Literacy Activities

Red: Safety Workshops Green: Community Events

Purple: Community Outreach Activities

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Children's Services Council PALM BEACH COUNTY Healthy. Safe. Strong.	Mother's		1 <u>Casual Conversation</u> 5:30pm-6:30pm Sara Sims Park	First Friday at 5 Concert 5:00pm - 8:00pm Boynton Beach Amphitheater	3 Walk Against Violence and Hate 9:00am – 1:00pm Pompey Park
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Carolyn Sims Center- 225 NW 12th Ave, Boynton Beach 33435

Schoolhouse Museum-129 E Ocean Ave, Boynton Beach 33435

Boynton Beach Library-100 E Ocean Ave, Boynton Beach, FL 33435

Pompey Park - 1101 NW 2nd St, Delray Beach, FL 33444

BRIDGES at Boynton Beach

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MONDAY - FRIDAY 9:00am - 5:00pm

We are dedicated to strengthen communities across Palm Beach County by improving outcomes for children and families through education and social services. Our goal is to ensure that our families have what they

MAY 2025 HIGHLIGHTS

Movement: Moving More For Our Mental Health



Parent Child Activities

Event: RMU (0-5 years): "All About Mommy"

Date: May 7th, 2025
Time: 6:00pm-7:00pm
Place: Carolyn Sims Center

Highlight: We will be celebrating our Mommies. We will use our communication and fine motor skills to express how we feel about our Moms!

Event: RMU (0-5 years): "Me Tree"

Date: May 14th, 2025 Time: 6:00pm-7:00pm Place: Carolyn Sims Center

Highlight: This activity will help to develop your child's social skills and share their feelings at the same time. Children increase their confidence as they express characteristics of who they are that makes them unique.

Event: Colors and Crafts
Date: May 19th, 2025
Time: 6:00pm-7:00pm
Place: Facebook

Highlight: Colors, colors, colors. Know your colors! Each week we will focus on one color by using games, music or arts and crafts. This activity will help develop all those motor skills.

Family Literacy

Event: Sensational Story N' More

Date: May 6th, 2025 Time: 10:00am-11:00am Place: Schoolhouse Museum

Highlight: Children's books are brought to life through an interactive reading and an art activity. Children will have the opportunity to illustrate the story in their own

unique way! In partnership with Schoolhouse Museum

Event: Storytime with Margaret

Date: May 7th, 2025 Time: 6:00pm-6:30pm Place: Carolyn Sims Center

Highlight: Join us for reading fun with Ms. Margaret.

In partnership with Boynton Beach Mental Health Committee.

Event: Storytime Fun
Date: May 21st 2025
Time: 6:00pm -7:00pm
Place: Carolyn Sims Center

Highlight: This is an engaging and imaginative storytelling activity designed to spark creativity, build language skills, and foster a love for reading.

Event: Book of the Month
Date: May 29th 2025

Time: May 29th 2025
Time: 6:00pm -7:00pm
Place: Facebook

Highlight: This book is chosen just for little readers. Each month we pick a fun and engaging book filled with colorful pictures, loveable characters, and exciting adventures. It's a great way to build a love for books and spark imagination.

Capacity Building

Event: Mental Health w/ Genesis

Date: May 5th, 2025 Time: 6:00pm-7:00pm Place: Carolyn Sims Center

Highlights: This workshop will help educate the public at large. It teaches them that it is okay to share experiences, vulnerabilities, and shared concerns about mental health issues. **In partnership with Genesis Community**

Health

Event: Sharing Hope: Mental Wellness in the Black/African Ancestry

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Date: May 6th, 13th, 20th 2025 Time: 6:00pm-7:00pm Place: Carolyn Sims Center

Highlight: NAMI Sharing Hope is designed to introduce discussions on mental health and wellness through a three-part community conversation series grounded in the sharing of sacred stories and guided dialogue on mental wellness and support. In partnership with NAMI.

Event: Pure Joy Baby & Me w/ WHIN

Date: May 12th, 2025 Time: 6:00pm-7:00pm Place: Carolyn Sims Center

Highlights: Come and join other new mothers to celebrate motherhood and all that it means. For pregnant families and with children 12 months or under. In partnership with Women's Health Initiative Program (W.H.I.N.)

Event: BRIDGES Orientation

Date: May 14th, 2025 Time: 7:00pm-7:30pm Place: Carolyn Sims Center

Highlight: Are you a new BRIDGES member or just need a refresher? If so, this meeting is for you! Join us and be introduced to the BRIDGES staff, their roles and what BRIDGES has to offer its members and families.

Event: Family Self Sufficiency Program Overview

Date: May 19th, 2025 Time: 6:00pm-7:00pm Place: Carolyn Sims Center

Highlight: This program aims to identify and address the needs of at-risk families by providing services to support their journey toward self-sufficiency. Available services may include housing assistance, job training, childcare, literacy programs, education, budget and credit counseling, employment development, and emergency support such as food and clothing.

Event: Dad's Night Out
Date: May 28th, 2025
Time: 6:00pm-7:00pm
Place: Carolyn Sims Center

Highlight: Dads, it's your turn to have a night out! It's your opportunity to share what's on your mind with other dads. This is your chance to unload,

unwind and have some fun at the same time!

Event: Summer Reading Program-Orientation

Date: May 28th, 2025 Time: 6:00pm-7:00pm Place: Carolyn Sims Center

Highlights: Summer Reading Program is a free program that provides families with information and resources that will support their child's learning at

home and enhance student's academic success.

Event: The Mental Health Book Club: The Let Them Theory

Date: May 28th, 2025 Time: 4:30pm-5:30pm Place: Carolyn Sims Center

Capacity Building

Highlight: Join us for a community-wide conversation on mental health as we explore The Let Them Theory by Mel Robbins. This book club aims to increase awareness and encourage open discussions on mental well-being. Participants are invited to read the book independently and gather for a thoughtful discussion. Whether you read the book or listen to the audiobook, come ready to engage in a meaningful conversation about personal growth, boundaries, and mental wellness. In partnership with the Boynton Beach Mental Health Committee.

Safety Series



Event: Safety Series: "Heatstroke Prevention"
Date: May 8th (English) & 15th (Creole), 2025

Time: 1:00pm-2:00pm Place: Zoom/FB Live

Highlight: This month we'll be discussing Heatstroke and hot cars. Did you know a car could heat up 20 degrees in 10 minutes? We will discuss what parents need to know about the danger of hot cars, and steps they can take to help keep their children safe. Please join us to learn about the ways to identify these hazards as well as to prevent them. In partnership with Safe Kids PBC.

Community Event

Event: Casual Conversation
Date: Every Thursday Evening
Time: 5:30pm-6:30pm
Place: Sara Sims Park

Highlight: What's going on? Let's talk about what's happening in our

community!

Community Outreach Activity

Event: First Friday at 5 Concert

Date: May 2nd, 2025 **Time:** 5:00pm – 8:00pm

Place: Boynton Beach Amphitheater

Highlight: The City offers a free monthly concert series, First Friday at 5, at Centennial Park + Amphitheater in Downtown Boynton. Concerts will take place from 5 pm - 8 pm on the first Friday of each month.

Event: Walk Against Violence and Hate

Date: May 3rd, 2025 Time: 9:00am – 1:00pm Place: Pompey Park

Highlight: Take part in the 10th Annual Walk Against Violence and Hate led by Boynton Beach High School Tiger Sound Marching Band starting at 9 am. The walk will also be kicking off Mental Health Awareness Month. The walking route starts and ends at Pompey Park.