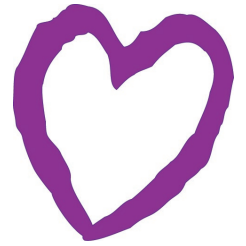




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## Success Story Central Tampa

# Creating a Better World



### Five Protective Factors: Social Connections

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Bonita Granger is what we call our "Super Volunteer." Over the many years of providing her time, talent, creative abilities and awesome personality, the Children's Board Family Resource Center in Central Tampa has experienced growth as a community. She has been instrumental in showing how we can work as a team to better serve our families.

Ms. Granger has served as a member of our Family Community Advisory Council and also as a valued officer throughout the years. Bonita's crafting abilities were the start of her volunteering. She would spend hours at the Center, designing and creating posters, decorations and beautiful note cards for many of our programs and events.

Our Mother's Day celebrations were always decorated in exquisite style with her flare for fresh ideas, color coordination and a taste for the exotic. Each year would be greater than the last. All of her designs were original, handmade and well crafted. Bonita would bless the Center with her presence on many of our themed arts and craft activities including Saturdays for larger events.

As a member of the FCAC, Bonita advocated for programs that would be beneficial for the community as a whole. Her time as vice-president and president was well-served and as a result of her knowledge, the FCAC gained a wealth of information she brought from the community. Through her participation in various center driven programs, Bonita continues to expand how she could share her ideas and leadership skills to assist families.

The staff at Central Tampa has enjoyed having Bonita as part of our Center family and will continue to grow in our personal lives because of it.

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