

# Florida Literacy Coalition Calendar Announcement

## CELEBRATE FLORIDA ADULT AND FAMILY LITERACY MONTH, SEPT. 11, AT WEKIWA SPRINGS STATE PARK

- WHAT:** Join the Florida Literacy Coalition and its local partners in celebrating Adult and Family Literacy Month as [proclaimed](#) by Gov. Charlie Crist. The Literacy Month event will be filled with fun, family-oriented activities including book readings and nature hikes to promote the importance of reading, literacy and education. Event partners and sponsors include the Florida Department of Education, Florida Parks Service, Seminole & Orange County Public Libraries, Orange County Public Schools, GROWS Apopka and Just 1 Book.
- WHEN:** Saturday, Sept. 11, 2010  
9 a.m. – 12 p.m.
- WHERE:** Wekiwa Springs State Park  
1800 Wekiwa Circle  
Apopka, FL 32712
- WHY:** In the state of Florida, one in five individuals is functionally illiterate. This means more than 20 percent of Floridians struggle to read the mail, fill out job applications and read books to children.
- The Florida Literacy Coalition promotes, supports and advocates for the effective delivery of quality adult and family literacy services statewide. More information is available at [www.FloridaLiteracy.org](http://www.FloridaLiteracy.org).
- COST:** Admission to Wekiwa Springs State Park will be waived when visitors present a library card, library book or donate a new book.
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