



**PALM BEACH
PHILANTHROPY TANK**

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Inside The Tank

A monthly e-newsletter highlighting Palm Beach Philanthropy Tank's impact in the community, upcoming events, and volunteer opportunities.

Feature Story

LAST CALL! DEADLINE TO APPLY FOR PHILANTHROPY TANK IS NOVEMBER 12th

What are you waiting for? **Apply NOW** for Palm Beach Philanthropy Tank. We will be accepting applications through **Sunday, November 12 at 11:59pm**. If you or someone you know is interested in applying for this year's competition, visit PhilanthropyTank.org/apply and click the "Apply Now" button to get started.

[Apply Now](#)

Have Questions About the Application Process?

Don't sweat it! Philanthropy Tank's Executive Director, January Romero Reissman, was joined by year 2 student-finalist Holly Moritz for a **Facebook Live application workshop** to review the process and answer questions. You can view the video on Philanthropy Tank's [Facebook page](#) or contact info@philanthropytank.org should you have further questions.

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Who Can Apply?

Applicants should be students who live in Palm Beach County OR who are enrolled in 7th-12th grade in Palm Beach County. Students may participate individually, or by forming a team. A winning team may execute their program with a larger group if they choose.

- If you are selected as a Finalist, you will be required to attend the following (please save these dates on your calendar now):
 - **February 3** - Philanthropy Tank Kickoff - 9am-11:30am in West Palm Beach.
 - **February 10** – Workshop on Voice and Stage Presence - 9am-1pm in West Palm Beach.
 - **February 24** –Tech Walk-Through - 9am-1pm in West Palm Beach.
 - **March 11 Philanthropy Tank Finals** (and dress rehearsal)
 - Dress Rehearsal 10am-1pm @ A.W. Dreyfoos School of the Arts
 - Philanthropy Tank Finals 4-6pm @ A.W. Dreyfoos School of the Arts

Community Vote

This year in addition to the normal finalist selection process, our community is going to have an opportunity to **select one student team/individual** to pitch at the Philanthropy Tank Finals on Sunday, March 11th! Voting will be through our website and will begin on Wednesday, 12/13/17 and go through Monday, 1/8/18.

For more information, visit philanthropytank.org/apply

Community Impact



January Romero-Reissman & Aly Reeves,
past winner from Go For Green

Palm Beach Philanthropy Tank recently participated in the School District of Palm Beach County's annual Showcase of Schools event at the South Florida Fairgrounds.

Parents and students strolled the expo halls exploring various choice and career program options available at schools throughout Palm Beach County.

We are grateful to the **School District for inviting us** and letting us share our wonderful program with so many students and parents in Palm Beach County.

And of course, a big **THANK YOU** to our PBPTank students who volunteered to help us spread the word!

Coming Up

Boundless Dreams Groundbreaking Ceremony

Support year 2 student-finalist, Ava Goldstone, and her project **Boundless Dreams** by attending the groundbreaking ceremony on **November 18 at 2 p.m. in Robert Miller Park**. Boundless Dreams will be the first barrier-free, inclusive playground in the City of Delray Beach. Unique features of the Boundless Dreams Playground will include an Americans with Disabilities Act ramp, specialized rubber surface, equipment for spinning and sliding, sensory play panels, custom baseball-themed play elements, and sunshade protection.

Where: Robert Miller Park, 1905 SW 4th Avenue Field #6, Delray Beach, Florida 33444

When: November 18 at 2:00 p.m.

RSVP: coachkadel@gmail.com



Team Ray Band Will Donate Four Ray Units in November

Year 2 student-finalists, **RAY Band**, have a busy month ahead! On Tuesday, November 21, the group of Jupiter High School students will deliver and donate a RAY Unit to **Loggerhead Marinelife Center, Jupiter Outdoor Center, Jupiter Tequesta Athletic Association and Jupiter Country Club**. In September, the group delivered their first RAY unit to West Jupiter Rec Center.

Stay tuned for more information from RAY Band in next month's newsletter!



Student Testimonial



Holly Moritz, Horses That Help-Pathfinders, Year 2 Winner

“My experience with PBPT has been purely amazing! From the mentoring of the coaches and my amazing investor, I learned how to manage a non-profit, balance money and how to be a passionate public speaker! I think the best coaching I received came from Ms. Julie at the **Maltz Jupiter Theatre** who really helped me with my voice as well as how to stand, walk and how to be energized as I speak! I know I will carry those tips with me in interviews and throughout life! I have made such a kinship with my fellow winners and I believe we have all helped each other throughout the whole process!”

In the News

Palm Beach Post Neighborhood Post

Last month, we presented a **\$15,000** check to year 2 student-finalist, Ava Goldstone for her **Boundless Dreams** project. The check was presented at the Miracle League of Palm Beach County's opening day ceremonies. We can't wait to see this project progress!



Save the Dates

Deadline to apply for Palm Beach Philanthropy Tank: November 12, 2017

Finalists Announced: January 19, 2018

Philanthropy Tank Finals: March 11, 2018

Join Us & Get Involved

Are you interested in getting involved with a nonprofit? Look no further than Palm Beach Philanthropy Tank! We are **seeking volunteers** to join several new committees requiring various time commitments. Please consider reviewing the opportunities below and signing up to help us make this year's event the best one yet!

Ambassador & Outreach Committee Volunteer
Event & Development Committee Volunteer
Coaching Committee Volunteer
Impact & Data Committee Volunteer
Pro Bono Graphic / Logo Designer for Student Projects

For more information or to sign up, please visit: <http://philanthropytank.org/volunteer-opportunities/>

Stay Connected

Here are a few simple ways to stay connected and help us **spread the word** about Palm Beach Philanthropy Tank:

- **Forward this email** to a friend, family member or colleague
- Visit PhilanthropyTank.org and **follow us** on [Twitter](#), [Facebook](#) and [Instagram](#)

As always, we appreciate your ongoing support of Philanthropy Tank. With your help, we will continue to make Palm Beach County better, one idea at a time!

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