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GRG Brevard March 2026 Newsletter

Exciting Events, Giveaways, and Classes Ahead!

Monthly Giveaways and Support Group Meetings

The year has kicked off with exciting news—two clients have already won bicycles through our monthly giveaways. If you want a chance to win, make sure your annual dues of \$10.00 per adult are paid and join us on the third Tuesday of each month at the Rockledge support group meeting. Each meeting you attend increases your chances of winning, so be sure to participate regularly.

Upcoming Youth Mental Health First Aid Training

Mark your calendar for April 23rd when Angelika Keene from UF/IFAS Extension will lead the Youth Mental Health First Aid training course. This program is designed to help you recognize, understand, and respond to signs of mental health and substance use challenges among children and adolescents ages 12 to 18. If you are interested, please log in to our website and register soon—seats are limited.

Summer Sessions for Children

This summer, there will be two special opportunities for the children in your care to participate in their own meetings. In June, we will host a session for boys aged 13 and up, and in July, a session for girls aged 12 and up. These meetings are intended to let children connect with others who share similar family situations. Earlier this year, we sent out an electronic survey for children to complete if they wished, and the feedback showed that many felt misunderstood by those around them. To help address this, we are offering a safe and voluntary space for children to share and connect with others facing—or who have faced—similar challenges. Participation is entirely voluntary and not required.

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T.A.R.G.E.T Training & Support Group Schedule

This month also kicks off our T.A.R.G.E.T Training sessions. Here is a line up of the meetings we have scheduled for this month:

- Monday March 2nd – T.A.R.G.E.T Training session I – Cliff Valentine
- Tuesday March 3rd – Port St John support group
- Wednesday March 4th – Cocoa support group
- Monday March 9th – T.A.R.G.E.T Training session II – Slonim Law
- Wednesday March 11th – Parenting Again Survival Training – Cliff Valentine
- Thursday March 12th – Melbourne support group
- Friday March 13th – Mims support group
- Monday March 16th – T.A.R.G.E.T Training session III – Access Florida – David Chioma
- Tuesday March 17th – Rockledge support group and raffle drawing
- Monday March 23rd – T.A.R.G.E.T Training session IV – Christi Noto with DCF and Katie Guemple with Family Allies
- Thursday March 26th – Melbourne support group
- Monday March 30th – T.A.R.G.E.T Training session V – TBA

We hope to see you at our meetings. You can go on the website to RSVP and to see any upcoming meetings visit www.grg-brevard.org/events