



What's New at Chi Chi's

October 2018

Event Spotlight: Inaugural Fore the Kids 5k Fun Run takes place on newly renovated Chi Chi Rodriguez Golf Club



On September 29th, over 125 participants enjoyed a 3.1 mile track throughout the newly renovated golf course, led by the Chick-fil-A Westfield Countryside Cow in a Pace Golf Cart. The weekend started with a packet pick up party on Friday at the Chi Chi Sports Complex featuring food from CiCi's Pizza and Bimbo Bakeries USA, plus corn hole, music and putting games with The First Tee of Clearwater. Following the race on Saturday, runners and walkers enjoyed more music, games and even a dance party with the Cow. We appreciate all of the sponsors, vendors, runners and volunteers who participated in our first ever run!

Huge thank you to Jeff Iosa with the Highland Running Club and Craig Davide from Nolan's Pub for helping us put on this inaugural run!

Top Left: Runners at the starting line;
 Top Right: Brad Hubbard of National Flood Experts crossing over the new bridge on hole 18;
 Middle Left: the Chick-fil-A Westfield Mall's Cow joined in the festivities with Nolan Pub's owner Craig Davide as the Pace Cart;
 Middle Right: 5k first place finishers Brandon Meurer and Shaheeda Ahmed with Highland Running Club's Jeff Iosa;
 Bottom: Program Director Karen Wise runs a putting game with The First Tee participant Lyla during the Friday night Packet Pick Up Party at the Sports Complex

Thank You Sponsors!



Upcoming Events

Chi Chi Charity Classic
 Sunday & Monday, November 11th & 12th
 Chi Chi Golf Club/Nielsen

Music 'n Mistletoe - Holiday Event
 Wednesday, December 19th
 Cirque du Soleil's CRYSTAL - Amalie Arena



Mission: To assist at risk children by improving their self-esteem, character, work ethic, social adjustment, and academic performance using the golf course as a living classroom.

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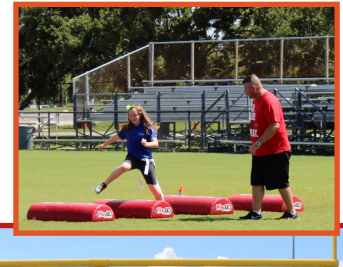
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Tampa Bay Buccaneers Fitness Challenge at the Chi Chi Academy!

On September 7th, the Academy students enjoyed the new Jr. Bucs Fitness Challenge and Flag Football initiative! Members from the Tampa Bay Buccaneers Foundation team and retired player Anthony Davis spent hours on the field having our students stretch, run drills and play flag football. They also donated flag football equipment to our schools Physical Education classes! This is an experience our kids will truly remember for a life time.

Shout out to Kaitlin, Steve, LD, Adam, Matt and Anthony for spending all day running alongside and taking photos with our students!

Top: middle school students make a funny pose with the Bucs team members; Middle Left: Retired Buccaneer Anthony Davis with 6th grader Kevin; Middle Right: 5th grader Marissa runs a drill while being cheered on; Bottom: elementary students with the Bucs team members.



Rotary Club of Safety Harbor donates event proceeds to Chi Chi's

Last month Jonathan Brewer, Assistant District Governor and Foundation VP for the Rotary Club of Safety Harbor, presented a check to Chi Chi's kids for \$2,500. These funds were proceeds from the 11th annual East Lake Woodlands golf event hosted by the Rotary Clubs of Dunedin Waterside and Safety Harbor. Chi Chi's isn't the only benefactor of this event, five other local non-profits are also supported. We appreciate the loyal and generous support of both the Safety Harbor and Dunedin Waterside Rotary Clubs! Accompanying Jonathan was his Denmark exchange student Peter who is spending his junior year at Countryside High. Peter was fascinated to learn about how nonprofits operate in the United States and appreciated touring the school campus.



CEO Cary Stiff accepts a check from
Jonathan Brewer and Peter

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