Grandparents Raising Grandchildren of Brevard Co., FL., Inc.
November 2026 Newsletter

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Dear members,

We hope you and your loved ones are safe and doing well after the rainstorm at the beginning of this month. If you are facing challenges or need help finding resources, please give us a call. You do not have to navigate this alone.

Holiday Gift Support
As the holiday season approaches, many families are looking forward to gathering with loved ones and planning gifts for their children.

*If you missed signing up for **Kids Without Christmas**, there is still an opportunity to choose gifts for the children you are raising who are not your biological children. Please click here to book a date and time to visit the office and pick out gifts.*

Office Closures and Visits
The office will be closed:

- *November 11 in observance of Veterans Day*
- *The week of Thanksgiving*

We will be holding support group meetings this month. If you cannot make it to the office, we would love to connect with you at one of these meetings. If you plan to visit the office, please call ahead or click here to book an appointment so we can make sure we are there to welcome you.

As always, thank you for your continued support,
Natasha and Mary Pat.

October highlights:

- Kate from Space Coast Habitat for Humanity spoke at our meeting in Port St John.
- We had a table at the Teddy Bear picnic in Wickham Park and also at the Sheriff's cars and motorcycle charity event at Viera High School.
- We had our final Beef O Brady's meeting for the year. We will resume those meetings in January.

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******If you missed these events and want to attend upcoming speakers or classes, please register at www.grg-brevard.org/events.***

Upcoming meetings and training courses in November:

- Tuesday November 10th – Parenting Again Survival Training with Cliff Valentine
- Wednesday November 11th – GRG closed
- Thursday November 12th – Support group meeting – Club Esteem
- Monday November 16th – GRG will have a table at Parrish Medical Center
- Tuesday November 17th – Support Group meeting – GRG office, where Eckerd Connect will host a cooking and nutrition class
- Wednesday November 18th – GRG will have a table at Florida Tech's Market Day
- Saturday November 21st – GRG's Golf Tournament fundraiser
- The week of November 23rd – GRG closed

To sign up for the meetings please go to our website www.grg-brevard.org/events and register.

Other news:



Our Golf Tournament is happening on **November 21st**, and we are hoping to connect with sponsors who care about families like yours. If you know a business or community partner who might want to get involved, please pass this along. For details, reach out at: 321-631-7776 or hobscotch59@gmail.com.

We are out and about in the community actively building partnerships and seeking donors who want to support kinship families. We would love your help. Volunteers are needed to assist with event setup, cleanup, event support, school outreach tables and other promotional activities. Students may also be able to earn community service hours.

We are also forming a volunteer committee for anyone interested in helping support and promote the organization. If you would like to join the committee or volunteer your time, please text Patricia Bell on 321-446-6114.

We could not continue this important work without the support of the families we serve and the community partners who stand beside us. Your encouragement, your trust and your belief in our mission mean more than you know. Thank you for allowing our team to walk alongside you and for trusting us to do our very best to meet your needs.