

# Heart Gallery Bulletin

## April - June 2025



Children & Family Services  
Heart Gallery of Pinellas & Pasco

### A note from The Heart Gallery:

The Heart Gallery proudly closed out the 2024-2025 fiscal year assisting with 43 adoptions! This milestone reflects the growing support and heartfelt commitment of our community to helping children find their forever homes.

**A BIG SHOUT OUT** to Pleasant Valley Baptist Church for joining the Heart Gallery family! We're so excited to have Pleasant Valley Baptist Church host our Heart Art display, allowing their parishioners to learn more about the amazing children waiting to be adopted.

**Did you know...** because of our amazing community partners, we had 335 inquiries this fiscal year. Interested in making that number grow? Reach out to learn more!

Did hear the **BIG NEWS...** The Heart Gallery was honored to stand alongside Family Support Services during their recruitment event! This special bowling event brought together adoptable children and supportive families for an afternoon of strikes, smiles, and meaningful connections.

### Currently Trending

**WHERE  
WE'RE AT**

How many children impacted by the

Heart Gallery Adoptions: **472**

Total # of pending adoptions: **50**

**Do you have room in your heart & home for a child in need of a forever family?**

### Stay in touch :



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[heartgallerykids@gcjfcs.org](mailto:heartgallerykids@gcjfcs.org)

Thank you  
to our  
Supporters!





# HEART GALLERY UPCOMING EVENTS



## ♥♥ Adoption Ambassadors Are Community Champions and Networkers ♥♥

- **To host or locate a host** for a gathering celebrating how the Heart Gallery of Pinellas and Pasco make adoption from foster care possible.
- **To give or collectively raise** \$1,000 to help us reach the Bear Hugs Adoption Month fundraising goal and help recruit for adoptive families for children waiting in foster care.
- **To like, comment, and share** Heart Gallery of Pinellas and Pasco's social media posts.



**TUES**  
**7/8**

### Pop-In For Permanency

- 5:30pm - 7:30pm
- Recruitment Event
- 8560 Ulmerton Rd, Largo FL 33771



**MON**  
**7/14**

### Heart Gallery Advisory Council

- 6:00pm-7:00pm
- Volunteers Needed! Are you creative or want to make a difference in a child's life behind the scenes? We need you!



**FRI**  
**7/18**

### Tampa Bay Rays

- 7:35pm
- Baseball Game and Post Adoption Event
- 1 Steinbrenner Dr, Tampa, FL 33614

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**WED**  
**7/23**

**Adoption Information Session**

- 6:00pm - 7:00pm
- Questions & Answer time!
- Email [Heartgallerykids@gcjfcs.org](mailto:Heartgallerykids@gcjfcs.org) for the virtual link to attend



**FRI**  
**8/1**

**Tampa Bay Rays**

- 7:35pm
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**MON**  
**8/11**

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**WED**  
**8/20**

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**MON**  
**8/25**

**Child Advocacy Expo**

- 9:30 am - 1:00pm
- A networking event open to anyone interested in learning more about the valuable resources available in our community
- 4590 Ulmerton Rd, Clearwater FL 33762

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**FRI**  
**9/5**

**Tampa Bay Rays**

- 7:35pm
- Baseball Game and Post Adoption Event
- 1 Steinbrenner Dr, Tampa, FL 33614



**MON**  
**9/8**

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**SAT**  
**9/13**

**Recruitment Event**

- Time TBD
- Private location
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**WED**  
**9/17**

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