

# The Hialeah Update

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## Children's Art Exhibit



August 19, 2010  
Wilde Community Center

## Ibiley Uniforms

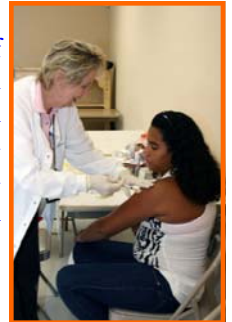


August 25, 2010

Dear Friends,

I would like to take this opportunity to wish all students starting the school year the best of luck. There have been many events taking place around "The City that Progress" and as this year continues I hope that all of you will join me in helping our wonderful community. It is only with mutual collaboration that we will achieve a better community for our children. I look forward to seeing all of you around the city.

**Back to School Immunization:** On August 11, 2010 the City of Hialeah once again joined the Miami-Dade Department of Health (MDDOH) Special Immunizations Program to provide children from Hialeah and surrounding communities with free immunizations. Children received free book bags and school supplies sponsored by S.T.E.P. in the Right Direction. Representatives from MDDOH were on hand giving parents information on dental hygiene. The Hialeah Police Department Cadets provided fingerprinting for the children through their Kidprint Program.



**National Night Out:** On August 3, 2010 the City of Hialeah and the Hialeah Police Department joined in celebrating the third annual "National Night Out Against Crime" event. National Night Out was designed to heighten drug and crime prevention awareness, generate support for participation in local anti-crime programs, strengthen neighborhood spirit, foster police community partnerships, and send a message to criminals informing them that neighborhoods are organized and fighting back. Members of the Hialeah's SWAT Team, K-9 Officers, and other Police Specialty units were present to meet and greet the residents of the community they so proudly serve.

**Children's Trust Presents Back to School Fair:** On August 14, 2010 the Children's Trust joined by the City of Hialeah CL&P Program and Early Learning Coalition worked together to offer information about after-school programs, Pre-K registration and immunization locations, as well as other resources. More than 750 free backpacks and school supplies were given away.

**CL&P End of Summer Showcase:** On Aug 6, 2010 around 150 to 200 children performed at the CL&P summer showcase. The Showcase followed four themes: Greek Olympics, Under the Sea, Chinese New Year, and Outer Space. All these themes were part of the literacy component the teachers had been working on throughout the 10 weeks of the summer program (June 14 through Aug 20). Both teachers and staff members worked each day for around an hour or two practicing these performances with the children.

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## Upcoming Events:

- September 9, 2010 - Ribbon cutting for BB&T location: Hialeah Branch at 11:00 a.m.
- September 10, 2010 - Hialeah Educational Academy "911" yearly tribute to the fallen heroes at the Hialeah Educational Academy from 9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.
- September 15, 2010 - Ribbon cutting for PACE Center with Miami Jewish Home. Location: Palm Center at 4:30 pm

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