## KIDS HOUSE

# CHILDREN'S ADVOCACY CENTER

## WHERE HOPE AND HEALING BEGINS



## KIDS HOUSE SPOTLIGHT

## KIDS HOUSE LIGHT THE WAY VIRTUAL EVENT

April 6th, 2021, Kids House held our first Light the Way for Child Abuse Prevention Month virtual event with the Seminole County Sheriff's Office. We heard from our Kids House CEO, Juliette Kong, and Sheriff Dennis Lemma. They spoke about how we partner to raise awareness for child abuse prevention and find ways that you can help combat child abuse within our community. View the recorded video at the link below:

## https://www.kidshouse.org/CAPM#Light MAY THE FOURTH BE WITH YOU theWayVirtualEvent

## KIDS HOUSE 13TH ANNUAL GALA

Kids House has rescheduled our 13th annual Gala to November 6th, 2021 and will now be held at Reiter Park. It is expected to be a unique, laidback, casual evening under the stars! Exceptional entertainment from Steve Augeri and his band along with exciting silent and live auctions to benefit Kids house! For more details and how to reserve your seat or table visit:

### https://www.kidshouse.org/gala

## KIDS HOUSE ANNIVERSARIES

Heather Bomar Stamm 4 years of service Carly Evans 6 years of service Jessica Peraza 1 year of service



## PARENTS CORNER

## STRONG COMMUNICATION

Members of strong families talk to one another about important decisions and daily plans. Discussions of feelings, as well as day-to-day activities at school or work, are important. Where there are conflicts, take time to cool down before responding, don't bottle up anger or let it get out of hand. Talk about possible solutions to problems and work together to carry out the best solution for everyone.

May Fourth is Star Wars day! Get the family together and watch all the Star Wars movies or make fun crafts! Grab some paper plates, brown paper bag, construction paper, and coloring utensils. You can use the paper plates to make Porgs, a paper plate Darth Vader, and even Yoda! Using a brown paper bag you can make Chewbacca and add google eyes, teeth, and his signature sash to complete the look! Even make your own Yoda ears with a headband and ears made of felt or construction paper. Done making the characters? Then make your very own lightsaber! All you need is silver duct tape, black electrical tape, and a pool noodle.



## GET INVOLVED

## MONETARY DONATIONS

As a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization, Kids House relies on our donors' kindness and dedication to further our efforts to prevent and treat child abuse. We accept cash, credit, and checks as forms of payment.

## REGISTER FOR OUR 5K

Sign up to be a racer or help sponsor our Jim Payne 5k to benefit Kids House presented by Wops Hops! There are many levels to choose from and all the proceeds benefit Kids House. After the race, Wop's Hops will also be hosting a cash-only raffle for those who would like to participate. You can register for the race at the link provided below:

### https://bit.ly/2ODHG2S

## CORE FAITH CHURCH ROCK THE BLOCK

Join Core Faith Church in Oviedo for their family-friendly community outreach waterthemed summer kick-off event! This is a free event with food, a DJ, raffles, inflatable water slides, a selfie station, and much more. All the proceeds benefit Kids House!

## USBORNE BOOKS-HERO HOST

Carolyn Gray is looking for Hero Hosts to have their own Facebook party with the purpose to support Kids House! All you would need to do is invite and excite your friends and she can run the rest! Contact Carolyn on Facebook at m.me/carolyn.nicole.gray or email at grayfamily723@gmail.com to learn more about becoming a Hero Host!

www.kidshouse.org/donate

## -NOTEWORTHY NEWS-

Saturday May 29, 2021 Race starts at 7:30am

Saturday November 6, 2021 at 5:00pm

For more information about events please contact Jennifer Napier at 407-324-3036 ext. 241 or napier@kidshouse.org

## THANK YOU!

Rotary Club of Sanford-\$1000 Donation

Central 28 Beer Co. - Every Wednesday in April they generously chose Kids House as their local charity to donate their proceeds from Bingo night!

Alba Chong-You- Became a Hero Host by hosting a party with Usborne books and raised money and books for Kids House!