

PKS Happenings!

Week of October 7th, 2022

No School Monday, October 10th

Plantation Key School Hispanic Heritage Extravaganza

Join us to enjoy & celebrate Wednesday, October 12th 5:30pm-7:00pm

PKS Cafeteria



PKS PTA Presents Halloween BINGO Night

Holloween Bingo Night

Halloween Themed Bingo--Kids wear your costumes!

Free event!! Pizza and Prizes provided!

5:30pm Wednesday October 19th PKS Cafeteria





PKS Picture Day



Plantation Key School Picture Day will be Thursday October 27, 2022.

Ordering information will be available when the date gets closer.

If you have any questions please contact
Aimee Gilman ext.58315



MONDAY



October 24th

Let's DREAM of a Drug Free World! It's wear your pajamas to school day (press code Appropriate Pls Pleaser)

UESDAY



October 25th

Let's say PEACE OUT to Brugs by wearing tie-dye and 60's themed apparel.

VEDNESDAY



October 26th

Let's celebrate being RED-Y to Live a Brug-Free Life by wearing RED!

IHURSDAY



October 27th

Let's Sock It to Drugs by wearing our craziest socks today! Don't forget it is also school picture day!

FRIDAY



October 28th

Let's Team Up Against Drugs by wearing our lavorite team jersey or t-shirt.



23 BASKETBALL SEASON ABOUT TO BEGIN!



FLORIDA KEYS YOUTH BASKETBALL LEAGUE

Boys & Girls • First - Eighth Grade

WHERE/WHEN

EVALUATIONS

(Attendance required at one evaluation to participate in league)

Monday, October 24th at Key Largo School (KLS)

Tuesday, October 25th at Plantation Key School (PKS)

Division 1 (1st, 2nd, 3rd Grade) • 6:00pm Division 2 (4th, 5th Grade) • 7:00pm Division 3 (6th, 7th, 8th Grade) • 8:00pm

LEAGUE PLAY League runs from November 14th — February 4th Games begin Saturday, December 3th

GAME PLAY Saturday mornings • KLS & PKS

\$80 Per Player • Registration is available at our evaluations only. For more information see keyshoops.com



Ocean Reef Community Foundation

DJ, Dance, Juggling, Face Painting &

Rotary (19)

Coach Melissa O'Keeffe (305) 747-0710 Coach Ryan Smith (305) 395-0512 FLKeyshoops@gmail.com







#Islaween2022
for a chance to win a prize!* #Islaween2022 Winners picked at random on October 25th
"Social media profile must be public in order to participate.

Contact the Park Office to register your trunk no later than Monday, October 17, 2022 305-853-1685 IFP@islamorada.fl.us



Sea Base Islamorada 73800 Overseas Hwy.

FAMILY EVENT

FREE TO ATTEND! SATURDAY OCTOBER 15TH 10AM-2PM

INVITING ALL BOYS AND GIRLS
KINDERGARTEN TO GRADE 5 AND
THEIR FAMILIES, CUB SCOUTS, BOY
SCOUTS, AND GIRL SCOUTS TO A
SEA BASE FAMILY ADVENTURE!

FEATURING:

BB GUNS
OCEAN KAYAKING*
FISHING DERBY
VESSEL TOURS
UNDERWATER ROBOTICS
DRONES
CRAFTS

*ANYONE WHO PLANS TO KAYAK MUST BE ABLE TO SWIM AND MUST BRING A LIFEJACKET

Questions? Call: (305) 664-5614

All Fun

No Filter

Calling All Adults - Can you help?

2+ Adult volunteers needed to start a troop for PKS girls this Fall

Email sseski@girlscoutsfl.org if open to learn more about volunteering

girlscoutsfl.org/join

customercare@girlscoutsfl.org

305-253-4841



Be A Girl Scout

READERS ARE LEADERS



Readers Are Leaders are exploring a wide range of concepts during Media Specials.

<u>Kindergarten & 1st grade</u> are reading the Frog & Toad books, then learning more about frogs – up close! Do you know what a froglet is? Do you know which comes in first – legs or arms? Ask your stu-



Miss Chloe's students learning about tadpoles, frogs, ... and Friendship!! Older students have to opportunity to look, too. The "pond" is on the checkout desk, along with several magnifying glasses.



September Celebrations in Monroe County includes:

September: Founders'
Month Designation of Founders'
Month

September 11th: Patriots Day & 9/11 Commemora-

tion <u>Designation of Patriot's Day</u>

September 17th: Constitution Day <u>Designation of Constitution Day</u>

September 26th—30th: Celebrate Freedom Week Designation of Celebrate Freedom Week

September 15th—
October 15: Hispanic Heritage Month Designation of Hispanic Heritage Month.

All month students were engaged in a variety of activates designed to inform them of the above events. These included the Constitution, The Preamble, Bill of Rights, Patriots Day and more. Students are unlocking clues from different codes after reading about the Bill of Rights.



READERS ARE LEADERS

Page 2 (Lots of activities in the Media Center this week!)

Younger students learned interest facts about the American flag. They also created their own flags honoring either PKS or their neighborhood. Pennants were made that honored the importance of the Constitution. A wide variety of library books were on display for checkout, grades K – 8.











Other News include the Challenges:

4th **and 5**th **Grade** Challenge continues! They are nearing the end of this challenge. Students could pick a book within their independent reading level, 120 pages or more, not a Graphic Novel. Scores of 70% or higher earned an October Brag Tag.

1st – 3rd Grade Challenge: I'm Batty about Books! 1st and 2nd Graders will read three picture books in October; 3rd graders one (or more) Chapter Books on their reading level that are not Graphic Novels, by the end of the Month. Students will need to show comprehension on these books and will receive a Bat pin for their lanyards when they complete the challenge!

Odyssey of the Mind (OM): PKS used to have very strong OM teams. It is less work than you think, and is actually a lot of fun. Please consider being a Coach for your child! No more than 7 children are on a team, and there is a lot of time to prepare. Go the Florida Odyssey of the Mind for more information.











Ms. Chloe's Kindergarten Class Bakes Apple Pies To Celebrate Johnny Appleseed Week!







After School Bucket Drumming Program





Homework Helper



Learn Ways to Help Your Child Cooperate & Complete Homework at Home



Tavernier

Tuesday, October 11th 5:30-6:30 pm **Carrie Brazer Center for Autism** 92295 Overseas Hwy. Tavernier, FL 33070 305-741-7675



Key West

Wednesday, October 12th 6:00-7:00 pm The Basilica School - library 700 Truman Blvd. Key West, FL 33040



For questions contact Dr. Diane Adreon at dadreon@miami.edu You must register via Eventbrite to reserve a spot For Tavernier: homework-helper-1011.eventbrite.com For Key West: homework-helper-1012.eventbrite.com



Monroe County Middle & High School Students can earn Amazon Gift Cards participating in online Evidence Based Alcohol and Drug Prevention Programs. Requires parent/guardan consent. One (1) gift card per student per program

AVAILABLE PROGRAMS PRESCRIPTION DRUG SAFETY

Arming students with knowledge and skills to make healthy, informed de-cisions when it comes to prescription CAMD medications. Lasts 30-45 min.

ALCOHOL EDU

Empowering students to identify and challenge influences and to make safer and healthier decisions about alcohol. Lasts 2.5 hours.





MARIJUANA WISE Informing students about the facts, risks, and consequences of using marijuana. Lasts I hour. FOR GRADES 6-12

FOR GRADES 9-12 TO SIGN UP

Contact: Tammy Hansen TammyHansen@Westcare.com

ALCOHOL WISE

Teaching students refusal skills and how to avoid high-risk situations

involving alcohol. Lasts 1 hour. FOR GRADES 6-12

NICOTINE 101

Providing students valuable and info on the effects, nicotine products. Lasts 1 hour.

FOR GRADES 6-12

For more info, contact in Moore at (305) 849-5929.

Who is eligible?

Does your public school

READING SCHOLARSHIP ACCOUNTS The Reading Scholarship was created to help public school students in third through

student have trouble reading?



fifth grade who struggle with reading.



Third through fifth grade studer nts who scored a 1 or 2 on the English Language Arts portion of the third or fourth grade Florida Standards Assessment (FSA)

Program funds are limited and available on a first-come,

An eligible student who is classified as an English Language Learner and is enrolled in a program or receiving services that are specifically designed to meet the instructional needs of

How to apply?

To apply online, or for more information, visit StepUpForStudents.org/Reading

Reading@StepUpForStudents.org



What is available?

\$500 Scholarship

Reimbursement for the following:

- Tuition and fees for part-time tutoring provided by a properly credentialed individual, as outlined in the Reading Handbook
- Fees for summer or after-school education programs designed to improve reading or literacy skills
- Instructional materials and curriculum related to
- Approved technology items, including laptop computers, desktop computers and tablets



Charlotte's







child qualifies for a Reading Scholarship, scan the QR code

ALL STARS PREVENTION Providing students

Providing students the tools and info to help them from starting to participate in risky behaviors as long as possible. Lasts 2.5 hours.

FOR GRADES 9-12

PARENTING WISELY Sharing proven skills to solve problem

behaviors, family conflict, and more.

· FOR Parents of teems who enroll

in either All Stars, Conflict Wise or general counsaling

CONFLICT WISE

Teaching conflict resolution strategies and other life skills to diffuse anger triggers and to better manage their behavior. Lasts 2,5 hour.

FOR GRADES 6-12

TO SIGN UP Contact: Katie Raskob Kraskob@fkcs.org

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- Florida Students
 - Pre-K through 12th Grade
 - Reapply Every School Year

COVID-19 PROTOCOLS

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All student information is kept confidential and not shared with any other entity.















Exámenes de vista y anteojos GRATIS para niños www.floridaheiken.org

Accesible por internet en cualquier teléfono inteligente / tableta / computadora



- Estudiantes de la Florida.
- Pre-K hasta el 12" grado
- Reaplique cada año escolar
- Procesamiento más rapido
- Confidencial y seguro

COVID-19 PROTOCOLOS DE LA UNIDAD MÓVIL

- Se requieren máscaras y distanciamiento social
- Todas las superficies desinfectadas
- Encuesta de COVID-19 requerida

Heiken NO comparte información con ninguna otra agencia



EVERY FRIDAY IS PKS SPIRIT DAY!



Wear your favorite
PKS apparel or
blue & white
to show your spirit!

SHOP THE PKS SPIRIT STORE https://1stplace.sale/21199

BIG SALE going on NOW!

Sponsored by PKS PTA





Attention PKS Families!

Please Do Not send cash or checks to school.

Make you payments online thru RevTrak with Debit or Credit cards, and Checks!

It's FREE, FREE, FREE, FREE, FREE

https://kgysschools.revtrak.net/gks

Use your smart phone camera to scan the QR code below to access the







Question or need help? Contact Kim Kupke - PK\$ Bookkeeper (305)853-3281 Ext: 58304 or email me at Kimb

Pay for classroom fees, fieldtrips, class donations, laptops, band, fundraisers, etc. on the PRS main RevTrsk page

Log in or create your personal Web Store account, enter the student name and click Checkout



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Wanda Walker, CCHW Ph. 305.926.0259 Wwalker@chisouthfl.org

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Youth Ambassador



WHAT IS IT?

The Islamorada Chamber of Commerce provides support, education and advocacy to area businesses. Youth Ambassadors will help the Chamber foster growth and goodwill within the business community.

WHY JOIN?

Volunteering is about giving your time to a good cause. You don't get paid, but you do get the chance to use your talents, develop new skills, and experience the happiness that comes from making a real difference to other people's lives, as well as your own.

Earn community service hours for your time and feel good about it because you're helping others.

WHAT'S INVOLVED?

Attend one meeting per month, volunteer at local Chamber festivals and events, and work on an annual project to benefit your community. (Applicant must currently be enrolled in 5th, 6th or 7th grade at a local school.)

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COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS ACTIVE IN DISASTER

The Mission of MCCOAD

The mission of Monroe County Community Organizations Active in Disaster (MCCOAD) is to coordinate effective, efficient, and streamlined service delivery to people affected by disaster, while eliminating unnecessary duplication of effort, through the four phases of a disaster: preparation, response, recovery, and mitigation.

What does a COAD do?

The Monroe County COAD is a forum where organizations share knowledge and resources throughout the disaster cycle to better assist disaster survivors and their unmet needs. The MCCOAD's role is to bring member organizations together with local Emergency Management personnel & enable them to understand each other & work together during the four phases of Emergency Management: MITIGATION & PREPAREDNESS, RESPONSE, & RECOVERY.

Four Phases of Partnership

- Mitigation and Preparedness: Community education and preparedness, recruiting volunteers and donations, organizing and training volunteers, resource inventory of private, non-profit, and faith-based organizations.
- Response: Volunteer and donation management, shelter workers and respite centers, volunteer generation, damage assessment/needs identification, muck-out and clean up crews, comprehensive situational awareness, individual assistance services.



⇒ Recovery: Short-term and long-term recovery committee, case management, rebuilding, financial support.

Government Non-Profits Neighborhoods DOAD Schools Faith Consmunity

How to Get Involved

- Complete the Member Registration, MOU, and Code of Ethics and Conduct agreement for your organization and return to Loretta.Geotis@uss.salvationarmy.org
- Attend the monthly the MCCOAD meetings (our next Meeting May 24th, 2022 @ 1:30PM)
- Advocate & Recruit! Help identify those organizations that would work together in Partnership sharing resources throughout the disaster cycle, share this opportunity with them.

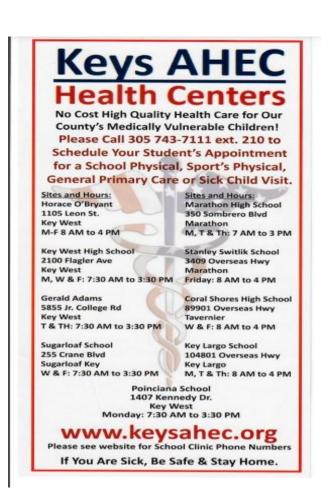






Lunch Menu October 10th—October 14th

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
NO SCHOOL	Asian Chicken Vegetable Egg Roll Steamed Rice & Broccoli Fortune Cookie Assorted Fruits Juice & Milk	Cheeseburger Tater Tots Green Beans Assorted Fruits Juice & Milk	Crispy Chicken Mashed potatoes w/gravy Steamed carrots Assorted Fruit Juice & Milk	Hot dog (Mini corn dog for Pre K) Baked beans Mac n Cheese Assorted Fruit Juice & Milk





Patients Must Call for an Appointment. 305 743 7111 ext 220

Dental Unit Schedule and Sites Summer Schedule

May 31-June 2, 2022-Key West High School

*Unit Located in Front Parking Lot

June 7-9, 2022-Plantation Key School

*Unit behind School-Parents must report to the Front Office

June 14-16, 2022-Marathon High School

*Unit Located on Side of School near Field Entrance

June 21-23, 2022-Gerald Adams School

*Unit Located on Side of School-Parents must report to the Front Office

June 28-30, 2022-Plantation Key School

*Unit behind School-Parents must report to the Front Office

July 5-7, 2022-Marathon High School

*Unit Located on Side of School near Field Entrance

July 12-17, 2022-Horace O'Bryant School

*Unit Located in Back Bus Loop-Parents must report to the Front Office or come to the Back Gate.

July 19-21, 2022-Coral Shores High School

*Unit Located on Wrenn St. Side of School

July 26-28, 2022-Marathon High School

*Unit Located on Side of School near Field Entrance

https://keysahec.org/school-clinics

TAKE STOCK IN CHILDREN College Scholarship Opportunity Your child may be eligible!



To be considered for a TSIC College Scholarship opportunity, your child must:

- On Side Pet United and Section Section Section 1997.

 Have a U.S. Social Security number Be enrolled in a Monroe County Public School in grades 6—9 Have earned As, Bs, and Cs in all classes with a minimum 2.0 GPA Have passing scores on state assessments (FSA & EOC) Meet financial eligibility requirements established by the TSIC Program (see chart below) Sign a contract agreeing to remain crime and drug free, attend school regularly, maintain a 2.5 GPA, and meet with a mentor once a week

The applicant's 2021-2022 academic records will be reviewed prior to application approval. Please review the financial qualifications below:

2021 Federal Income Tax Return filed by parent(s) or guardian(s) claiming student as a dependent is required to verify income eligibility.

NOTE

Family income cannot exceed the levels shown in the chart.

¹ Families may qualify for highest income level per current SNAP/TANF guidelines. Student must be listed as a SNAP beneficiaryproof will be required.

All income guidelines provided by Take Stock in Children, Inc.

Household Size	Annual Income ¹
2	\$ 41,000
3	\$ 46,150
4	\$ 60,000
5	\$ 60,070
6	\$ 68,802
7	\$ 77,534
8	\$ 86,266

Contact your Take Stock in Children College Success Coach at a middle or high school near you for more information and an application:

Take Stock in Children

 Lower Keys

 Ms. Lynne Casamayor
 Ms. Marjorie Perry

 305-293-1400
 305-293-1400

 Ext: 53303
 Ext: 65441

Marathon

Upper Keys Ext: 56313

Mr. Chuck Licis-Masson



Take Stock in Children Monroe

PO Box 2561, Key West, FL 33045 305-293-1546 or TakeStock@MonroeCountyEdFound.com

Request and submission of a completed application does not ensure a scholarship award.



Su estudiante puede ser elegible para una beca universitaria!



Para ser considerado para un TSIC College Scholarship (beca), su estudiante debe

- Tener un número de Seguro Social (U.S. Social Security number) Estar inscrito en grados 6—9 en una escuela Publica en el condado de Monroe
- Tener grados de As, Bs, y Cs en todas las clases Tener puntajes de aprobación de calificaciones en las evaluaciones estatales (FSA & EOC)
- Cumplir con los requisitos financieros establecidos por el programa de TSIC (ver tabla abajo)
- Firmar un contrato aceptando permanecer libres de crimen, drogas, atender a la escuela regularmente, mantener un GPA de 2.5 y reunirse con un mentor una vez por semana.

Las califications escolares de el 2021-2022 serán observado con la aplicación.

Por favor obserave las calificaciones financieras a continuacion.

Tamaño del Hogar (personas en la familia)	Ingreso Annual ¹
2	\$41,000
3	\$46,150
4	\$60,000
5	\$60,070
6	\$68,802
7	\$77,534
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El solicitante debe presentar las declaraciones de impuestos federales sobre la renta de 2021 presentadas por el padre o tutor para verificar la elegibilidad de ingresos

Federal Income Tax Returns 2021 con la aplicación es necesario.

Pongase en contacto con su Take Stock in Children College Success Coach en una escuela intermedia o secundaria cercana para obtener mas informacion y una solicitud:

Lower Keys Casamayor Ms. Marjorie Perry 400 305-293-1400 Ext: 53303 Ext: 65441

Marathon

305-289-2480 Ext: 55418

Upper Keys

Ms. Marlene Sun-Sternberg 305-853-3222 Ext: 56313



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Mr. Chuck Licis-Masson Executive Director

Ms. Autumn Hager Supervisor Student Services

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School Bus Authorized Items

AUTHORIZED	NOT AUTHORIZED
Band Instruments (If they fit on the students lap or between legs without protruding into the aisle.)	Items made of glass
	Large bulky items that block aisles
	Large school projects
	Sharp objects
	Balls, bats, roller skates, skateboards
	Medication of any kind





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Plantation Key School Camisas > Pole o camica sin cuello con mangas Puesto correctamente y con el tamano apropriado. NO se puede enamor kombros, barrigo, ni puede tener agujenas Pantalones/Pantalones Cortos/Vestidos Cualquier color solido de partalones Cualquier partalos corto con botos Seens (gapitalion o gapitalion corto) NO guede tecer ogujenos Fixede encontra/comprar extos articulos en los siguentes websites: www.tbachildrensplace.com www.tarpet.com WWW.WWITHCLIDED manufactoricum manufacturicum www.kahlucam www.difarduzen LO SIGUIENTE NO ESTA PERMITIDO: Pantalonés de ejercisio/voga o corto de ejercisio/deports Rops con pelabras ofenitivas, con profanidad o referencia a drogas, alcohol, o sexo. Pantalon del pajarna Sombrerox/gggggg Bluss continuous finos como espaguetis y blusas con el esportago afuera