



Greenway FSC News & Updates!

Hello!

Thank you for joining the Greenway Family Success Center E-newsletter!

We had an exciting summer filled with fun and educational activities for the community. Take a look at some of the programs that took place this summer and don't forget to check out upcoming programs and the October calendar.

Special thank you to our community partners and donors for their collaboration and support!



535-537 New Brunswick Avenue, Fords, NJ, 08863

(PH) 732.527.3400

Center Hours:

Monday, Wednesday and Friday 11-5 p.m.
Tuesday and Thursday 11- 7 p.m.

**Programs are free
and open to all
families!!**



**Registration
is required
for all
programs**

**GREENWAY
FAMILY
SUCCESS CENTER**

October 2019 Calendar

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1. Vaping Workshop 5:30pm-7:00pm 	2. Healing Hearts & Building Resilience: Managing Meltdowns, Taming Tantrums and other challenging behaviors 10:00am-12:00pm 	3. Crochet club 5:30 pm- 6:30 pm Please RSVP 	4. 	5. Fall Fest 10:00am-2:00pm 
7. 0-3 Play Group 10:00am-11:00am 	8. 	9. 	10. Parent Advisory Council 5:30pm-7:00pm 	11. Shoot for the Stars! Craft + Activity 3:30pm-4:30pm 	12. 
14. 	15. Active Parenting 6:00pm-7:30pm 	16. PAC Info Session 12:00pm-1:00pm Munch + Move: Diwali 3:45pm-4:45pm 	17. Healthy Family Meals @ Jacobs Landing (Residents Only) 5:30-6:30pm 	18. 	19. Red Ribbon Day 10:00am-2:00pm @ Nomahegan Park Cranford, NJ
21. 3-5 Play Group 10:00am-11:00am 	22. Active Parenting 6:00pm-7:30pm 	23.	24. Green Cleaning Workshop 5:30pm-7:00pm 	25. Halloween Craft 3:30pm-4:30pm 	26. 
28. 	29. Active Parenting 6:00pm-7:30pm 	30. Munch + Move: Halloween 3:45pm-4:45pm 	31. Halloween (Center Closed) 		

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Instagram: [@greenwayfamilysuccess](https://www.instagram.com/greenwayfamilysuccess)

See back for details



Upcoming Events:

Fall Fest: October 5th 11:00
a.m.-1:00 p.m.

Munch & Move Diwali:
October 16th 3:45 p.m.- 4:45
p.m.

Red Ribbon Day: October 19
10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.

[Register To Walk](#)





Our 0-3 playgroup and toddler playgroups headed outdoors to Fords Park for some fun in the sun! From puppet hour to paint and popcorn our Fridays were filled with entertainment. A special thank you to Rita's Ice in Hopelawn, NJ for donating ices to our mini carnival!



Program Spotlight: **Active Parenting**



An interactive and informative four week parenting program for parents of children ages 5-12. Refreshments and a structured activity for children will be provided. Registration is limited.

Register today!
Call (732)-527-3400

[Learn more about the Active Parenting Program](#)

Special Highlight

In July, we were happy to meet Paul Aronsohn, NJ's Ombudsman for Individuals with Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities and Their Families. We are thankful for the genuine concern he has, and the steps he's taking to cause real change for each family. Thank you

to the Family Support Organization (FSO) of Middlesex County,
for collaborating with us!



Meet Our Parent Advisory Council (PAC)



Diana Balmes

Diana lives in Colonia. Diana's husband is Jimmy and she has 2 children: Alyssa and James. They are two and a half and four years old. She loves Greenway FSC because it



Madonna Ladze

Madonna lives in Woodbridge. Madonna has two children who LOVE being part of the Greenway Family Success Center and it is one of the reasons she loves the FSC. She has joined PAC to be a part of an

is a warm, welcoming place for her and her family to go. The FSC puts on such fun activities for both children and adults. She became a PAC member so she can help her community in anyway that she can to feel comfortable and have a place to go and feel welcomed.



Sonal Gadhavi

Sonal lives in Woodbridge. She is a mother of two beautiful kids. She likes to visit the Greenway FSC because they offer a variety of fun and educational programs for the entire family. She is highly creative, innovative and passionate about community service and likes to volunteer her time in conducting creative art class and projects for families as a PAC member.

amazing community and to share some love.



Ana Marie Vega

Ana lives in Woodbridge and is from Puerto Rico. She has a family of four, her husband, and two children. Ana became a PAC member because when she moved to NJ, Greenway FSC was a lifesaver for her and she wanted to help the center reach even more people. One of the things she likes most about Greenway FSC is it is very inclusive; they have activities for everyone in the family and kids are always welcome. The center feels like family.

What is PAC?

PAC is our Parent Advisory Council which meets once a month to plan activities, events, and provide input about what programs would be best for their community. PAC members also assist with volunteering or leading programs at the Greenway FSC.

How can I become a PAC member?

If you are interested in becoming a PAC member, please come to our next PAC Information Session on Wednesday, October

What type of programming are you interested in?

Educational

Select

Arts and Crafts

Select

Health

Select

Finances

Select

Employment

Select

Housing

Select

Teen Programming

Select

We Would Love to hear from you!

Please contact us regarding program ideas and center suggestions by phone, during programming, or stop by during our business hours.



Interested in giving back to your community?
[Volunteer](#) with us!

Greenway FSC has internship opportunities available. Apply [Here](#)



We are now on Instagram! Follow us for upcoming programming and to stay up to date on what is going on in the community!



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