

## Volunteer Opportunities

### In November

#### *Pathfinder envelope stuffing is back!*

We send a bi-annual newsletter to our wonderful community and we need your support in completing this!

#### Shift(s) will take place Wednesday

November 17<sup>th</sup>

9am-11:30 AM OR 2-4 PM

Please sign up [HERE](#) if interested!

Please reach out to Maggie if you would like to learn more:

[mrusso@flocritco.org](mailto:mrusso@flocritco.org)

#### November Birthdays!

Daniel Brakenhoff

Tanya Darden

Janice Deverell

Lenese Peterson

Jacquelin Schneider

Desiree Schnell

Mara Wheeler

## Volunteering in full swing!

Happy November! It is crazy to think the holiday season is almost upon us. In this newsletter we have some exciting news to share about upcoming volunteer opportunities and a recap of Halloween activities!

### **BIG NEWS!**

After nearly 20 months, we have received the green light to re-open our ECE shifts! This is exciting for all of us at FloCrit, particularly our ECE colleagues, who will appreciate having added adult support in their classrooms. If you have been a previous ECE volunteer, you can come back as soon as you send in proof of vaccination. You will need to set up a specific schedule with Maggie, because of current regulations that each classroom can only have one adult guest per day. We will help you create that schedule based on your availability and interest. Please reach out to Maggie to set that up, or with any questions you may have.

If you have been waiting to become an ECE volunteer, there are a few added steps before you can begin, including three one-hour trainings to complete with our licensing agency. If you are interested in learning more, please reach out!

**Additionally, the ECE kitchen is looking for help!** We are currently in the process of hiring a new ECE cook. Until we do that, we are looking for volunteers who are available to help our ECE teachers in the kitchen, prepping meals for our youngest FloCrit students. The menus will be created, and the food supplied, so if you like cooking/being in a kitchen and have availability between 7am-12pm one or more mornings a week, please let us know. We'll connect you with the ECE team to learn more.

We look forward to this new opportunity for our volunteers and our campus, and can't wait to starting seeing more of you!

-Maggie and Theresa

## Spotlight on: October Family Engagement Event: Moms + Lil' Monsters!



Our Halloween Family Engagement Event is always one of the most fun parties of the year! This past week we held our annual Halloween event as a parade on our campus. Students and families were invited to “trick or treat” at the high School and Early Childhood Center. We had great participation and almost everyone was dressed up! While Halloween music played, our students and their children happily marched around our plaza stopping at each ECE door to collect treats from the teachers. We served burritos, chips, and guacamole for students and families to take with them. As you can see from the cute photos- our moms and their kiddos really got into the Halloween spirit!

### November In-Kind Donation Requests

Each month we will include the bigger in-kind donation requests from our moms in this newsletter. If you have these items and are trying to find a new home for them, or if you know someone who might, please let us know. Thank you!

- (1) Double stroller, (1) Vacuum Cleaner, (1) Coffee Table, (1) Living Room Chair

## D.A. Davidson Coat Distribution



Our wonderful partners at D.A. Davidson spent an afternoon handing out coats and halloween costumes to our students and their kiddos. Thanks to an incredibly generous donation, we are able to provide our students and their children new winter coats for the season ahead! We are so grateful for the support of D.A. Davidson and their great employees!

