

### THE FOUNDATION | October 2017



## We're going WILD for the arts!

This year's Arts Alive in Seminole! auction is going wild with amazing auction items. Thanks to our generous donors, guests will have an opportunity to bid on a South African Photo Safari for Two at Zulu Nyala Wildlife Reserve, a stay at Disney's Animal Kingdom Lodge with an exclusive Wanyama Sunset Safari Experience and a Guided High-tide Backwater Fishing Trip on the Homosassa River.

Little too wild for you? Don't worry, we have some mild packages that are just as exciting. Other packages include sporting event tickets, gift baskets, electronics, and restaurant and retail gift cards.



These packages and more will be available for guests to bid on at the event on November 11th at the Westin Lake Mary. Arts Alive will leave everyone feeling like a star and amazed by the talent in Seminole County Public Schools. Join us for an evening of VIP treatment including signature cocktails, exciting live and silent auction items and of course, an incredible show featuring performances by our students and teachers.

Have something wild or mild to donate? It's a great way to support a worthy cause! Click the link below to learn more.

Just a few tables left! Learn more about all the ways to get involved or call

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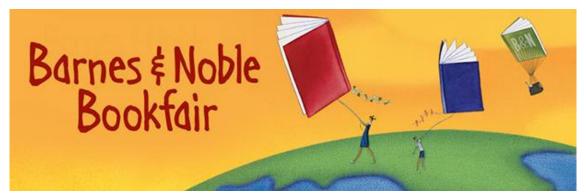
## Advocating on Behalf of Our Students

**Representative Jason** Brodeur helped The Foundation secure a \$5,000 donation from Nemours to benefit Grants for Great Ideas as well as our SCPS Food Pantries. Representative Brodeur has been a **Iongtime Foundation** supporter and an advocate for the students and teachers of SCPS. Thank you



**Representative Brodeur and Nemours!** 

## Barnes and Noble Book Fair to Benefit The Foundation



Join us Wednesday, November 1st as Barnes and Noble supports The Foundation for Seminole County Public Schools!

Tell them you're there to support our students and teachers any time that day and a portion of your purchase will be donated back to The Foundation.

Meet our volunteers with special goodies from 3:00 – 6:00 p.m. at either location.

Learn more.

# Swipe, Sign or Dip to Support SCPS



With CFE Federal Credit Union's newly designed SCPS debit card, you support the students and teachers of our Arated Seminole County Public Schools. In fact, every time you swipe, sign, or dip your SCPS debit card, CFE will donate 3 cents to The Foundation for Seminole County Public Schools.

Every purchase counts toward supporting our students and teachers. To get your very own SCPS debit card, visit any CFE branch, call 1-800-771-9411, or visit mycfe.com.

## In case you missed it!



Thank you to all of our business partners, friends, and the local community for supporting the Tools 4 Seminole Schools Supply Drive! Thanks to the over 100 supply drives, our students and teachers will be set up for success this school year. Learn more.



Do you have 30 minutes to Change a Life Over Lunch? TSIC-S is now screening mentors for a few well deserving high school students at Crooms, Lake Brantley and Lake Mary. To see if you're the right fit for these students or to learn more about becoming a mentor, please visit www.foundationscps.org or email rodrignc@scps.k12.fl.us. Your 30 minutes can make an impact that will last a lifetime!

View these stories and more on The Foundation's Facebook Page <u>https://www.facebook.com/FoundationSCPS/</u>

### UPCOMING EVENTS

Barnes and Noble Bookfair to benefit The Foundation November 1, 2017 21st Annual Arts Alive in Seminole! November 11, 2017

2018 Employee of the Year Celebration January 29, 2018

2019 Teacher of the Year Celebration March 8, 2018

24th Annual Golf FORE Education Tournament March 26, 2018

#### Our Mission

The Foundation's mission as a non-profit organization is to improve student achievement in Seminole County Public Schools by: raising and distributing funds and in-kind donations; fostering involvement in schools by business and the community; and providing recognition and rewards for outstanding contributions to, and performance within, the school system.

