

Newsletter

"Florida's Professional Parent" December 2018



Upcoming Events

Rally in Tally February 4 & 5, 2019 Florida FAPA Quarterly meeting and Mini Conference - February 9th Tallahassee Foster Parent Awareness Week February 11-15, 2019 Children's Day - Tallahassee March 26th The Family Cafe - Hyatt Regency Orlando, Fl June 7-9, 2019 NFPA - Anaheim, Ca. June 13-15, 2019 Florida FAPA Conference - Daytona Beach Hilton, Daytona Beach June 21-23, 2019 Florida Coalition for Children Conference - Coronado Springs Resort, Orlando Fl. July 8-10, 2019 North American Council on Adoptable Children - Las Vegas, NV July 18-20, 2019 Dependency Summit - TBA

After the devastating Hurricane swept thru the Florida panhandle in October, numerous foster families and child welfare staff were left with destroyed and damaged homes. As a partner entity in the Florida Coalition for Children (FCC), Florida FAPA worked to ensure that targeted needs for our families were met. Thanks to quality support from foster and adoptive parents who work for Big Bend Community Based Care, wish lists of critical items were created and fulfilled. Generous donations from Save the Children and Sunshine Health to FCC funded our families requests. On October, Florida FAPA sent some love and emotional support in the way of note cards from peers around the state.



Recognizing that recovery efforts are ongoing, Florida FAPA continues to accept donations for our panhandle families

floridafapa.org/hurricane/

Congratulations !!!

Amanda Williams FloridaFAPA President 2019-2020





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Paul Vernon FloridaFAPA Treasurer 2019-2020



















See anything that interested you? Join FloridaFAPA and become a part of positive change.

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Wishing everyone a Safe and Happy Holidays

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