

August Newsletter

Established in 1990, the Flagler County Education Foundation is a 501(c)(3) non-profit committed to generating financial support and awareness to enhance educational programs that benefit students, families, and teachers in Flagler Schools.

Back to School Celebration at Our House in the Bunnell Community

Thank you so much to all our S.T.U.F.F. Bus donors who have made it happen so we could give each student a backpack filled with supplies at this event! Those smiles say it all!



S.T.U.F.F. Bus

The S.T.U.F.F. Bus (Supplying Things U Find Fundamental) had a jam-packed month serving students and families across Flagler Schools! Thanks to the incredible generosity of our community, we were able to stock the bus with clothing, shoes, hygiene products, school supplies, and so much more to make sure students had what they needed to start the year strong.

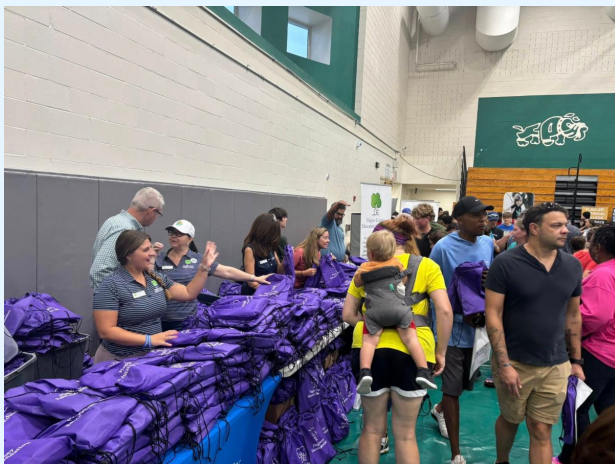
We are so grateful for everyone who hosted drives, donated items, or helped spread the word. Your support makes a huge difference! If you'd like to donate or have questions, please reach out: asbillm@flaglerschools.com Families in need of supplies can submit a request directly to their schools S.T.U.F.F. Bus coordinator.

The S.T.U.F.F. Bus, provides essential supplies and clothing to students and their families experiencing economic difficulties. Supplies include, but are not limited to, new and gently used clothing, jackets, hygiene products, shoes, undergarments, and school supplies.



Back to School Jam

We proudly handed out over 2,000 school starter kits to make sure our students are geared up and ready to learn on day one! Huge thanks to our volunteers, partners, and supporters who helped make this possible. Together, we're investing in brighter futures for every Flagler student!





Take Stock in Children

Our College Readiness Coach, Pete Celestino and Student Success Coordinator, Selina Hernandez attended the annual Take Stock Back to School Summit. Their unwavering dedication and hard work in supporting students on their journey to post-secondary education is truly inspiring and was proven by being given the GOLD and LUMINARY award for Flagler County.





Flagler County Disaster Preparedness Breakfast

We were proud to sponsor the breakfast and had an excellent opportunity to connect with so many of our dedicated community partners. We enjoyed having our table with information about our mission and discussing how we can all work together to support Flagler Schools and keep our community safe and resilient.





Rymfire Book Vending Machine

Our partnership with **Advent Health Palm Coast** continues to make a meaningful impact for students across Flagler Schools. NASCAR's Erik Jones (#43), along with AdventHealth, made a special donation to Rymfire Elementary, gifting a Book Vending Machine for our Roadrunners to enjoy! This incredible addition gives students even more opportunities to discover the joy of reading and learning. We are grateful for this partnership and look forward to continuing this great work together. Just one more reason why Flagler Schools is the **#BestChoiceInFlagler!**



Flagler County Legislative Update

The Flagler County Education Foundation team and board members were honored to attend the Legislative Update with Representative Sam Greco and Senator Tom Leek, presented by the Palm Coast Chamber of Commerce.

We're grateful for the opportunity to hear directly from our legislative leaders and share the importance of continued support for public education and student success in Flagler County. Thank you to our elected officials for their leadership and partnership!



From Meetings to Meet the Teacher - What a Week!

From meetings with school leadership teams, joining faculty gatherings, to walking the halls during Meet the Teacher events — the energy across all 11 of our **Flagler Schools** was absolutely electric as they geared up for the first day of school!



Welcoming Baby Ellis

Flagler County Education Foundations Assistant Director of Marketing and Communications, Stephanie Ellis welcomed her fourth addition to her beautiful family! Help us congratulate her on this special edition!

Welcoming with love
CLARA LYNN ELLIS



19TH OF AUGUST, 2025
6 LBS, 5 OZ • 19 INCHES

Proud parents,
ZACH & STEPHANIE ELLIS

Flagler School Board Meeting

We were able to present at the school board meeting all our grants that have been awarded so far. We can't say THANK YOU enough to our amazing local organizations and businesses who stand beside the Flagler County Education Foundation. Your generosity helps us fill the gaps, spark innovation, and bring new opportunities right into our classrooms.

Because of your support, students, educators, and families across **Flagler Schools** feel the difference every single day. Together, we're building brighter futures—and we couldn't do it without you!



Josh Crews Creative Writing Club Kickoff

We proudly kicked off the Josh Crews Writing Project with the incredible teachers who lead creative writing clubs across all 12 of our schools – including iFlagler and Imagine!

We can't wait to see the amazing work our students will produce this year with their leadership and encouragement. Here's to another powerful year of storytelling!



Thank you to the **The Landing Strip Tavern** for hosting us. Thank you to **Flagler County Cultural Council** and **City of Palm Coast, FL - Government** for supporting this extraordinary program!!



SAVE THE DATE!!
ONCE UPON A QUILL:
A Fairy Tale Night
Costumes - Food - Music
November 15 At 6:00pm
CHANNEL SIDE
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15th Annual JDC Gala
Supporting the JDC Writing Project
Tickets on Sale
September 15th
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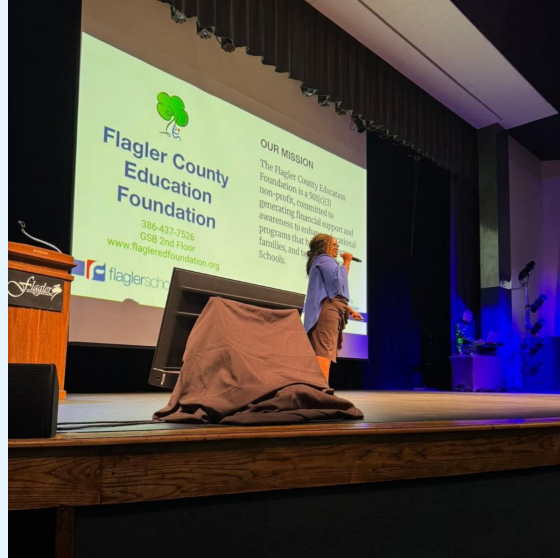
Does your student need a Physical?

Back to School & Sports Physicals!
Family Ties Wellness is offering physicals for just \$20, and yes, EKG screenings are available!

We love that we have a collaborating cardiologist to review the EKGs for extra peace of mind.

Quick, easy, and affordable care to keep your kids healthy and ready for the season!

Call or text us to book your appointment today! 386-302-2298



Grant Opportunity Flagler Teachers!

New Grant Opportunity for Flagler Teachers!
We're excited to announce a new grant opportunity for **Flagler Schools** teachers, thanks to our incredible partners at **Tanger**



Partner in Education, Sharkey's Cuts for Kids Ormond Beach

GRAND OPENING Sharkey's Cuts for Kids August 1st!

Award-Winning Kids Salon for Ages 0-14!

Schedule your family's appointment at

<https://bit.ly/sharkeyscutsormondbeach>



Outlets, Daytona Beach!

The Tanger Outlets Grant is open for applications and provides funding to support innovative classroom projects and enhance the learning experience for your students. This is a fantastic chance to bring your creative ideas to life!

Grant Deadline: Submit your grant application **August 11, 2025 - October 18, 2025.**

For more information and to apply, visit: <https://buff.ly/b3Mnv2h>



We're committed to helping students succeed

Since 1996, we've taken great pride in our role of supporting teachers and students and have made it a priority to give back to the schools in our communities.

Through our TangerKids Grant program we invite teachers and leaders in education to request funding to help enhance programs and better serve students.

From modernizing literature and libraries, to purchasing adaptive and more inclusive equipment, the grants awarded through the TangerKids Grant Program allows students and teachers access to the resources needed to succeed in today's classroom.

Program Timeline



AUG 11 - OCT 18
Grant Applications Accepted



OCT 19 - NOV 19
Applications Under Review



DEC 15
Grant Winners Notified



DEC 19
Grant Winners Announced



"We believe all students deserve opportunities to discover who they are and what they can achieve."



STEPHEN YALOF
TANGER PRESIDENT & CEO



Scan to apply now!

Apply for a Grant

Login or register to complete your grant request. This will allow you to make edits along the way and to review your grant request once it is submitted.

A Tanger appointed committee will review all requests and select which school(s) will receive funding for the 2025-2026 school year. Grants will be awarded based on the project scope and need as illustrated in the request.

Questions?

We're happy to help. Please contact:

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more information.

WWW.FlaglerEdFoundation.org





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35 YEARS STRONG LET'S MAKE IT HAPPEN!

We're celebrating 35 amazing years of empowering students and educators through the Flagler County Education Foundation — and we need your help to keep the momentum going!

In honor of our 35th anniversary, we're asking you to give \$35 to the Annual Dinner "Make It Happen" fund — that's just \$1 for every year of impact, innovation, and inspiration. Together we've done so much, and with your help we'll make the next 35 even better.

💡 \$35. One cause. A lifetime of difference.

Are you in?



**Vist: www.flaglereducationfoundation.org
for more info and to donate.**

Small Change, Big Impact! Many \$35 "Make it Happen" donations can collectively create something amazing! Join others in supporting Make It Happen and helping us reach our goals!

DONATE HERE!



Thank You To Our Annual Partners!



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