

NEWSLETTER

JUNE 9th, 2021



BBBS NEWS & UPDATES

Don't forget to register for these upcoming events!

JUNE 10th & 17th, 2021: Truth Facts & Lies. This class will be held for Female littles ages 14-18 years old. It will be a two course workshop 8am-3pm. Only 12 spots available. Parents can get more information & register their child [HERE!](#)

JUNE 19th, 2021: Youth Yoga & Wellness Workshop, Join us for an afternoon of yoga, affirmations, wellness, creativity & more. Community-Based Matches & Sports Buddies Matches may attend together OR a parent may register their child to attend solo (must be registered in the BBBS program). Bigs & parents can get more information & register [HERE!](#)

JUNE 29th, 2021: Truth Facts & Lies. This class will be held for Female littles ages 11-13 years old from 8am-3pm. Only 12 spots available. Parents can get more information & register their child [HERE!](#)

JUNE IS GREAT OUTDOORS MONTH & WE'RE GETTING OUTSIDE WITH **MERRELL®**



This month, we are partnering with Merrell to demonstrate how mentoring is #GreaterOutdoors. This fun outdoor scavenger hunt is a great way to have an outdoor adventure with the kiddos in your life!

<https://blog.merrell.com/great-outdoors-month-scavenger-hunt/>



ACTIVITY IDEAS



FAMILY ART NIGHT

Support a great cause & create Art! You and your family will create your own masterpiece with the guidance of our friends over at Acadiana Center for the Arts. Work together as a family group to create your own Flowers-inspired painting.

[LEARN MORE HERE!](#)



BICYCLE SAFETY FESTIVAL

The 5th Annual Bike Safety Festival will feature bicycle safety instruction, bike registration and inspections. Free bike lights and t-shirts will be given away, while supplies last. Those who complete a short bicycle safety course will be eligible to win a free bicycle from Hub City Cycles.

[MORE DETAILS HERE](#)



LAFAYETTE FARMERS MARKET

Special Birthday Market Hours 8am til 1pm. Live Entertainment with the Wild Prairie Pickers Bluegrass Band AND Cajun Music Jam; Free Birthday Cupcakes & Balloons, Antique Car Show, Petanque Games, Market Basket Giveaways and LOTS OF GREAT VENDORS!

[VIEW THE EVENT PAGE HERE](#)



TEEN SNACK ATTACK

Learn to create some easy recipes! Amaze your friends and families with the snacks you can make. Ages 12-18.

Wednesdays, on Youtube

June 9 - Popcorn Cake. June 30 - Baked Mozzarella Bites. July 21 - Circus Animal Cookie Balls

August 11 - Nutella Brownies

youtube.com/lafpublib



COMMUNITY RESOURCES

Summer Safari Reading Passport for Children at the Lafayette Public Library



Start your adventure by picking up a Summer Safari Reading Passport from the Main or Regional Libraries.

From June 1st to July 31st, children (Ages 3 – 12) can travel around the parish with their family to the Main and Regional Libraries that feature five Summer Safari destinations, such as the Amazon Rainforest and Louisiana Wetlands.

At each destination, you will find engaging activities like photo ops, scavenger hunts, and displays where you can learn more about the animals that live there. Complete a special activity at each stop to earn a stamp in your passport and collect all five stamps to earn a special prize! Share pictures from your journey using the #LPLSummerSafari hashtag.

Pick up a Summer Safari Reading Passport from one of the five library locations! [Learn more HERE!](#)

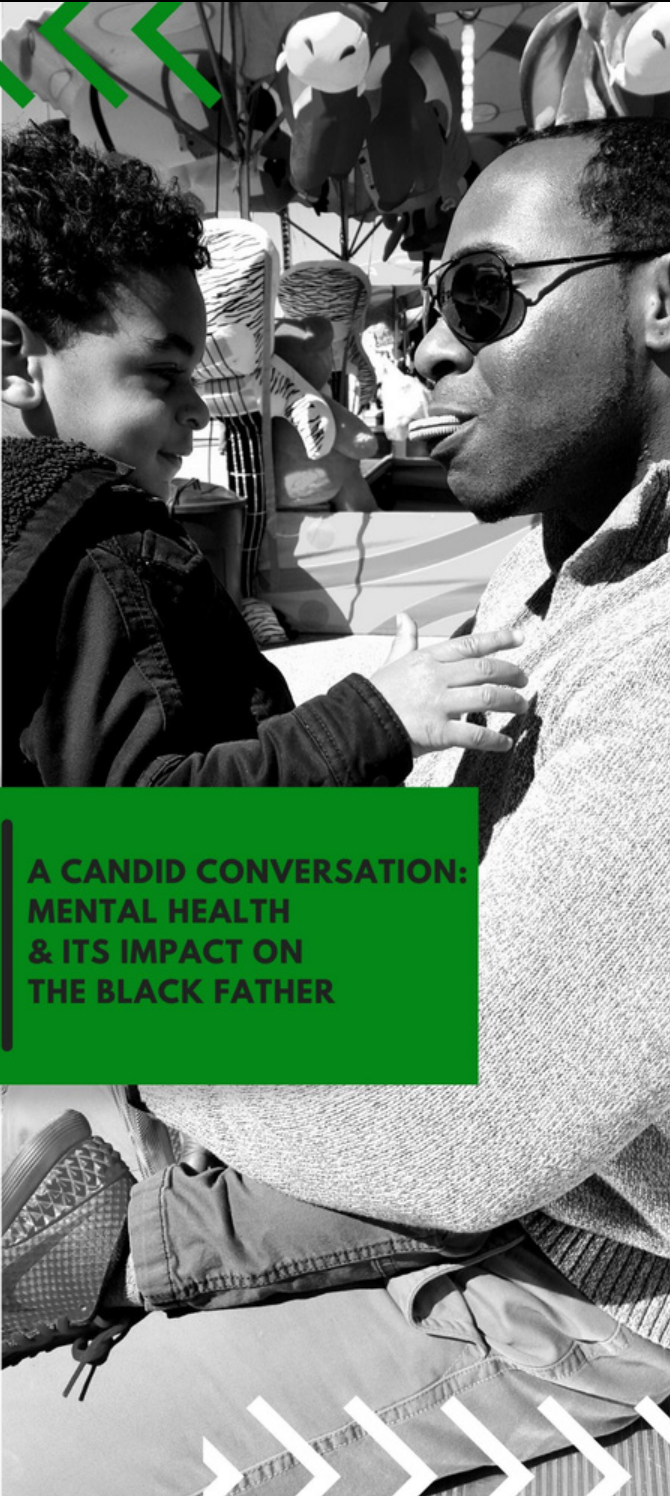


COMMUNITY RESOURCES

This year, in honor of Father's Day, The Family Tree & Healthy Start are hosting a Men's Mental Health Symposium.

The symposium will be "A Candid Conversation: Mental Health and Its Impact On the Black Father".

The event will be hosted virtually as a Zoom webinar. There will be a fatherhood panel, a mental health training, and a professionals panel on how the perspective organizations are supporting men's mental health. [Register today!](#)



2021

MEN'S MENTAL HEALTH SYMPOSIUM

A CANDID CONVERSATION: MENTAL HEALTH & ITS IMPACT ON THE BLACK FATHER

HOSTED VIRTUALLY
6.21.21 | 8:30 AM-12:30 PM
LIMITED SEATS AND CEU'S AVAILABLE

Email us to request the registration link
healthystart@acadianafamilytree.org



Do not hesitate to contact us if you have any questions, concerns or requests!



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