



*for grieving children, teens, & families*

# Family Newsletter

## March 2017

### Volunteer Highlight

#### Zanda Moore

Zanda is as unique and extraordinary as her name. She has the energy of someone in their 20's yet, Zanda will be the first to tell you, she kissed her 20's good bye long ago. Zanda has been a volunteer facilitator at Central Pasco Girls Academy and has been an invaluable partner in many Grief and Loss groups for the teens that are housed there. She is extremely dedicated to these girls, always on time and regardless of personal circumstances, is always present.

I remember on one particular evening, Zanda showed up for group with her eye swollen and black and blue. She had cuts on her face, limping and had her hand bandaged. I asked her, "What the heck happened to you?!" She chuckled and said she had just come from the TIA airport after being in Chicago for her Aunts Memorial where she had slipped in the snow. "It doesn't hurt too badly" she shared. Zanda wasn't going to miss group for anything. We had a good laugh before we went in knowing this would earn her some serious "street credits" with the girls in group.

Zanda serves in countless other ministries including "Love Covers All" and "Heart of Dance"; two ministries to aid women coming out of Sex Trafficking. She sings in her church choir and is involved in the prayer and healing ministry there. Oh, did I forget to mention that she works full time at Pyramid, an Adult Training Center for disabled adults where she is their Performing Arts Director.



Submitted by: Robin Coleman

To All of our Amazing Volunteers,

THANK YOU! Suncoast Kids Place could not function without the amazing volunteers that spend precious time using their life experiences to walk beside every person that attends our program. We want to thank each and every one of our volunteers for the amazing work that they do within our groups. We would also like to begin highlighting them during the year. If you have a special volunteer that you would like to see highlighted, please email us their name and a brief description of how that person has affected your life or a group members life at [info@suncoastkidsplace.org](mailto:info@suncoastkidsplace.org). THANK YOU!



### Give Day Tampa Bay

Suncoast Kids Place will be participating in Give Day Tampa Bay, a 24-hour online giving challenge, which will be on May 2, 2017. So how can you help?

- Mark your calendars for May 2<sup>nd</sup>.
- Like us on your Facebook page.
- Talk to your family, friends and business associates about Suncoast Kids Place and how this amazing organization has touched your life.
- Stay tuned for additional ways on how you can help to make this a successful year of giving for Suncoast Kids Place.

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 <b>K-2nd (1)</b> 6:30-8:00 <b>HALOS Group:</b> Healing After a Loved Ones Suicide 7:00-8:30	2 <b>3rd-5th (2)</b> 6:30-8:00 <b>Brandon</b> 6:45-8:00 (All age groups)	3	4
5	6	7 <b>3rd-5th (1)</b> 6:30-8:00 <b>Middle School Girls</b> 6:30-8:00	8 <b>3rd-5th (3)</b> 6:30-8:00 <b>Teen Boys</b> (MS & HS) 6:30-8:00	9 <b>New Port Richey</b> 6:30 – 8:00 (All age groups)	10	11
12	13 Spring Break <b>No Groups</b>	14 Spring Break <b>No Groups</b>	15 Spring Break <b>No Groups</b> <b>HALOS Group:</b> Healing After a Loved Ones Suicide 7:00-8:30	16 Spring Break <b>No Groups</b>	17 Spring Break <b>No School</b>	18
19	20	21 <b>3rd-5th (1)</b> 6:30-8:00 <b>Middle School Girls</b> 6:30-8:00	22 <b>3rd-5th (3)</b> 6:30-8:00 <b>Teen Boys</b> (MS & HS) 6:30-8:00	23 <b>Pasco Spring Break</b> <b>No New Port</b> <b>Richey Groups</b>	24	25
26	27 <b>Littles (3-5 y/o)</b> 5:30-6:30 <b>High School Girls</b> 6:30-8:00	28 <b>K-2nd (2)</b> 6:30-8:00	29 5 <sup>th</sup> Wednesday <b>No Groups</b>	30 5 <sup>th</sup> Thursday <b>No Groups</b>	31	