

*The official newsletter of the Executive Women of the Palm Beaches Foundation*



Dinner Bunch- July 31st, Seminole Reef Grill

## From the President's Desk

Dear Fearless Executive Women of the Palm Beaches Member,

I hope you all are enjoying pumpkin lattes, making your travel arrangements for Thanksgiving, and have started your holiday shopping. What? Too soon?

September is upon us and that means we will be preparing for an exciting fall, including some amazing Executive Women programs. Our Season Opener on September 18th at Morton's The Steakhouse will give our members the opportunity to meet committee chairs and sign up for a committee. We will also have some fun and give aways. Please register today and think about bringing a future member with you. Check out our website for more information on our action-packed season! Thanks to our membership committee, we have most of our 24/25 events solidified so you can add the dates to your calendar.

In this newsletter, you will see our new feature called "Out and About with Executive Women". When you enjoy networking and socializing with other Executive Women members outside of our regular programming, snap a photo and send to our Chapter Administrator, Heidi. We will feature you in an upcoming issue of our newsletter.

Have a happy Labor Day weekend!

Best regards,

*Vicki Pugh*



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# Kwasman Grant Nominations Are In!

We are thrilled to report that we received 23 applications for the Kwasman Grant! Thanks to many of you who nominated some great organizations serving girls and women.

Once the applicants are vetted for qualification, they will be sent a full application to complete. Organizations will have until early September to submit the applications and then the Kwasman Committee will be busy evaluating them based on a scoring rubric.

We will announce the chosen organization at our October 23 Fall Luncheon. Registration is open through the web site so make sure you reserve your spot today!!

## Upcoming Events

Breakfast Bunch September 6th, 8:00am  
Lili's Cafe, Palm Beach Gardens

Speed Networking Event January 16th at 5:30pm  
Palm Beach Post, West Palm Beach

Season Opener September 18th at 5:30pm  
Morton's The Steakhouse, West Palm Beach

WILA (Save the Date!)- April 2nd, 2025  
Kravis Center

Fall Foundation Luncheon October 23rd at 11:30am  
Marriott West Palm Beach

Holiday Luncheon December 10th at 11:30am  
The Club at Admiral's Cove

Event details & registration at [www.ewpb.org](http://www.ewpb.org)

# Member Spotlight: Madean Gilzene

**FOUNDER & CEO, EXTRAORDINARY KIDS FOUNDATION, INC.**

## **EWPBF Involvement so far:**

Attended WILA Awards and Workplace Wellness Event

## **3 top things on your bucket list.**

1. Visit Europe & Africa
2. Write a Book on faith and perseverance
3. Create a faith based group for women

## **What made you want to join EWPBF?**

I chose to join EWPBF because I am inspired by the opportunity to connect with like-minded women who are making significant contributions to our community. I am eager to learn from those who are further along in their careers and personal journeys, and I value the collaboration and strong bonds that can enrich our lives and professional growth.

## **Is there anything else you'd like readers to know about why EWPBF is important to you?**

As women, it's crucial for us to support one another, as we face unique challenges that only other women can truly understand. EWPBF is important to me because it allows me to connect with strong, courageous women who have broken barriers and become leaders in today's society. Being part of such an inspiring community is incredibly exciting!



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## Committee Corner: Programs

Join us on the Programs Committee!

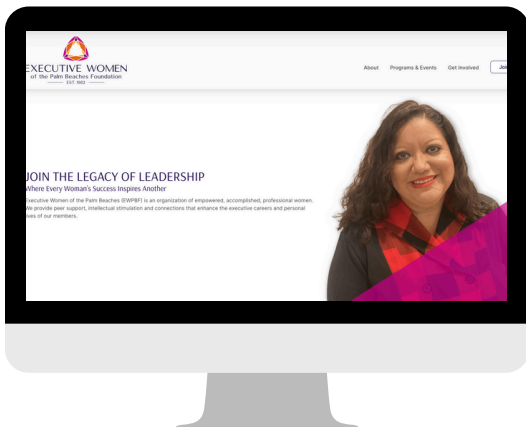
The Programs Committee is dedicated to creating, planning, assessing, and enhancing programs that support the mission of EWPBF. The committee ensures that events and programs align with the Foundation's core values and strategic plan.

The Programs Committee meets via Zoom on the 2nd Tuesday of every month at 8:00am

Committee Chair: Elizabeth Houlihan  
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## Update Your Membership Profile!



Our beautiful new website membership portal is now LIVE! Please don't forget to login and update your membership profile with your headshot, contact information, and networking details. The EWPB Membership Directory is a wealth of connections just waiting for you!

Need help with the website? Reach out to our Chapter Administrator, Heidi, at [director@ewpb.org](mailto:director@ewpb.org)

## Name Our Newsletter!

If you have a great idea for a name for our monthly newsletter, please email [director@ewpb.org](mailto:director@ewpb.org)!

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# Wine Down Wednesday: Salute Market

In Partnership with CREW Palm Beach Treasure Coast





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## Members Out & About



Meeting up with other  
members?  
Send photos to  
[director@ewpb.org](mailto:director@ewpb.org) to be  
featured in the newsletter and  
website!