



APRIL 2026

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					
6	7	8	9 SAFETY SERIES Heatstroke Prevention 1:00pm via Zoom “PEARL ON THE GO” Child Development Workshop 6:00pm-7:30pm	10 NATIONAL WEAR BLUE DAY! (Child Abuse Awareness)	11 SPRING INTO LITERACY Riviera Beach Community Garden 1010 W. 10th St. Riviera Beach, FL 10am-12pm
13 “THE CAVE”(APOD) (Dinner provided) 6:30pm – 8:00pm LINCOLN ELEM. SAC MEETING 5:30pm	14 RAISE ME UP “Spring Flowers” 5:30pm-7:00pm	15 WEST RIVIERA ELEM. SAC MEETING 5:30pm WOMEN of POWER (Dinner provided) 6:00pm-7:30pm	16 SAFETY SERIES Heatstroke Prevention (Creole) 1:00pm via Zoom	17	18
20	21 DR. MARY MCLEOD BETHUNE ELEM. SAC MEETING 5:30pm	22 “THE CAVE”(APOD) (Virtual) 6:30pm – 8:00pm	23 “IT’S A GIRL THING!” “CAN Awareness” (Lunch provided) 11:00am - 1:00pm “PEARL ON THE GO” Child Development Workshop 6:00pm-7:30pm	24	25
27 “THE CAVE”(APOD) (Dinner provided) 6:30pm – 8:00pm	28	29	30 SOFI Digital Inclusion 5:30pm-7:30pm	<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**
- **A**void heatstroke-related injury and death by never leaving a child alone in a car, not even for a minute.
 - **C**reate reminders. Keep a stuffed animal or other memento in your child’s car seat when it’s empty,
 - **T**ake action. If you see a child alone call 911!

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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 2026 HIGHLIGHTS

MONTHLY THEME



PARENT/CHILD ACTIVITIES



EVENT: SPRING INTO LITERACY
DATE: Sat., April 11th, 2026
 11am-1pm
PLACE: Riviera Beach Community Garden
 1010 W. 10th Street
 Riviera Beach, FL 33404

Calling all gardeners as we “Spring into Literacy”. During this parent child activity, you and your child will participate in a scavenger hunt, enjoy activities while reading stories, and also planting seeds in the garden. We look forward to seeing all of our gardeners.

EVENT: RAISE ME UP: SPRING FLOWERS
DATE: Tues., April 14th, 2026 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: “PEARL on the GO”
DATE: Thurs., April 9th & 23rd 2026
 6:00pm-7:30pm

PLACE: BRIDGES at Riviera Beach
 “Pearl on the GO” is a hands on program that helps parents support their child’s development through simple activities you can do at home.



EVENT: NATIONAL WEAR BLUE DAY
DATE: Fri., April 10th, 2026
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 10th, 2025**.



EVENT: THE CAVE
DATE: Mon., April 13th & 27th, 2026
 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: Wed., April, 15th, 2026
 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.

EVENT: IT’S A GIRL THING!
DATE: Thurs., April, 23rd, 2026 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: SOFI DIGITAL INCLUSION
DATE: Thurs., April 30th, 2026 5:30pm-7:30pm
PLACE: BRIDGES at Riviera Beach

Our Digital Empowerment Program is designed to close the technology gap by providing structured, supportive instruction that meets learners where they are. Through practical application and guided coaching, participants gain the skills necessary to confidently navigate today’s technology-driven world.

WORKSHOPS

SAFETY WORKSHOP

EVENT: HEATSTROKE PREVENTION
DATE: Thurs., April 9th, 2026 1pm
DATE: Thurs., April 16th, 2026 (Creole) 1pm
PLACE: ZOOM: <https://zoom.us/j/6846584976wd=LOJEMm4rSGFPd3RSTFU2UU5kTFRkQT09>

Oh, boy it is hot outside. This month we will 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 ways to prevent them.



COMMUNITY EVENT

EVENT: SCHOOL ADVISORY COUNCIL (SAC meeting)
DATE: Tues., April 21st, 2026 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 15th, 2026 5:30pm
PLACE: West Riviera Beach Elementary
 1057 W. 6th St., Riviera Beach, FL 33404

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EVENT: SCHOOL ADVISORY COUNCIL (SAC meeting)
DATE: Mon., April 13th, 2026 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: TBA
PLACE: Washington Elementary
 1709 W. 30th St., Riviera Beach, FL 33404

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