

Hello Lake Braddock Families,

Please see resources below and let me know if there is anything I can assist you with. Have a wonderful weekend.

- **Community Meeting on the Dangers of Fentanyl**

<https://www.fcps.edu/OpioidMeeting>



Opioid overdoses are on the rise across the country, including in Fairfax County. Most fatal overdoses in Fairfax County in recent years involved fentanyl.

Last month, FCPS hosted a conversation on the dangers of fentanyl. During this impactful event, audience members heard testimonials from individuals affected by the opioid epidemic and learned facts from medical experts and law enforcement representatives.

The conversation will continue on **Monday, April 24, 6:30 to 8 p.m.**, at Woodson High School. FCPS principals and staff will share what is happening in our schools and update the work to prevent substance misuse and educate our students.

Transportation will be available from select schools throughout the county. [View the registration page](#) for details.

Visit our [Opioid Awareness webpage](#) for more information. Visit the [Fairfax County Government webpage on opioids](#) for information on how you can take action and get help for yourself or loved ones.

- **FCPS Parent Resource Center** offers a variety of resources for families, including free webinars, a free lending library, and free consultations.

<https://www.fcps.edu/resources/family-engagement/parent-resource-center>

Here are just a few offerings for this month:

- o Flash Forward: Postsecondary Education and Employment Options -- **April 26, 2023**, 6:30-8:30 p.m.
- o Neurodiversity at High School -- **April 28, 2023**, 10 - 11:30 a.m.

- **The Medical Care for Children Partnership (MCCP) Foundation** Dental Van will be near our area this Saturday, April 22nd, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at St. Mark's Lutheran Church on Backlick Road to conduct Free Dental Screenings for children. The screenings will be conducted by NOVA CC Dental Hygienist students.



**Special Event:
MCCP Dental Van
Coming to Your Neighborhood!**

Medical Care for Children Partnership (MCCP) offers access to comprehensive medical and dental care to eligible uninsured children of working families in Fairfax County.

With our state-of-the-art Dental Van and our amazing dental hygienists, we will be offering **free dental screenings for uninsured children 3-19 years old**. If further urgent dental treatment is needed, information will be given to parents about who to call. We will also bring free goody bags for each child seen. First come, first serve. Sign up on April 22 at the location below for 10 am, 11 am, or 12 noon appointments. Children must have a parent present.

Our DENTAL VAN will visit:

St. Marks Lutheran Church, 5800 Backlick Rd, Springfield
Date: Saturday, April 22, 2023
Time: 10 AM – 1 PM

We hope to meet you at that time, and we are happy to answer questions in English and Spanish about our programs and how to keep your child's teeth healthy.



- **The Sully Historic Site** will host an Earth Day celebration this Saturday.



Saturday, April 22, 2023
10 a.m. - 4 p.m.
(Rain or Shine)

Sully Historic Site

3650 Historic Sully Way • Chantilly

Free admission! Parking \$10 per car



LIVE ENTERTAINMENT



Meet & Greet with
WUSA9's
TOPPER SHUTT!



BILLY B
Songwriter and performer



RECYCLING
PIRATES
Musical puppet show



TED GARBER
Blues Americana
Rock Music

SYNTHETIC
ICE SKATING RINK
Skates provided for all ages

FEATURING

- Outdoor Learning Activities
- Nature Exhibits
- Tree Care Clinic
- Animals from Frying Pan Farm Park
- Food Trucks
- Obstacle Course
- Giveaways
- Sully Historic House Tours *(First Floor Only)*
- Touch-a-Truck
- Scavenger Hunt
- Beer Garden



Fairfax County's Official Earth Day Celebration!



For more information, scan the QR code
 or visit www.fairfaxcounty.gov/parks/earth-day-festival



For Inclusion and ADA Support,
 call 703-324-8727. TTY: Va Relay 711



- **The Teens In Action** program provides exciting opportunities for self-discovery and skill-building this summer. Registration is now open for rising 9th – 12th graders.

<https://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/neighborhood-community-services/teens-in-action>

TEENS IN ACTION

Summer 2023

June 20, 2023 through August 18, 2023

8:30 a.m. – 5p.m.

Rising 9th – 12th Grade Teens*


TIA

Our specialty programs are designed with teens in mind. The *Teens In Action* program provides exciting opportunities for self-discovery and skill building, with an emphasis on team building and leadership. The program offers personal attention and plenty of hands-on experience in a safe and fun environment!

** In partnership with FCPS, we are offering a five-week Value In Prevention (VIP) Camp just for our rising middle school teens! VIP participants are invited to join the Teens In Action Program when VIP is not in session. TIA Camp for VIP participants is June 20, 2023, through June 27, 2023, and then July 28, 2023, through August 18, 2023. VIP Camp starts June 28, 2023, through July 27, 2023. Times and Locations may vary. Value In Prevention (VIP) Registration information: <https://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/neighborhood-community-services/value-in-prevention-camp>*

Featuring Opportunities:

- Outdoor Adventures
- Podcasting and social media
- Field Trips
- Sports, Recreation, Health, Fitness and Nutrition
- Job, Education and Career Readiness
- Music and Arts
- Science, Technology, Engineering and Math Exploration
- and much MORE!

 Fairfax County is committed to nondiscrimination in all county programs, services, and activities. To request reasonable accommodations or to receive this information in an alternate format, call 703-324-4600, TTY 711.

- **Rec-PAC** is a six-week structured recreation program operated by the Fairfax County Park Authority for elementary school children. Participants enjoy activities such as fitness, indoor and outdoor games, team sports, nature, crafts, special events, talent shows, and play sessions.

<https://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/parks/rec-pac>

Join the PAC!

Rec-PAC
FAIRFAX COUNTY PARK AUTHORITY

SUMMER 2023

June 26-Aug. 3
8:30 a.m.-4 p.m.
Grades 1-6

NEW! Online registration available for everyone!
No walk-in registrations are allowed at Rec-PAC sites.

A summer program for grades 1-6

Affordable

Convenient locations

EXCITING NEW THEMES! (DETAILS INSIDE)

Only \$120 a week!
Discounts Available!

REGISTER EARLY AND SAVE \$8!

Register Early! Space is Limited.

www.fairfaxcounty.gov/parks/rec-pac
703-222-4664

All Rec-PAC locations and activities will follow current health and safety protocols. The number of Rec-PAC locations and the number of children at each site is limited. You must register in advance.

- **Family Resource Fair**, Thursday, April 27th, from 6:30 – 8:30 p.m. at Robinson SS.

THURSDAY, APRIL 27, 2023

6:30PM - 8:30PM

ROBINSON SECONDARY SCHOOL **Family Resource Night**

Sponsored by Robinson PTSO and Robinson ESOL Department

**Join Us
On
Thursday, April 27th
6:30 to 8:30 pm
Gold Cafeteria**



**This event is open
to the entire
community and
offers a wide
range of providers
to connect with.
You will receive
information and
resources for your
family.**



Contact us:

Ruth Azimi, Family Liaison
rmazimi@fcps.edu 703-426-2257

Cindy Gagnon, ESOL Chair
Christyn Levy, Social Worker

- How can I support my child?
 - Substance abuse? Now what?
 - How do I get health insurance?
 - How can I afford college?
 - How can I get a new job?
- These and many more questions can be answered during the event!

**Pizza and snacks
will be served**

- **Special Education Conference** virtual event on April 29th, 2023

<https://www.fcps.edu/Special-Education-Conference>



Special Education Conference

Unity Within our FCPS Community
EVERY STUDENT. EVERY EDUCATOR. EVERY FAMILY.



VIRTUAL EVENT

April 29th, 2023

You're Invited!

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