

Communities of Focus

Resident & Partner Meeting

August 25, 2026 / 10:30-11:30 a.m.



Zoom Link: <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/87574172336?pwd=AwAlE4IK1l6NI1p9iHcd49Cvn9LP2R.1>

Meeting ID: 875 7417 2336 - **Passcode:** 358305

Facilitators: Bridging to Community (BTC) team

Note-taker: Tony Smith

Participant total # 37

Agenda:

- **Welcome and Quick Introductions (5 mins)** – Daniel
 - Opening Activity: What was your favorite activity at school recess?
- **Quick CoF Overview & Agenda (5 mins)** – Daniel
 - No AI bot policy; Permission to record; Notes will be documented and shared out.
- **Land Acknowledgement (5 mins)** – Svetlana
- **Supporting our Students: Theme Introduction** – Leah
- **Guest Speaker:**
 - Lakewood CIS – Jesi Vega
 - Parkland Family Resource Center – Blanca Sagastizado
 - MyIR Application – Daniel
 - Homepage: [MyIRMobile - MyIR Mobile](#)
 - Children Immunizations: <https://tpchd.org/health/immunizations/children/>
 - Multicultural Child and Family Hope Center – Sara Irish
 - Key Peninsula CIS – Laurel Schultz
 - Family Support Partnership
 - PSESD – Elizabeth Chick
 - PC Target Zero – Donna Kelly
- **Community Updates (TBD)** – Leah
 - Used laptop distribution & registration survey.
 - Share survey with community partners - [Application](#).
 - 'Bridging to Community' (BTC) 2025 report coming soon

- If you have any community updates, please share in the chat and they will also be captured in the notes.
- **Closing (5 mins) – Tony**
 - Next CoF Resident & Partner meeting.
 - Tuesday, September 22, 2026 via Zoom (10:30-11:30 a.m.)
 - If anyone would like to share about their work at a future meeting, please let us know. Anything from a facilitation or meeting management strategy, skill building, a program or strategy that could be replicated elsewhere, or bring your own ideas!
 - If you would like this meeting populated into your calendar, please reach out.
 - You can reach us at communitiesoffocus@tpchd.org.
 - Thank you for your teamwork!
- **Adjourn**

Participants # 37

Notes

- ***Supporting our students***
 - **Lakewood Communities in Schools (CIS)** – **Jesi Vega - Volunteer Coordinator**, jesi@lakewoodcis.org
 - Provides food, clothing, and housing transition programs for folks experiencing housing instability.
 - Works closely with many partners in Clover Park and Franklin Pierce Schools.
 - Upcoming events, school supply drive, **Sept. 11, 10:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m. at Washington State Fair**, and if you donate school supplies, you get free admission to the fair.
 - Aylen High School in Puyallup, volunteer opportunity to sort and organize all the donated supplies from the WA State Fair event prior on Sept 12th, **8 a.m.-12 p.m.**, all are welcome. Contact Jesi Vega for more information.
 - Mentoring and tutoring opportunities are also available.
 - **Franklin Pierce Family Resource Center** – **Blanca Sagastizado**, bsagastizado@fpschools.org
 - Folks can help by donating food to the food pantry, especially cooking oil.
 - Backpacks from Pierce Transit.
 - Coat donations are always helpful.
 - Collaborative Partners Initiative (CPIN) is bringing their clothing bank to the center. If anyone wants to participate or host a clothing bank within their community, contact Blanca.
 - **My IR Mobile (Statewide)** – **Daniel Burdall**, DBurdsall@tpchd.org

- MyIR Mobile allows you to access your own immunizations records in WA state, along with your children, via phone, tablets, laptops, etc.
 - Opportunity to add adult and child immunization records. You can even add your pets.
 - [MyIRMobile - MyIR Mobile](#)
- For resources and updates on child and adult immunizations, check this resource here:
 - [Immunizations - Tacoma-Pierce County Health Department](#)
 - www.tpchd.org/health/immunizations/children
- [Multicultural Child and Family Hope Center \(Pierce County\)](#)– Sara Irish, sirish@mcfhc.org
 - Free vaccine clinics through the end of 2026.
 - Calendar at this website here: <https://tpchd.org/health/immunizations/children/>

2026 Vaccine Clinic Schedule		
Multicultural Child and Family Hope Center Clinics	School-Based Clinics <i>Students from neighboring districts are welcome</i>	Other Community-Based Vaccine Clinics
MCFHC Back to School Fair August 17, 12:30pm-3:30pm Wednesday Recurring Clinics August 26, 3pm-6pm September 9, 3pm-6pm September 23, 3pm-6pm September 30, 3pm-6pm October 14, 3pm-6pm October 21, 3pm-6pm October 28, 3pm-6pm November 4, 3pm-6pm November 18, 3pm-6pm December 9, 3pm-6pm Adult vaccinations also offered at MCFHC clinics; adults must pre-register. 2316 S. State Street, Suite C, Tacoma, WA 98405 Pre-Register for MCFHC vaccine clinics 	August 21, 10am-1pm Thompson Elementary 303 159th St E, Tacoma, WA 98445 August 24, 9am-12pm Glacier Middle School 240 C St N, Buckley, WA 98321 August 24, 1pm-4pm Aylem Junior High 101 15th St NW, Puyallup, WA 98371 August 27, 3pm-6pm Brookdale Elementary 611 132nd St S, Parkland, WA 98444 September 3, 3pm-6pm Orting Middle School 111 Whitehawk Blvd NW, Orting, WA 98360 October 1, 3:30pm-6:30pm Daffodil Valley Elementary School 1509 Valley Ave E, Sumner, WA 98390 Pre-Register for school-based vaccine clinics 	August 8, 9am-12pm Caring for Kids "Ready to Learn Fair" a Harrison Preparatory School 9103 Lakewood Dr SW, Lakewood, WA 98499 Limited to Clover Park, Steilacoom, and University Place School District students. Pre-Register for Caring for Kids "Ready to Learn" clinic  August 28, 10am-1pm Tacoma Police Department's "School Ready Day 1" Fair Tacoma Dome 2727 E D St, Tacoma, WA 98421 Pre-Register for TPD "School Ready on Day 1" clinic 

2026 Vaccine Clinics

Co-Hosted by Acts Pharmacy, the Bessler Center at Mary Bridge Children's, and Pierce County Medical Reserve Corps



Routine childhood vaccinations are available for children and youth aged 4 to 18. Additionally, flu and COVID vaccines will be offered as they become available.

- All children are welcome, regardless of their insurance status.
- Walk-ins are welcome for children.
- Adults must pre-register to receive a vaccine; only Multicultural Child and Family Hope Center clinics will offer vaccines for adults.

Learn more about upcoming clinics



For any questions, please contact BesslerCenter@multicare.org

- Harvest Festival event happening on October 26.
 - Scan the QR code on the flyer to sign up or get more information.
 - Encourage folks who are going through the immigration process, sign up via the QR code.
 - Language access and interpretation available, if needed.
- [Puget Sound Educational Service District \(PSESD\) \(King & Pierce County\)](#) - Liz Chick, echick@psed.org

- Questions and support about re-engaging students, head start, early learning, violence prevention, drug abuse, etc.
 - [Native American Education Program](#)
 - 4 different schools with 400 K-12 students.
 - Cultural and educational opportunities for Native students and their families.
 - Jason Lafontaine, Director Native American Education Program – jlafontaine@psed.org, 253-778-7963.
 - The PSESD Native American Education Program supports Native American student educational and cultural needs in four Pierce County school districts (Franklin Pierce, Peninsula, Sumner-Bonney Lake, and University Place).
 - [Valley of Esperanza](#) - *Sumner Bonney-Lake and Orting School District*
 - Work with families in Orting, Sumner, and Puyallup.
 - Esperanza is “Hope” in Spanish.
 - Staff at Sumner and Orting Family Resource Centers.
 - Ask – Orting Back to School events – needing more backpacks currently, Liz Chick is able to pick up any backpack donations.
 - Support all students, especially those who speak Spanish.
 - For more information, please contact Arely Dominguez Maya at amaya@psed.org or 253-778-7880 or Maria Vera at mlopez@psed.org or 360-893-8500.
- **[Pierce County Target Zero](#) – Donna Kelly, Dkelly3@tacoma.gov, 253-453-0261**
- Funding for a Target Zero Manager has been cut in Pierce County.
 - Leading causes of deaths for teens are car crashes in the US.
 - Main causes – distractions, night driving, speeding, seatbelts and impaired driving.
 - Sign up for Teens in the Driver Seat program - www.t-driver.com.
 - School resource kits are available with multiple materials. Available to any youth serving orgs.
 - August-April.
 - Schools and organizations can receive up to \$1500 for completed activities.
 - Youth can earn gift cards to various businesses for safe driving.
 - Teens in the Driver’s Seat/You in the Driver’s Seat/ Child Passenger Safety CPS / Free car and booster seats/ Car seat checks and installations.
 - Target Zero will be giving backless car seats away at the Health and Safety Fair. Children MUST be present, in order to get supplies.
- ***Pierce Transit - Nicole Wanner, nwanner@piercetransit.org***

- Transit Board approved a measure to go before voters in November.
 - If approved, service can increase by 47%.
 - Running more frequent buses and adding additional routes.
 - No longer having a 1-hour frequency on weekdays. Never longer than a 30-minute wait for the next bus on weekdays.
 - Paratransit and shuttle free for folks 65+ and older.
 - [Expanding Local Transit - Pierce Transit - Connecting you with life](#)
- Pierce Transit All-Day Passes can be picked up at any of the following locations:
 - Al Davies Boys & Girls Club, 1620 S. 17th St., Tacoma.
 - Hours: Monday-Friday, 8 a.m.- 4 p.m.
 - RISE Center, 2136 Martin Luther King Jr. Way, Tacoma.
 - Hours: Monday-Friday, 10 a.m.- 5 p.m.
 - Eastside Community Center, 1721 E. 56th St., Tacoma.
 - Hours: Monday-Friday, 8- 8 p.m.; Saturday, 9 a.m.-3 p.m.
 - People's Community Center, 1602 Martin Luther King Jr. Way, Tacoma.
 - Hours: Monday-Friday, 8:00 a.m.-7 p.m.; Saturday, 9 a.m.- 2 p.m.
 - STAR Center, 3873 S. 66th St., Tacoma.
 - Hours: Monday-Friday, 9 a.m.- 8 p.m.; Saturday, 9 a.m.- 2 p.m.
 - Please note:
 - Pierce Transit's All-Day Pass is very convenient – pay just once to ride all day until 2:59 a.m. (end of service day). It's good for unlimited rides on local Pierce Transit bus and Runner service only. Note: Pierce Transit Day Passes are NOT valid on SHUTTLE, Sound Transit, or other neighboring agencies' transit services. Youth (ages 6-18) ride for free. We encourage families to take advantage of this resource and join us for a fun and informative day.
- [Free Youth Pass - Pierce Transit - Connecting you with life](#)
- Pierce Transit offers Travel Training for free. It's self-paced instruction for individuals who wish to use regular bus service and become familiar with public transportation options. If interested, contact [Nicole Wanner](#), Pierce Transit and she will connect you.
- [Collaborative Partners Initiative \(CPIN\)](#) (Pierce County) – Karisa Guess, Kguess@thecpin.com
 - 3rd Thursdays, food pantry, clothing bank.
 - Bi-Lingual Support.
 - Tomorrow, Wednesday, Local on Purpose.

- Invite individuals to support small businesses who may be struggling. All are welcome.
- **Other**
 - Health and Safety Fair with Tacoma Police Department (Tacoma) - Saturday, August 29, 10 a.m.-1 p.m., Tacoma Dome.
 - <https://tacoma.gov/event/tacoma-police-kids-health-safety-fair/>
 - FB event: <https://www.facebook.com/events/tacoma-dome/tacoma-police-kids-health-and-safety-fair/3527708857383617/>



- Buckley Library Community Resource Fair – Tuesday, August 25, 3-6 PM – Pierce County Library System is hosting a resource fair for youth and families at the Buckley Library this afternoon in collaboration with the REACH Center. We'll have several local and county-wide organizations on site.

Community



Free for all ages.

Resource

Fair



Buckley Pierce County Library
 Tuesday, August 25, 3-6 p.m.
 123 S. River Ave. • 253-548-3310

Access services and information related to health and wellness, education, employment, housing and more from local community organizations.

 This event is hosted in collaboration with the REACH Center, which aims to equip and embolden young people from all backgrounds to achieve success through a strong network of dedicated advocates and peers.

More info
mypcls.org/calendar

Participating organizations include:

- The REACH Center
- Buckley Early Childhood Education and Assistance Program
- GoodRoots Northwest
- Plateau Outreach Ministries
- Rainier Foothills Wellness Foundation
- Tacoma Community House
- Tacoma-Pierce County Health Department
- White River Families First Coalition and White River Partnership
- White River Family Resource Center
- and more!



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- (Tacoma) August 25 - Stuff the Bus Back to School Giveaway - Blix Elementary, 2:30-5 p.m.
- (Parkland) August 26 - Franklin Pierce High School Back to School College & Career Night, 6-7:30 p.m.
- (Tacoma) August 28 - [MEECA Community Kickback at Wright Park, 4-7 p.m.](#)
- Community and School-based Substance Use Prevention Project Funding (Pierce County) -
 - The Behavioral and Emotional Health Team is accepting applications for community and school-based substance use prevention projects. Organizations can apply for \$11,000-\$25,000 to support projects that focus on youth leadership, healthy coping, implementing health education curriculum, alternatives to suspension, and more.
 - Email [Passia Abraham](#) with any questions!
 - Flyer: <https://tpchd.org/wp-content/uploads/2026/08/YSUP-Community-School-Grants.pdf>
 - <https://tpchd.org/healthy-people/hrcy/youth-substance-prevention/funding-opportunities-for-youth-substance-use-prevention/>

Make a difference in your community or school!



Apply for up to \$25,000 for your school, community, or youth-led prevention project.

We're looking for youth substance use prevention projects that:

- Implement health education curriculum or peer-education models.
- Implement culturally relevant and evidence-based prevention programs.
- Empower youth leadership.
- Revise substance use and discipline policies in schools.
- Empower caregivers to talk to their youth about substance use prevention.
- Enhance youth resiliency, healthy coping skills, and protective factors.
- Pilot or strengthen resources and services that help youth quit nicotine, vaping, and cannabis.

Questions?

Email ysuprevention@tpchd.org.

Scan QR code for more info and to apply.



Application closes Sept. 27, 2026 at 11:59 p.m.



Franklin Pierce High School

BACK TO School COLLEGE & CAREER NIGHT

AUGUST 26TH 6:00-7:30 PM
AT FRANKLIN PIERCE HIGH SCHOOL

- Meet with FP Teachers & Staff
- Visit the College & Career Fair in the Gym
- Free Haircuts For students (First come, First serve)
- Complete a scavenger hunt. For a chance to win a gift card!

Kick off the new school year with us!

BE GENTLE WITH YOURSELF

August

IWAC: Your Voice. Your Community. Your Impact.

Pull up, connect with other young people, share your ideas, and help shape what's next!

GROW CONNECT SPEAK

IWAC MEETING

Date: Friday, August 28th
Time: 6:00PM - 7:00PM
Location: **Asia Pacific Cultural Center**
4851 S Tacoma Way,
Tacoma, WA 98409

CONTACT: MARICRES CASTRO
maricres@asiapacificculturalcenter.org (253) 414-7208

FREE! BACK-TO-SCHOOL SUPPLY EVENTS

DESSERTS ON THE DRIVEWAY
AUGUST 14TH (6:30PM-8:30PM) AT SPRINGBROOK PARK, 12601 ADDISON ST SW, LAKEWOOD, WA 98499

STUFF THE BUS BACK TO SCHOOL GIVEAWAY
AUGUST 25TH (2:30PM-5:00PM) AT PLIX ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TACOMA

FPHS BACK TO SCHOOL COLLEGE & CAREER NIGHT
AUGUST 26TH (6:00PM-7:30PM) AT FRANKLIN PIERCE HIGH SCHOOL

MEECA COMMUNITY KICKBACK
AUGUST 28TH (4PM-7PM) AT WRIGHT PARK, TACOMA

TPD KIDS HEALTH & SAFETY FAIR
AUGUST 29TH (10AM - 1PM), TACOMA DOME, 2727 EAST D ST, TACOMA, WA 98421

ADDRESSING BACK TO SCHOOL ANXIETY

REGISTER FOR FREE THERAPY HERE:
<https://bit.ly/3UAPACMENTALHEALTHFAIRFORM>

DR. SALA AFALAVA
AUGUST 21 | 2:00PM-4:30PM
YOUTH PROGRAM • END OF SUMMER JOBS 25.3 CELEBRATION!
CONTACT MARICRES CASTRO MARICRES@ASIAPACIFICCULTURALCENTER.ORG

FREE SPORTS PHYSICALS, DENTAL CHECKUPS & VACCINES
AUGUST 29TH (12NOON-4PM) AT MULTICULTURAL CHILD & FAMILY HOPE CENTER AT 2316 S STATE ST, TACOMA IN SUITE C



STUFF THE BUS BLOCK PARTY!

Tuesday, August 25th from 2:30pm-5pm
@ Blix Elementary School

Backpacks w/ supplies

BEING PRESENT MATTERS

Music & Food

Community Resources

Barbers Onsite

Everything is limited & first come, first serve!
STUDENTS MUST BE PRESENT to receive a backpack.

Save the Date!



MEECA

MANUEL ELIJAH "MANNIE" ELLIS COMMUNITY ALLIANCE
HEALING. GROWTH. BELONGING.

COMMUNITY KICKBACK

BACK-TO-SCHOOL EDITION

Join Tacoma-area families for free school supplies, community resources, food, music, games, and a celebration honoring the life and legacy of Manuel "Mannie" Ellis.

FRIDAY
AUGUST 28, 2026
4:00 PM - 7:00 PM

WRIGHT PARK
501 S. J ST.
TACOMA, WA 98405

FREE FAMILY EVENT!



SCAN FOR DETAILS!

FREE BACKPACKS & SCHOOL SUPPLIES

COMMUNITY RESOURCES

FOOD VENDORS

LIVE MUSIC

AMES & FAMILY ACTIVITIES

HONORING THE LIFE & LEGACY OF MANUEL ELLIS

HEALING. | GROWTH. | BELONGING.



Filipino-American Scholarship Fund

Scholarship application deadline
September 20, 2026

Completed scholarship applications are accepted twice per year, no later than 5:00pm, on April 20th & on September 20th




About Us

We believe in the power of education to transform lives. Our annual scholarship aims to support bright minds who are committed to making a positive impact through learning. Get in touch with us and apply for our FASF Scholarship.



Deadline
5:00PM on April 20th & September 20th of every year



How to Apply
Download the application from our website and email your completed application to:
Ray Vefik
rayvefik@gmail.com



Eligibility
Open to Filipino American high school seniors and current college students.

Apply. Achieve. Inspire.

Visit Our Website
www.FilipinoAmericanScholarship.org

APPLY NOW

- **Safe TREE Routes to School (South Tacoma)** - There is an upcoming tree planting program to increase tree cover along the walking routes to Manitou Park/Gray Middle: [Safe TREE Routes to School — Tacoma Tree Foundation](#) the request period for trees has ended, but we will be doing a tree planting event in October, as well as a Walk to School event to highlight the new trees.

- [Safe Streets Litter Pick-up \(Parkland\)](#)
 - Safe Streets is holding a dual set of litter clean-ups in September open to all interested participants, including youth who need service hours. Sept. 19, we'll be meeting at PLU, and Sept 20, we'll be meeting at Sprinker. Both events start at 9:30 a.m. with light refreshments and the cleanup starting at 10 a.m. Through a partnership with Blue Zones. You can find the official events set up on their website.
- [Red Barn Youth Center free after school program \(Key Peninsula\)](#)
 - For 6th to 12th grade youth on the Key Peninsula. homeschool private and public youth all welcome!
- [Safe Routes to School \(South Tacoma & South End\)](#) - Chandra Rourde, Safe Routes Coordinator with City of Tacoma
 - 2 of our next Schools of Focus (to provide bike and ped safety education, encouragement, AND physical safety improvements to the infrastructure around the school, such as enhanced crossings) are **Arlington Elementary and Fawcett Elementary**.
 - In the fall, I will begin doing outreach to the school community to get input on priorities for infrastructure improvements.
 - If you are connected with either of those schools, please reach out!
 - croude@tacoma.gov
 - saferoutestoschool@tacoma.gov
- [Home | Raising Girls \(Puget Sound Area\)](#)
 - Raising Girls addresses hygiene insecurity and period poverty by providing essential products to students and young adults in the Puget Sound area. As a trusted community resource, we partner with schools and local organizations to distribute care bags to those in need. We believe that timely and reliable access to hygiene and period supplies is vital for the health and well-being of our young people.
- [Franklin Pierce Family Resource Center \(Parkland\)](#) is seeking donations for their food pantry.
 - Please find the list of items they need below.

Franklin Pierce Family Resource Center Food Pantry Grocery List

Baking & Dry Goods

- 20 bags of Maseca corn flour
- 6 bags of 5lbs. Wheat flour or regular flour
- 5 bags of flour tortillas pk of 20-25
- 5 bags of corn tortillas pk 20-25
- 6 Baking soda
- 6 Baking powder
- 6 Cake mix 3 vanilla and 3 chocolate
- 6 Mac and cheese
- 15 Salt
- 5 bags of 2lbs Sugar

- **Spices for Savory Cooking:**
 - 6 Garlic powder
 - 6 Onion powder
- **Spices for Sweets:**
 - 6 Cinnamon

Pantry Staples / Dry Goods

- 20 Long-grain rice
- 6 Dried red beans
- 6 Dried Pinto beans
- 6 Dried Black Beans
- 10 Spaghetti
- 1 box of chicken Top Ramen
- 1 box Oatmeal of individual pks
- 2 boxes Celestial Seasonings Fruit Tea Sampler, Caffeine-Free Herbal Tea Bags (18 Count)

Canned & Jarred Goods

- 10 Spaghetti sauce
- 6 pk Tuna fish
- 3 pk Spam
- 6 Mayonnaise
- 6 cans of apple sauce

Breads & Bakery

- Bread 3 whole wheat 3 white

Oils & Condiments

- 15 bottles Cooking Oils

Zoom Chat Notes

- **2026-08-25 10:29:55 From read.ai meeting notes to Everyone:**
 - Amy, Daniel, Sara, and jacqueline added read.ai meeting notes to the meeting.
 - Read provides AI generated meeting summaries to make meetings more effective and efficient.
- View our Privacy Policy at <https://www.read.ai/pp>
- Type "read stop" to disable, or "opt out" to delete meeting data.
- **2026-08-25 10:30:16 From Tony Smith (he/him) to Everyone:**
 - read stop
- **2026-08-25 10:30:38 From Tony Smith (he/him) to Everyone:**
 - Apologies, our policy is not to allow AI in our meetings at this time.
 - Liz Chick, she/her: 🙋
- **2026-08-25 10:33:28 From Susan Paganelli to Everyone:**

- Daniel! Time Warp! Is it really September?
- Tony Smith (he/him): 😊
- **2026-08-25 10:33:30 From Rachel McDonald (she/her) - PCLS to Everyone:**
- Thought I'd lost a whole month there!
- **2026-08-25 10:33:38 From Ivan Tudela - PCHS to Everyone:**
- You were just checking to see if we were paying attention :)
- Tony Smith (he/him): 🙄
- **2026-08-25 10:33:46 From Passia Abraham to Everyone:**
- HAHA! Daniel! I love this.
- Tony Smith (he/him): 😊
- **2026-08-25 10:34:03 From Passia Abraham to Everyone:**
- Crystal MT
- Liz Chick, she/her: 👍
- City of Lakewood Parks, Recreation, Community Services Department - Amanda Enright: 🙌
- **2026-08-25 10:35:15 From Passia Abraham to Everyone:**
- Its so pretty!
- Liz Chick, she/her, Iulia Didkivska (she/her), TPCHD: ❤️
- **2026-08-25 10:35:23 From Passia Abraham to Everyone:**
- But beware if you're afraid of heights LOL
- Donna Kelly Target Zero: ❤️
- Tony Smith (he/him): 🙄
- **2026-08-25 10:35:47 From Liz Chick, she/her to Everyone:**
- Swings a little too
- Tony Smith (he/him): 🙄
- **2026-08-25 10:36:27 From RaTanya Ozolin to Everyone:**
- RaTanya Ozolin, Black Infant Health, rozolin@tpchd.org
- **2026-08-25 10:36:30 From Jesi Vega to Everyone:**
- Jesi Vega, Communities In Schools of Lakewood, Community Engagement Manager, jesi@lakewoodcis.org
- **2026-08-25 10:36:41 From Nicole Wanner | Pierce Transit to Everyone:**
- Nicole Wanner - Pierce Transit | Community Development Coordinator, nwanner@piercetransit.org
- **2026-08-25 10:36:42 From Karisa Guess- CPIN to Everyone:**
- Teatherball champ
- Maricres Castro - APCC, Leah Ford (she/her): ❤️
- Passia Abraham: 😊
- **2026-08-25 10:36:50 From Jesi Vega to Everyone:**
- My favorite activity??? Hard to remember -- probably monkey bars
- **2026-08-25 10:36:52 From Passia Abraham to Everyone:**
- Replying to "Teatherball champ":
- Heck yes!
- **2026-08-25 10:36:53 From Rachel Timmons Lakewood Library to Everyone:**
- Four Square
- **2026-08-25 10:36:56 From rbautista@hopesparks.org to Everyone:**
- Rosario Bautista Gonzalez with HopeSparks Family Service and PCECN . rbautista@hopesparks.org
- **2026-08-25 10:36:58 From Chandra Rourde- Safe Routes to School to Everyone:**
- Chandra Rourde, Safe Routes to School Coordinator for City of Tacoma- crourde@tacoma.gov
- **2026-08-25 10:36:58 From Stefanie Warren to Everyone:**

- I was all about the twirling bars :)
- **2026-08-25 10:36:59 From Nicole Wanner | Pierce Transit to Everyone:**
- Foursquare!
- Donna Kelly Target Zero: ♥
- **2026-08-25 10:37:03 From Chandra Rourde- Safe Routes to School to Everyone:**
- Handball!
- **2026-08-25 10:37:05 From Rachel Timmons Lakewood Library to Everyone:**
- Rachel Timmons, PCLS lakewood library
- **2026-08-25 10:37:07 From Charlotte Shippley, CHW - KP Partnership for a Healthy Community to Everyone:**
- Charlotte Shippley, CHW - KP Partnership for a Healthy Community.
chw@kphealthycommunity.org, 253-400-7072
- **2026-08-25 10:37:08 From Susan Paganelli to Everyone:**
- Susan Paganelli, Key Peninsula Partnership, director@kphealthycommunity.org, hanging with friends in our "teams", playing 4square and arguing about rules ;)
- **2026-08-25 10:37:09 From Liz Chick, she/her to Everyone:**
- Liz Chick, PSESD Valley of Esperanza and Expanded Learning Programs.
echick@psed.org
- **2026-08-25 10:37:09 From rbautista@hopesparks.org to Everyone:**
- kickball
- **2026-08-25 10:37:13 From Tony Smith (he/him) to Everyone:**
- Good morning, everyone! I'm Tony Smith, he/him, with Tacoma-Pierce County Health Department, Bridging to Community Team. I always wanted to swing the highest and jump off!
- **2026-08-25 10:37:15 From Donna Kelly Target Zero to Everyone:**
- Donna Kelly - Target Zero - dkelly3@tacoma.gov / Tether Ball!
- **2026-08-25 10:37:16 From Sara Irish to Everyone:**
- Sara Irish, Multicultural Child Hope center. Community Engagement Director.
sirish@mcfhc.org
- **2026-08-25 10:37:23 From Ivan Tudela - PCHS to Everyone:**
- Ivan Tudela, Pierce County Human Services, ivan.tudela@piercecounitywa.gov - favorite activity was freeze tag.
- **2026-08-25 10:37:25 From Meagan Rhoades to Everyone:**
- Meagan Rhoades
- White River Partnership and various community organizations
- meaganrhoades05@gmail.com
- 253-973-3975
- **2026-08-25 10:37:28 From RaTanya Ozolin to Everyone:**
- Tether ball
- **2026-08-25 10:37:27 From Carmen Moore to Everyone:**
- Carmen Moore
- Pierce County Human Services
- carmen.moore@piercecounitywa.gov
- Playing tetherball, hopscotch, four square and racing my classmates
- **2026-08-25 10:37:33 From Passia Abraham to Everyone:**
- Passia Abraham, any pronoun used/w respect. Youth Substance Use Prevention, TPCHD,
pabraham@tpchd.org
- **2026-08-25 10:37:45 From Sara Irish to Everyone:**
- Soccer
- **2026-08-25 10:37:55 From RaTanya Ozolin to Everyone:**
- double dutch jump rope

- Donna Kelly Target Zero: ❤️
- **2026-08-25 10:37:55 From Meagan Rhoades to Everyone:**
- Red Rover
- Donna Kelly Target Zero: ❤️
- **2026-08-25 10:37:56 From Stefanie Warren to Everyone:**
- Stefanie Warren, KP Partnership for a Healthy Community.
ad@kphealthycommunity.org
- **2026-08-25 10:37:57 From Rachel McDonald (she/her) - PCLS to Everyone:**
- Rachel McDonald, Programs and Services Manager, Community Engagement for Pierce County Library System. RMcDonald@piercecountylibrary.org. Red light, green light.
- **2026-08-25 10:37:58 From Maricres Castro - APCC to Everyone:**
- Freeze taggg
- Iuliia Didkivska (she/her), TPCHD: 🙋
- **2026-08-25 10:38:06 From Jolene McCarthy to Everyone:**
- Jolene McCarthy, she/her, Executive Director at Red Barn Youth Center on the Key Peninsula. executivedirector@redbarnkp.org --I would go down the metal slide and hope to not get burned.
- Stefanie Warren: 😊
- **2026-08-25 10:38:10 From sneaves to Everyone:**
- Sandee Neaves Early Head Start
- **2026-08-25 10:38:12 From Liz Chick, she/her to Everyone:**
- I did it all. I don't miss the burns on the metal slide
- Jolene McCarthy: 😊
- **2026-08-25 10:38:25 From Angie Wallis - Pierce County Library to Everyone:**
- Angie Wallis (formerly Case) Pierce County Library.
acase@piercecountylibrary.org
- Uneven bars (spinning around them) Merry Go Round
- Stefanie Warren, Rachel Timmons Lakewood Library: ❤️
- **2026-08-25 10:38:45 From Jessica Pair to Everyone:**
- Jessica Pair, Family Promise of Puget Sound, Red Rover (I liked breaking the line).
- **2026-08-25 10:40:52 From marcy boulet to Everyone:**
- Welcome! Marcy Boulet, CoF coordinator, mboulet@tpchd.org.
- **2026-08-25 10:41:29 From Leah Ford (she/her) to Everyone:**
- Good morning! Leah Ford, Community health program manager- lford@tpchd.org
- Sara Irish: ❤️
- **2026-08-25 10:42:04 From Sara Irish to Everyone:**
- 2026 MCFHC Vaccine clinics.pdf
- Tony Smith (he/him), Sara Irish: 🙋
- **2026-08-25 10:43:22 From Donna Kelly Target Zero to Everyone:**
- Health and Safety Fair by Bervin Smith with TPD Saturday, Tacoma Dome, 10-1 p.m.
- **2026-08-25 10:44:22 From Nicole Wanner | Pierce Transit to Everyone:**
- Free Youth Pass - Pierce Transit - Connecting you with life
- **2026-08-25 10:44:34 From Rachel McDonald (she/her) - PCLS to Everyone:**
- TODAY - we are hosting a resource fair for youth and families at the Buckley Library this afternoon in collaboration with the REACH Center. We'll have several local and county-wide organizations onsite, including TPCHD 🙋
- BUC Community Resource Fair Flyer 8-25.pdf
- Maricres Castro - APCC, Sara Irish, marcy boulet: ❤️
- **2026-08-25 10:44:56 From Maricres Castro - APCC to Everyone:**
- Awesome!

- **2026-08-25 10:45:02 From Passia Abraham to Everyone:**
- Sharing another back-to-school event from CIS Tacoma
- WHEELS UP, GUNS DOWN sponsorship (1).pdf
- Maricres Castro - APCC, rbautista@hopesparks.org,
- **2026-08-25 10:45:38 From Maricres Castro - APCC to Everyone:**
- We will be tabling there at Blix Elementary today with our youth leaders! See you there! <3
- Rachel McDonald (she/her) - PCLS, Daniel Burdsall - TPCHD, Iuliia Didkivska (she/her), TPCHD, marcy boulet: ❤️
- **2026-08-25 10:46:36 From Sara Irish to Everyone:**
- Replying to "We will be tabling there at Blix Elementary today ...":
- Multicultural will be there too!
- Maricres Castro - APCC, Iuliia Didkivska (she/her), TPCHD: ❤️
- **2026-08-25 10:46:56 From Maricres Castro - APCC to Everyone:**
- Replying to "We will be tabling there at Blix Elementary today ...":
- Awesome! <3
- **2026-08-25 10:48:07 From Sara Irish to Everyone:**
- Replying to "We will be tabling there at Blix Elementary today ...":
- 😊
- **2026-08-25 10:48:18 From Donna Kelly Target Zero to Everyone:**
- TPD Kid Fair Flyer FINAL 2026.pdf
- **2026-08-25 10:49:49 From Maricres Castro - APCC to Everyone:**
- August 25 - Stuff the Bus Back to School Giveaway - Blix Elementary from 2:30-5 p.m.
- August 26 - Franklin Pierce High School Back to School College & Career Night from 6-7:30 p.m.
- August 28 - MEECA Community Kickback at Wright Park from 4-7 p.m.
- August 29 - Tacoma Police Dept Kids Health & Safety Fair from 10 a.m.- 1 p.m. at the Tacoma Dome
- marcy boulet: ❤️
- **2026-08-25 10:51:43 From Tony Smith (he/him) to Everyone:**
- Food Pantry grocery list February 2026 FRC.docx
- Liz Chick, she/her: 🙋
- **2026-08-25 10:53:24 From Patti Spaulding-Klewin to Everyone:**
- All-Day Passes can be picked up at any of the following locations:
- Al Davies Boys & Girls Club
- 1620 S. 17th St., Tacoma, WA 98405
- Hours: Monday-Friday, 8 a.m.-4 p.m.
- RISE Center
- 2136 Martin Luther King Jr. Way, Tacoma, WA 98405
- Hours: Monday-Friday, 10 a.m.-5 p.m.
- Eastside Community Center
- 1721 E. 56th St., Tacoma, WA 98404
- Hours: Monday-Friday, 8 a.m.-8 p.m.; Saturday, 9 a.m.-3 p.m.
- People's Community Center
- 1602 Martin Luther King Jr. Way, Tacoma, WA 98405
- Hours: Monday-Friday, 8 a.m.- 7 p.m.; Saturday, 9 a.m.-2 p.m.
- STAR Center
- 3873 S. 66th St., Tacoma, WA 98409
- Hours: Monday-Friday, 9 a.m.-8 p.m.; Saturday, 9 a.m.-2 p.m.
- Please note:

- Pierce Transit's All-Day Pass is very convenient – pay just once to ride all day until 2:59 a.m. (end of service day). It's good for unlimited rides on local Pierce Transit bus and Runner service only. Note: Pierce Transit Day Passes are NOT valid on SHUTTLE, Sound Transit, or other neighboring agencies' transit services. Youth (ages 6-18) ride for free.
- We encourage families to take advantage of this resource and join us for a fun and informative day.
- Bervin A. Smith, Community Engagement Senior Manager, Tacoma Police Department, 253 290-9238
- Nicole Wanner | Pierce Transit, Carmen Moore, Iuliia Didkivska (she/her), TPCHD: ❤️
- **2026-08-25 10:53:25 From Nicole Wanner | Pierce Transit to Everyone:**
- Pierce Transit offers Travel Training for free. It's self-paced instruction for individuals who wish to use regular bus service and become familiar with public transportation options. If interested, contact me and I will connect you!
- Maricres Castro - APCC, Chandra Rourde- Safe Routes to School: ❤️
- Stefanie Warren: 📞
- **2026-08-25 10:54:27 From Patti Spaulding-Klewin to Everyone:**
- For the Tacoma Police Department Back-to-School event on 8/29/2026 10 a.m.-1 p.m.
- Carmen Moore: ❤️
- **2026-08-25 10:58:14 From Alicia Klein-TPCHD to Everyone:**
- Immunizations - Tacoma-Pierce County Health Department
- Tony Smith (he/him), Iuliia Didkivska (she/her), TPCHD: 📞
- **2026-08-25 10:58:51 From Daniel Burdsall - TPCHD to Everyone:**
- MyIR Mobile for immunization records
- Homepage: MyIRMobile - MyIR Mobile
- Children Immunizations: <https://tpchd.org/health/immunizations/children/>
- Iuliia Didkivska (she/her), TPCHD: 📞
- **2026-08-25 10:59:19 From Maricres Castro - APCC to Everyone:**
- 787367717_1781672149858766_2027984357111238725_n.jpg
- Iuliia Didkivska (she/her), TPCHD: 📞
- **2026-08-25 10:59:31 From Passia Abraham to Everyone:**
- Hi Folks,
- Our team's accepting applications for community and school-based substance use prevention projects. Organizations can apply for \$11,000-\$25,000 to support projects that focus on youth leadership, healthy coping, implementing health education curriculum, alternatives to suspension, and more.
- Here's a flyer with more details. I have to drop off for another meeting, but please reach out with any questions!
- YSUP Community & School Grants.pdf
- marcy boulet: ❤️
- **2026-08-25 10:59:45 From Passia Abraham to Everyone:**
 - <https://tpchd.org/healthy-people/hrcy/youth-substance-prevention/funding-opportunities-for-youth-substance-use-prevention/>
- **2026-08-25 10:59:47 From Maricres Castro - APCC to Everyone:**
- Blue and Yellow Modern Scholarship Program Flyer (2).png
- **2026-08-25 11:00:07 From Maricres Castro - APCC to Everyone:**
- Free back to school supplies at these upcoming events:)
- Beige Playful Illustrative Supplies Back to School Colorful Flyer (12).png
- **2026-08-25 11:01:28 From Maricres Castro - APCC to Everyone:**
- MEECA Back to School.png
- **2026-08-25 11:01:54 From Maricres Castro - APCC to Everyone:**

- FPHS Back to School.png
- **2026-08-25 11:08:15 From Liz Chick, she/her to Everyone:**
- echick@psesd.org, Valley of Esperanza
- **2026-08-25 11:09:11 From Maricres Castro - APCC to Everyone:**
- 780672452_1368164878838924_1448482293589047878_n.jpg
- **2026-08-25 11:09:17 From Liz Chick, she/her to Everyone:**
- Jason LaFontaine
- Director Native American Education Program
- jlafontaine@psesd.org
- 253-778-7963
- marcy boulet: 🍷
- **2026-08-25 11:09:36 From Liz Chick, she/her to Everyone:**
- The PSESD Native American Education Program supports Native American student educational and cultural needs in four Pierce County school districts (Franklin Pierce, Peninsula, Sumner-Bonney Lake, and University Place).
- Tony Smith (he/him): 🤝
- **2026-08-25 11:10:32 From Liz Chick, she/her to Everyone:**
- Our Valley of Esperanza program has two Family Advocates in Orting and Sumner-Bonney Lake SDs. Our family advocates can help you navigate your child's school and local resources. Our program is focused on supporting students and families in a culturally positive way to continue engaging in school and connecting them to community resources.
- Rachel McDonald (she/her) - PCLS: ❤️
- **2026-08-25 11:11:57 From Daniel Burdsall - TPCPD to Everyone:**
- We can send the entire slide show to you all in our notes, just make sure your email is within this chat to be sure to receive the notes.
- Tony Smith (he/him): 🤝
- 2026-08-25 11:12:17 From Amy Boucher to Everyone:
- Liz. Hello. My name is Amy Boucher-Kiss. I facilitate the White River Families First Coalition.
- I'm curious if WRSD is apart of your PSESD program?
- **2026-08-25 11:15:34 From Chandra Rourde- Safe Routes to School to Everyone:**
- For South Tacoma: there is an upcoming tree planting program to increase tree cover along the walking routes to Manitou Park/Gray Middle: Safe TREE Routes to School — Tacoma Tree Foundation the request period for trees has ended, but we will be doing a tree planting event in October as well as a Walk to School event to highlight the new trees.
- Rachel McDonald (she/her) - PCLS, marcy boulet: ❤️
- **2026-08-25 11:16:05 From Liz Chick, she/her to Everyone:**
- Replying to "Liz. Hello. My name is Amy Boucher-Kiss. I facilit...":
- We do support families if they come to us, yet we don't have the compacity to support WRSD. We have partnered in the past. I do have your monthly meeting invite in my calendar and notes you send (super helpful) since your meetings conflict with a team meeting I attend.
- **2026-08-25 11:18:25 From Donna Kelly Target Zero to Everyone:**
- OSPI - Omsbudperson
- Liz Chick, she/her: 🤝
- **2026-08-25 11:20:07 From Liz Chick, she/her to Everyone:**
- Replying to "OSPI - Omsbudperson":
- Thank you
- **2026-08-25 11:20:09 From Nicole Wanner | Pierce Transit to Everyone:**

- Expanding Local Transit - Pierce Transit - Connecting you with life
- Tony Smith (he/him): 
- **2026-08-25 11:20:22 From Ivan Tudela - PCHS to Everyone:**
- Free rides for seniors is really cool!
- Rachel McDonald (she/her) - PCLS, Nicole Wanner | Pierce Transit: 
- Tony Smith (he/him): 
- **2026-08-25 11:20:26 From Meagan Rhoades to Everyone:**
- It would be so awesome if this could extend out into our area - White River/Buckey. We have ZERO public transportation.
- Tony Smith (he/him), Leah Ford (she/her): 
- **2026-08-25 11:20:44 From Donna Kelly Target Zero to Everyone:**
- dkelly3@tacoma.gov / Teens in the Drivers Seat/You in the Drivers Seat/ Child Passenger Safety CPS / Free car and booster seats/ Car seat checks and installations.
- **2026-08-25 11:21:29 From Nicole Wanner | Pierce Transit to Everyone:**
- Replying to "It would be so awesome if this could extend out in...":
- I understand. This measure does not allow us to expand our area. That is a separate process that involves voters and elected officials in that city/town. Happy to answer more on that if interested.
- Meagan Rhoades: 
- Leah Ford (she/her): 
- **2026-08-25 11:21:59 From Amy Boucher to Everyone:**
- Nicole, what specific services are supporting Buckley, Wilkeson, South Prairie, and Carbonado?
- I'd love to chat more
- **2026-08-25 11:22:23 From Donna Kelly Target Zero to Everyone:**
- Target Zero will be giving backless car seats away at the Health and Safety Fair. Children MUST be present in order to get supplies.
- Maricres Castro - APCC: 
- Liz Chick, she/her: 
- **2026-08-25 11:23:10 From Connor Schultz to Everyone:**
- Safe Streets is holding a dual set of litter clean-ups in September open to all interested participants, including youth who need service hours. Sept 19th we'll be meeting at PLU, and Sept 20. we'll be meeting at Sprinker. Both start at 9:30 a.m. with light refreshments and the cleanup starting at 10 a.m.. We're partnering with Blue Zones for this and they have official events set up on their website
- Daniel Burdsall - TPCHD: 
- **2026-08-25 11:23:27 From Alicia Klein-TPCHD to Everyone:**
- Immunizations - Tacoma-Pierce County Health Department
- **2026-08-25 11:23:37 From Jolene McCarthy to Everyone:**
- Red Barn Youth Center free after-school program for 6th to 12th grade youth on the Key Peninsula. homeschool private and public youth all welcome!
- **2026-08-25 11:25:23 From Jolene McCarthy to Everyone:**
- for Key Peninsula and Gig Harbor area suicide prevention, bully, and mental health I know are a huge topic and need help on.
- **2026-08-25 11:25:32 From Liz Chick, she/her to Everyone:**
- Families work permits are not being processed and parents are losing their jobs. We have seen more families with this crisis.
- **2026-08-25 11:25:37 From Chandra Rourde- Safe Routes to School to Everyone:**
- Safe Routes to School: 2 of our next Schools of Focus (to provide bike and ped safety education, encouragement, AND physical safety improvements to the infrastructure

around the school, such as enhanced crossings) are Arlington Elementary and Fawcett Elementary. In the fall, I will begin doing outreach to the school community to get input on priorities for infrastructure improvements. If you are connected with either of those schools, please reach out! croude@tacoma.gov

- **2026-08-25 11:25:37 From Donna Kelly Target Zero to Everyone:**
- Undergarments / Feminine Products we have students that cannot go to school when they have their mensural cycle
- **2026-08-25 11:25:49 From Meagan Rhoades to Everyone:**
- Transportation is always an issue in the White River area (Buckley, South Prairie, Wilkeson and Carbonado)
- Kids themselves also share that they wish there were safe places to hang out that didn't require spending money.
- **2026-08-25 11:25:54 From Liz Chick, she/her to Everyone:**
- Replying to "Undergarments / Feminine Products we have students...":
- YES
- **2026-08-25 11:26:32 From Alicia Klein-TPCHD to Everyone:**
- Home | Raising Girls
- **2026-08-25 11:26:41 From Alicia Klein-TPCHD to Everyone:**
- Replying to "Undergarments / Feminine Products we have students...":
- Home | Raising Girls
- **2026-08-25 11:26:54 From Donna Kelly Target Zero to Everyone:**
- Megan there is a group working on rural transportation. Please email me dkelly3@tacoma.gov
- Daniel Burdsall - TPCHD: 👍
- Meagan Rhoades: 👍
- **2026-08-25 11:28:01 From Liz Chick, she/her to Everyone:**
- This was a great meeting. I need to go to another. Everyone have a great week and take care.
- Daniel Burdsall - TPCHD: 🙌
- marcy boulet: ❤️
- **2026-08-25 11:28:39 From Alicia Klein-TPCHD to Everyone:**
- I love this pic!!! 😊
- Tony Smith (he/him), Rachel McDonald (she/her) - PCLS, Leah Ford (she/her): ❤️
- **2026-08-25 11:29:11 From Karisa Guess- CPIN to Everyone:**
- Can you email us the survey ?
- Daniel Burdsall - TPCHD: 👍
- **2026-08-25 11:29:26 From Amy Boucher to Everyone:**
- Replying to "It would be so awesome if this could extend out in...":
- Let's connect. revitalizeconnections@gmail.com
- **2026-08-25 11:29:57 From Jolene McCarthy to Everyone:**
- what is this used laptop opportunity?
- **2026-08-25 11:31:28 From Daniel Burdsall - TPCHD to Everyone:**
- Replying to "what is this used laptop opportunity?":
- an opportunity to get used laptops from the health dept, we will send info and survey into our notes so you can see if that would be beneficial for your org.
- **2026-08-25 11:31:29 From Stefanie Warren to Everyone:**
- Thanks everybody!
- **2026-08-25 11:31:36 From Tony Smith (he/him) to Everyone:**
- Tony Smith - tsmith@tpchd.org
- **2026-08-25 11:31:38 From Susan Paganelli to Everyone:**

- Thank you!
- **2026-08-25 11:31:38 From Chandra Rourde- Safe Routes to School to Everyone:**
- Thank you!
- **2026-08-25 11:31:38 From Angie Wallis - Pierce County Library to Everyone:**
- Thanks!
- **2026-08-25 11:31:40 From Iuliia Didkivska (she/her), TPCHD to Everyone:**
- Thank you!
- **2026-08-25 11:31:43 From Tony Smith (he/him) to Everyone:**
- You can reach us at communitiesoffocus@tpchd.org.
- **2026-08-25 11:32:40 From Daniel Burdsall - TPCHD to Everyone:**
- DBurdsall@tpchd.org
- **2026-08-25 11:33:03 From Amy Boucher to Everyone:**
- Love this idea!