



Youth Programs Department Monthly Report

MEETING DATE: October 20, 2025

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SUBJECT: September 2025 Department Report

PROGRAMMING

- Twenty (20) days of after school provided & one (1) full day of programming from 7:30a.m. - 5:30p.m.
- On September 23rd, YP participated in our first Sierra Club Inspiring Connections Outdoors field trip of the year. Twenty-three (23) children toured SWA's Renewable Energy Park and hiked. Children were treated to Chinese food and ice cream.

PERFORMANCE MEASUREMENTS

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# of Participants	92	121
# of Participants in Sierra Club ICO	23	15
# of Licenses Coordinated	1	1
# of MOU's Coordinated	1	1
# of Part.'s in Teen Advisory Council (TAC)	8	8
# of Part.'s in TOP Program	40	40
# of Part.'s in Garden Club	0	34
# of Presidential Volunteer Service Hours	1021	5141

FINANCIAL INFORMATION

GRANTS COORDINATED	AVERAGE THIS PERIOD	FY 2025 TO DATE
Early Learning Coalition	\$9,965.70	\$131,263
Parent & Registration Fees	\$13,111.00	\$153,801.21
Youth Services Department SEL Grant	\$7,700.80	\$69,299.20
Textile Funds	\$00.00	\$10,260.00
Summer Camp Scholarship Program	\$00.00	\$6,600.00

C.A.R.E.S REPORT

- Throughout the month of September, the CARES Program Green and Red Team (3rd-5th) has been participating in the Prime Time ELO Nexlore. During the Nexlore program the students built mechanical, artistic, and engineering skills and learned to act as inventors. They designed remote-controlled hydraulic arms, learned to harness energy to power race cars, and experimented with structural design.
- On 9/12/25 older adults from Elison Independent Living Facility surprised Red Team (4th & 5th) by presenting them with a thank you poster from Elison. The thank you poster was for Red Team doing a social event at their facility where the youth played board games and gave out roses in August which the older adults enjoyed.

TEEN PROGRAMS REPORT

- On Sept. 20th, our Hot Spot students participated in their first Community Event of the new school year, Feeding South Florida's Outrun Hunger 5k. It was a huge success, with two participants finishing in the top 3 in their age group.
- Throughout the month of September, the City's Youth Programs Department prepared for Hispanic Heritage Month, on Friday (9/26) we kicked it off with a huge celebration. Our High School students decorated doors, painted ceiling tiles, created stations with information about various Hispanic countries, and taught our Elementary and Middle school students about the various cultures of each country, fun facts, and native foods. Additionally, students had the opportunity to sample foods from Mexico, Dominican Republic, Honduras, and Guatemala. Parents and families were also able to stop by and tour each station and try samples.
- Two of our high school students participated in the Senior Health and Resource Fair on September 27th. Students manned a Tech table for the seniors. They assisted seniors in navigating their smartphones, they helped with receiving emails to managing social media accounts.