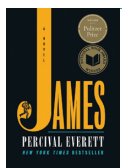


SAVE the Dates

Concerned Persons for Adoption-CPFA NJ 2026 PROGRAMS & EVENTS



CPFA ADOPTION BOOK CLUB

Thursday, April 23
7:00 pm-9:00 pm

Get ready for a book that will spark deep conversation and fresh perspectives! Join us as we discuss "James" by Percival Everett. Book Club meetings are in-person at Great Greek Mediterranean Grill, 182 Ridgedale Avenue, Florham Park. Preview the book at www.goodreads.com.



CAN WE TALK?

Friday, May 1
8:00 pm-9:30 pm
(Zoom)

A powerful and honest conversation: "Transracial Adoption: What We Needed vs. What We Got - Identity Support through an Adult Adopted Person's Lens." Featuring April Dinwoodie, sharing insight through the lens of a transracial adult adopted person. For adult adoptees, closed to parents except the Can We Talk team. Registration is required.



CPFA ADOPTION BOOK CLUB

Thursday, July 23
7:00 pm-9:00 pm

Please join us for a lively and thought-provoking discussion of "Go As a River" by Shelly Read. Book Club meetings are held in-person at Great Greek Mediterranean Grill, 182 Ridgedale Avenue, Florham Park. Preview the book at www.goodreads.com.



CAN WE TALK? SEARCH & REUNION

Friday, September 18
8:00 pm-9:30 pm (Zoom)

An insightful discussion on search and reunion with April Dinwoodie (transracial adult adopted person) and Amy Strickler, LMSW. Open to adult adoptees and families. Registration is required.



CPFA ADOPTION BOOK CLUB

Thursday, October 22
7:00 pm-9:00 pm

An engaging evening discussing "Little," by Edward Carey. Book Club meetings are held at Great Greek Mediterranean Grill, 182 Ridgedale Avenue, Florham Park. Preview the book at www.goodreads.com.

MAY National Foster Care Month



TURTLE BACK ZOO

Sunday, April 26
11:00 am

Let's head to the zoo! Meet at the entrance at 11:00am and enjoy a fun day together. Free for the first 20 CPFA members (then \$15 per ticket). Bring lunch or purchase food from the cafe. Registration is required.



SOMERSET PATRIOTS GAME

Saturday, May 30
6:35 pm

The Somerset Patriots take on the New Hampshire Fisher Cats in an exciting minor league baseball game. Come and enjoy the game with private suite seating, ending the evening with spectacular fireworks. Registration is required.

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SUMMER FAMILY PICNIC

Saturday,
July 25
1:00- 5:00pm

Join us at Sunrise Lake in Lewis Morris Park for a relaxing summer day. Bring your picnic, chairs, towels, and beach gear. Snacks & drinks provided. Admission is free, but registration with CPFA is required. Wibit water feature is not included with admission, but can be paid for separately. Details on Sunrise Lake Beach Club at www.morrisparks.net. Registration starting June 2026.

SEPTEMBER National Kinship Care Month

NOVEMBER National Adoption Month



FAMILY CONFERENCE

Saturday, November 14

Save the date for our annual Family Conference! It is open to all touched by adoption including children ages 8 through 17. More details coming late summer!

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ANNUAL HOLIDAY GIFT COLLECTION *for foster children* **October 18-December 4**

From October 18 through December 4, we will be collecting monetary donations to purchase holiday gifts & gift cards for foster children within the Division of Child Protection and Permanency (DCP&P).
100% of the money donated will be used toward the gifts!

Detailed information for all events at



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