


Suncoast Kid's Place:
Parent's Update
August, 2010



- **STARTING BACK!** - We are SO excited for our groups to start back on August 16. The staff attended the National Alliance for Grieving Children (NAGC) in Cleveland in June and returned with many wonderful ideas to provide even better services to you and your children.
- **TEEN NIGHTS**—We will start having a Teen Night on the **First Friday** of each month, starting in August. Often teens have problems relating to others who have not had a significant loss in their lives. The teen night will provide opportunities for middle and high school students to get together socially. So, please plan on them attending our first Teen Night on August 6 in the Group Life Center (GLC) from 6:30-8:30. It will be pizza and movie night. Please let us know if your teen will be attending—contact Daniel at: Daniel@suncoastkidsplace.org or 813-990-0216 
- **ELEMENTARY AGE DAY CAMP**—Mark your calendars for our first Day Camp, which will happen on Saturday, November 6 at 10:00 am. More details will follow. We will be asking our teen group members to volunteer to help on this day.
- **NEW ADULT GROUP: HEALING FROM SUICIDE LOSS**—There are very few groups available in the Tampa Bay area that specifically deal with losses from suicide. So, as part of our new Suicide Prevention Program, we will start this group on Wednesday, September 15 from 7:00-8:30 in the Group Life Center (GLC). Child care is available with reservations in advance. Anyone interested in attending, please contact Daniel at : Daniel@suncoastkidsplace.org or 813-990-0216
- **MEMORY WALL**—We have a very nice “memory wall” at SKP now and will soon have them at the Group Life Center and University Community Center. We are asking that everyone bring a photo of their loved one for our wall.
- **STAFF CHANGES!** - As we continue to grow, we are adding new staff to our team and making other changes. Deborah Brooks has been the Sr. Facilitator for several of our children and parent groups and is now our Associate Director for Children Services. Pattee Rampt is now the Associate Director for Adult Services. This specialization will allow us to better serve our families and the community.

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3 <u>Young Adult Program</u> 6:30-8:00	4	5	6 Teen Night 6:30-8:30 	7
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