WERE YOU AWARE...?

TSD offers a free program (Employee Assistance Program/EAP) that confidentially links district employees and their dependents to experienced master’s-degreed clinicians to consult and offer resources for many life stressors. There are also several services available to access online such as informative guides & articles, self-assessments, financial and legal information, detailed calculators used to help solve common financial concerns and much more! Services are available 24 hours/day, 365 days/year. Check out the TSD Intranet to learn more about the services they offer. Be sure to take care of yourself while taking such great care of all of our students and families in our district!

CONNECTION CORNER

4 years ago TSD’s EARSS grant began a partnership with CSU Campus Connections mentoring at-risk youth. This semester marks 8 semesters of the partnership with 240 TSD students participating in the program! This spring CSU Campus Connections nominated EARSS/TSD for a community partnership award. School administrators and mental health staff can make referrals to Campus Connections using the AWARE tab and will be updated on the student’s progress if they are accepted into the program. Please join TSD students and families for graduation on May 1st, Noodles & Company will be served. For more information, contact Raquel.Clark@thompsonschools.org.
Youth Mental Health First Aid (YFA)
*In partnership with CDE’s Youth Mental Health First Aid grant*
Ages 18+
• April 24 & 26 // Mon & Wed 5-9 pm // TSD Admin Building - 800 S Taft Ave, Loveland

2017 Youth Gardening Program
Ages 13-18
There is a sliding scale fee for the program, starting at $10
10 weeks in the summer (Mon-Thurs, 9am-Noon) & after-school sessions in May, Aug. & Sept.
Loveland Youth Gardeners, 907 S. Lincoln Ave, Loveland

Applications for Paid Summer Internship
Students 16-18 years old
Larimer County Workforce Center’s CareerRise team is offering a summer internship program for eligible high school students. The program will provide participants with work readiness training followed by a paid summer internship in a field of interest. See ThompsonCARES website for more information and the application.

Gathering of Hope: Remembering Students
Sunday, April 30, 2017 at 6:30 pm
Colorado Youth Outdoors Swift Ponds, 4927 East County Road 36, Fort Collins
Join us for a special evening as we come together with friends, teachers, family and community to honor and remember the youth we have lost. Memorial candles will light up the ponds as part of the gathering and music will be provided by local high school students. Reception and community resource area following the gathering.

A Family-Based Approach to Self-Harm and Suicide Prevention
Monday, May 1st, 2017 6 - 7:30pm
McKee Conference & Wellness Center, 2000 N. Boise Ave, Loveland
*sponsored by Thompson School District’s School Health Professional Grant*
A presentation by Dr. Eddie Mockus, Ph.D., LP from Heart Centered Counseling on self-harm and suicide prevention. This event is intended for all parents/guardians/family members of adolescents.

“We Will End Bullying” Parent Education Night
For parents of students at Cottonwood Plains ES, High Plains K-8 & Berthoud HS
May 4, 2017 5:30-7:30pm  Food & Childcare provided
TSD Boardroom, 800 S. Taft Ave, Loveland
*sponsored by Thompson School District’s Bully Prevention and Education Grant*
The Parent Information Night will serve to provide parents with details about the new Bully Prevention and Education Grant that the district received, and to introduce the key staff involved. We will be sharing about a system-wide approach, and highlighting the programs and materials we will be using in each school to prevent bullying. We will also be gathering input from parents through some interactive sessions to help guide our implementation.

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