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Playing Sudoku regularly can have benefits, like boosting your concentration and focus, preventing or easing depression and possibly even preventing dementia and Alzheimer's disease, according to some studies.



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News



Risk Management would like to welcome two new employees to the School District.

Tom Watkins—Health and Safety Specialist. Tom moved to FL from Kentucky two years ago. He was ready for some warmer weather! He has an AS in electronics. His past experience includes Williamstown Independent Schools where he was an Administrative Assistant in an ESE classroom. He also worked for a company in Ohio for approximately 14 years. The major part of his job was safety. He was responsible for safety inspections, OSHA standards, and trained all personnel on safety. Recently he completed the HVAC program at the WTC. Tom is a proud dad of a daughter who attends CF and is working on her ESE teaching degree. Tom is very excited to be here and is up for the new challenges. You will see Tom around the schools doing safety inspections, SREFS, and accident investigations.

Valerie Duke—District Secretary. Val was born in Maryland. Her dad was in the Air Force so she moved around a lot. When her dad retired they moved to Citrus County. She attended Floral City Elementary, Inverness Middle and Citrus High School. After graduation she moved to Lake Wales, FL. She was in sales for 20 plus years. She moved back to Citrus County and is very excited to have the opportunity to work for Citrus County Schools. She has reunited with many past friends that also work for Citrus County Schools. Val is a proud mom of her son, Parker, that graduated from the UF College of Dentistry.

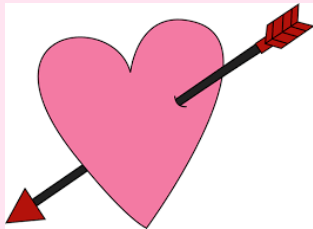




Scott Wagner worked for the Citrus County School District for over 21 years. He retired in December. He will surely be missed! Scott and his wife Tessa, also a former Citrus County School District employee are going to start traveling and seeing the States. We wish him much happiness in this next chapter of his life.

Thank you Scott for your years of service and dedication to the Citrus County School District.

WORKERS COMP



**.....to the following schools for having
no Work Comp accidents. These
schools earned recognition for their safe
practices.**

1st quarter

Academy of Env Science/Marine Science Station
Technology Resource Center/Information Services
Floral City Elementary School
Homosassa Elementary School
Central Ridge Elementary School
Crystal River Primary School
Citrus Springs Middle School

2nd quarter

Academy of Env Science/Marine Science Station
Technology Resource Center/Information Services
Maintenance
Homosassa Elementary School
Central Ridge Elementary School
Lecanto Middle School
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CREST

3rd quarter

4th quarter



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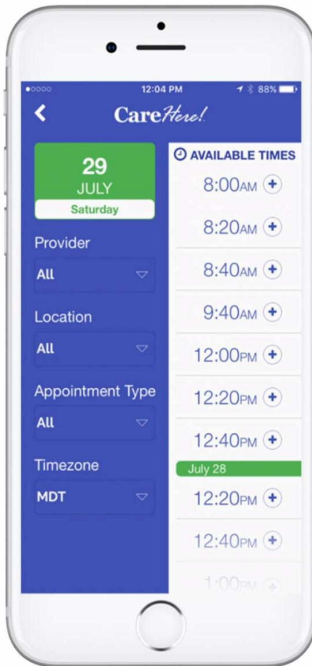
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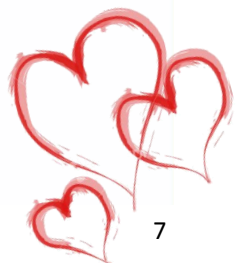
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Risk Management/ Code Compliance Staff & Responsibilities



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Director of Risk Management and Employee Relations

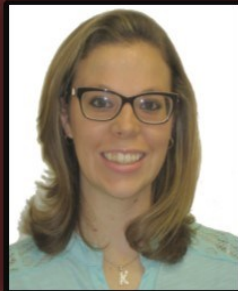
Risk Manager
Safety and Security
Emergency Planning Council
Employee Benefits
Health Insurance



Kim Van Etten

Employee Benefits Specialist

Health Insurance &
Group Benefits
Disability Insurance Claims
Student Insurance
New Hire Benefits Enrollment



Kayla Nelson

District Secretary

Health Insurance &
Group Benefits
403b Information
Wellness Center Information



Valerie Duke

District Secretary

Secretary to Risk Manager
& Code Compliance
Office Receptionist
Daily Office Procedures



Melinda Buckingham

Claims Management Specialist

Worker's Compensation
Sick Leave Bank
Liability Insurance
Property and Casualty Insurance



Greg Covino

Environmental Safety Project Leader

Coordinate Safety & Equipment Inspections
Installation & Inspection of Playground Equip.
Evacuation Drills



Tom Watkins

Health & Safety Specialist

SREF Inspections
Worker's Comp Investigations
Health & Safety Investigations



CONTACT INFORMATION

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Enrollment/Benefit Plan Information 1 - 6	
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Identity Theft Protection 8 - 10	
Provider Name:	LifeLock
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Provider Web Address:	www.accessmedcard.com

Dental 19 - 28	
Provider Name:	Ameritas
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Provider Web Address:	www.AmeritasGroup.com

Disability Income Protection 33 - 36	
Provider Name:	OneAmerica
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Provider Web Address:	www.OneAmerica.com

Term Life Insurance 41 - 44	
Provider Name:	Sun Life Financial
Provider Phone Number:	800.733.7879
Provider Web Address:	www.assurantemployeebenefits.com

Cancer 47 - 52	
Provider Name:	American Public Life
Provider Phone Number:	800.256.8606
Provider Web Address:	www.AMPublic.com

Critical Illness 55 - 58	
Provider Name:	Sun Life Financial
Provider Phone Number:	800.733.7879
Provider Web Address:	www.assurantemployeebenefits.com

Hearing Aids (Value Added Benefit!) 63 - 64	
Provider Name:	Hear4Less
Provider Phone Number:	888.538.5081
Provider Web Address:	www.Hear4Less.com

Guidance Resources 7	
Provider Name:	ComPsych
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Provider Web Address:	www.guidanceresources.com

Medical Insurance 11 - 14	
Provider Name:	Florida Blue
Provider Phone Number:	800.FLA.BLUE (352.2583)
Provider Web Address:	www.BCBSFL.com

Hospital Indemnity 16 - 18	
Provider Name:	American Public Life
Provider Phone Number:	800.256.8606
Provider Web Address:	www.AMPublic.com

Vision 29 - 32	
Provider Name:	Ameritas (VSP Network)
Provider Phone Number:	800.877.7195
Provider Web Address:	www.VSP.com

Universal Life Insurance 37 - 40	
Provider Name:	Mass Mutual
Provider Phone Number:	855.877.6161
Provider Web Address:	www.MassMutualAtWork.com

Accidental Death & Dismemberment 45 - 46	
Provider Name:	CIGNA
Provider Phone Number:	800.732.1603
Provider Web Address:	www.CIGNA.com

Accident 53 - 54	
Provider Name:	American Public Life
Provider Phone Number:	800.256.8606
Provider Web Address:	www.AMPublic.com

Flexible Spending Accounts (FSAs) 59 - 62	
Provider Name:	Total Administrative Services Corp
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