



The YTIMES

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50TH ANNIVERSARY GALA RAISES RECORD-BREAKING \$2M



Jerry & Terry Fedele, Al Zucaro,
Yvonne Boice, Pat Thomas



Bill & Mary Donnell, Renee Feder,
Kathy & Paul Adkins



Francesca Daniels, Jason Hagensick,
Myrna Gordon Skurnick



Terry Fedele,
Christine Lynn



Charles & Robin Deyo

The YMCA of South Palm Beach County's 50th Anniversary Gala event held at The Boca Raton on December 3rd hosted more than 700 people in attendance. Chaired by community leaders Terry and Jerry Fedele and generously presented by Myrna Gordon Skurnick, the event raised a record-breaking \$2,000,000.

"We are so proud of the role that the Y has played in the transformation of Boca Raton over the past 50 years and look forward of even bigger contributions to all ages of our community in the future," said Terry Fedele.

In addition to purchasing four much-needed buses for Y After School and Day Camp programs, funds raised through the Gala will support the Myrna Gordon Skurnick Creative Arts Initiative for teens, the Robes Family LiveSTRONG Fund for cancer care programs, and six legacy funds in honor of each of six key stakeholders recognized during the program for their generosity and leadership of the YMCA of South Palm Beach County. The six legacy honorees included Mary and Peter Blum, Helen and Richard DeVos, Christine and Eugene Lynn, Charlotte and Melvin Weaver, Countess Henrietta de Hoernle, and William B. Ziff, Jr.

"We accomplish our mission every day through the many programs we offer," states Jason Hagensick, President and CEO of the YMCA of South Palm Beach County, "but it is the people that have supported us the past 50 years that have made our YMCA what it is today."

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MEET OUR BOCA YMCA STAFF



Meet Alyson Reeves, Special Needs Coordinator at the Peter Blum Family YMCA. At just five years old, Aly's parents introduced her to the Y by enrolling her in youth soccer and basketball. When she was 14, she began participating in the Y's LIT (Leaders in Training) volunteer program and has been actively involved with the Y ever since.

"I found my passion here at the Y," states Aly, who adores her role working in Chase's Place, which provides an inclusive, instructional and recreational experience for individuals with disabilities and special needs.

From 2015–2019, Aly worked at the Y as a counselor, which she enjoyed until she decided to pursue a career as a

Registered Behavior Technician at a local organization. However, she soon found herself back at the Y in 2022 when she accepted her current role in Chase's Place.

"While working as an RBT, I looked for programs that would meet the needs of our special needs families but they either did not exist or were provided at a cost most families couldn't afford. The one place I knew had these programs was the Y, and I love that the Y will always do what's best to meet the needs of the community," states Reeves.

"The individuals I meet in Chase's Place are typically nothing like their first impression, and I love getting to know their stories and who they are. Each of them have so much potential and at the Y we are in the unique position to develop programs that help them reach their full potential."

To learn more about our Y's Chase's Place special needs program, visit: www.ymcaspb.org/specialneeds



Emmitt Smith
Pro Football Hall of Famer

21st Annual Inspiration Breakfast with Emmitt Smith

The YMCA of South Palm Beach County's 21st Annual Inspiration Breakfast is our signature event with an audience of over 600 community leaders, businesses and YMCA supporters. Proceeds from the event support YMCA programs for youth, teens, families and seniors. This year's event, Chaired by Alex Price along with Vice Chair, Brad Winstead, will be held outdoors under a grand tent at the Peter Blum Family YMCA.

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21st Annual Inspiration Breakfast at the Peter Blum Family YMCA

**Mar 11,
2023**

Boca Raton Chamber of Commerce Cookout at the Peter Blum Family YMCA

**April 5,
2023**

5th Annual Heritage Club Reception at Delray Dunes

**Apr 15,
2023**

Healthy Kids Day at the Peter Blum Family YMCA & DeVos-Blum Family YMCA, 10a-1p

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2022 ANNUAL GIVING CAMPAIGN TRIANGLE SOCIETY DONORS*

The Y's Triangle Society recognizes individuals, organizations and businesses who are committed to supporting the Y's mission to help South Palm Beach County individuals and families in need.

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It's groovy giving back... especially when it supports the Y! Members of the Boca Y kick-off the Annual Giving Campaign 70's style!



Also known as the "Dynamic Duo", Campaign Chair, Linda Gunn Paton and Vice Chair, Michael Nathanson, led the charge for our Y's 2022 Annual Giving Campaign, raising more than \$779,000!



Teens were ready to make an impact in their community by getting involved in this year's Campaign!



Like TOTALLY tubular! It was back to the 90's at the Boynton Y Annual Giving Campaign kick-off party!



Boca Y Preschoolers turned lemons into lemonade sales benefitting our Campaign!



Trunk or Treat at the Y was a spooky fun time! Thank you to Publix Super Markets Charities for sponsoring our Y's Halloween event year after year!



The 2022 Shoot for a Change event benefitting our Y's Annual Giving Campaign was a SLAM DUNK, raising more than \$15k. BIG thanks to Presenting Sponsors, The Nathanson Brothers Real Estate Teams: RE/MAX Services, for helping raise funds for our financial assistance program!



Our Y Families enjoyed Breakfast with Santa at the Boca & Boynton Y, thanks to Publix Super Markets Charities, sponsor of this event!



Big winners of Corporate Cup Challenge '22 was JM Family Enterprises - Team Supra! Thank you to Presenting Sponsor, JM Family & all participants and sponsors!



Met some new faces at our Y's Mix & Mingle event at the Boca West Country Club! Thank you to John Perry and RBC Wealth Management for hosting a fabulous evening!



Loyal Y Member & Donor, Lee Steinberg generously donated a car full of toys for Boca Y families in need this past holiday season.