

# ◆ FSS September Newsletter 2026 ◆

**"THE MOST DIFFICULT THING IS THE DECISION TO ACT,  
THE REST IS MERELY TENACITY." -AMELIA EARHART**



## Sunset Yoga on the Water @ Coachman Park



Participate in a **free** fitness class hosted by the Clearwater Y In Motion at Coachman Park. Yoga involves physical and mental well-being through mastery of the body, is achieved through exercise, holding postures, proper breathing and meditation. Parking can be found throughout Downtown.

### Where:

Coachman Park - 301 Drew Street,  
Clearwater, FL 33755

**Time:** September 7th & 14th  
Monday's 6:30p-7:30p

**THE GREATEST SHOW ON THE WATER!**  
HIGH SPEED. HIGH ENERGY. RIGHT OFF OUR BEACH.

**XINSURANCE® CLEARWATER Offshore NATIONALS**  
presented by **ST. PETE CLEARWATER**

**SEPTEMBER 25-27, 2026**  
CLEARWATER BEACH, FL

HIGH-SPEED POWERBOATS | NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS | FAMILY FUN

**WEEKEND SCHEDULE**

| FRIDAY, SEPT. 25   | SATURDAY, SEPT. 26     | SUNDAY, SEPT. 27    |
|--------------------|------------------------|---------------------|
| 5:00 PM - 11:59 PM | 8:00 PM - 11:59 PM     | 6:00 PM - 11:59 PM  |
| TEST & TUNE        | RACES START AT 1:00 PM | CHAMPIONSHIP RACES  |
| MEET THE TEAMS     | QUALIFYING ROUNDS      | AWARDS CEREMONY     |
| WELCOME PARTY      | FAN ZONE               | CLOSING CELEBRATION |
|                    | BEACH PARTY            |                     |

**EASY TO WATCH**  
2.5-MILE COURSE JUST OFF CLEARWATER BEACH  
TURN ONE NEAR PIER 60

**BOAT ACCESS**  
SPECTATOR BOATS WELCOME IN DESIGNATED AREA  
OFFSHORE | TOURS & CRUISES AVAILABLE

**EASY TO GET HERE**  
RIDE THE JOLLEY TROLLEY TO SAND KEY PARK  
TAP-TO-PAY, FLAMINGO FARES APP, OR EXACT CHANGE

**NO ADMISSION CHARGED**  
ALL EVENTS ARE FREE!

**PLAN YOUR WEEKEND!**  
VISIT [MYCLEARWATER.COM](http://MYCLEARWATER.COM)  
FOR DETAILS & UPDATES

PIER 60, CLEARWATER BEACH, FL 33767 | #CLEARWATERNATIONALS

## Clearwater Offshore Nationals

Experience the excitement of the 2026 Clearwater Offshore Nationals on **September 25-27, 2026, at Clearwater Beach, 1 Causeway Blvd.** Watch powerboats race offshore and enjoy a weekend of family-friendly activities, team meet-and-greets, championship races, and awards celebrations. Whether you're a racing enthusiast or looking for a unique local event, there's something for everyone. **Admission is free!** Visit [myclearwater.com](http://myclearwater.com) for event details and updates.

## Need Job Seeking Help?



**Website:** <https://www.employflorida.com/>

Looking for work in Florida just got easier. The Employ Florida Marketplace connects job seekers with thousands of openings. It's a free, powerful resource that includes online job search tools, a resume builder, and a Virtual Recruiter to send you notifications of jobs that match your skills. Create your profile today!



## Upcoming Community Events

**Thur  
Sept  
3**

### Success in School (K-12)

Help your student prepare for their future success! Learn about academic expectations, graduation requirements, and postsecondary planning during this **free** info session on **September 3, 2026, from 3p-4p** at **East Community @ SPC, 2465 Drew Street**.

**Sat  
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12**

### The Market Marie @ Coachman Park

Join The Market Marie on **the second Saturday of every month** for a **free** vibrant, community-focused market experience on Clearwater's beautiful waterfront! Shop 130+ local vendors **from 10a-2p @ Coachman Park, 301 Drew Street**. Family fun, food & produce!

**Sat  
Sept  
26**

### Take Stock in Children Scholarship

Students in grades 7-12 can explore mentoring, college readiness support, and scholarship opportunities through the Take Stock in Children (TSIC) program. Join this **free** informative registration session on **September 26, 2026, from 9a-12p** at **East Community @ SPC, 2465 Drew Street, East Program Room**.

**PINELLAS COUNTY**  
**HURRICANE**  
**GUIDE**  
How to prepare for severe weather throughout the year

**Hurricane Season June 1–Nov. 30**

Pinellas County Emergency Management and Newspapers in Education continue to engage young people in emergency planning. The 2026 Pinellas County Hurricane Guide includes activities for kids to learn how to prepare for extreme weather. See page 3 for the poster contest winner!

**Tampa Bay Times NIE**  
newspaper in education  
tampabay.com/nie

### Hurricane Season Reminder

Hurricane season is here in Florida, running from **June 1 through November 30**, with the most active months typically between August & October.

Now is a great time to check in on your emergency plan, gather basic supplies like food, water, & medications, & stay connected to local weather updates. A little preparation now can go a long way in helping you & your family feel confident, safe, & ready—no matter what the season brings.

**Website:** <https://pinellas.gov/hurricane-guide/>



**Holiday: Happy Labor Day! 9/7/26**



**Have completed ITSP goals?** Please make sure you are keeping verification of your completed goals. Verification will need to be sent to the FSS program so that your ITSP sheet can be updated and marked as finished.

**Quarterly FSS appointment:** To be in compliance with the CHA FSS program, you must attend one FSS appointment every 3 months. If you are unable to complete an appointment, please reach out the FSS coordinator for extra credit opportunities.