



### **MEDIA ADVISORY**

#### **MIAMI LIGHTHOUSE FOR THE BLIND STUDENTS TO ENJOY SPECIAL SENSORY EXPERIENCE DURING HANDS-ON FLORIDA PANTHERS HOCKEY CLINIC**

**WHAT:** Miami Lighthouse for the Blind and Visually Impaired Pre-Employment Transition program for teenage students will have the opportunity to take part in a hands-on hockey clinic thanks to the Florida Panthers Foundation. The teenagers will play floorball in the bowl of FLA Live Arena. Prior to the clinic, they will also participate in a career development panel.

**WHERE:**     **FLA Live Arena**  
                  **1 Panther Parkway**  
                  **Sunrise, Florida 33323**

**WHEN:**     **Friday, July 14, 2023**  
                  **Arrival at 10:00 a.m.**  
                  **Enter at Security**

**WHY:** A hockey clinic in which the students will learn to stickhandle, pass, and shoot. In addition, a 3v3/4v4 simulated game will also take place.

**WHO:** Miami Lighthouse's Pre-Employment Transition Program is a year-round program that provides individuals ages 14-22 the opportunity to develop skills to enter the work force or post-secondary education. Students learn important life skills like home and personal management, assistive technology, job readiness, orientation and mobility, social skills and community integration.

Miami Lighthouse has been the recipient of several Community Champions Grants from the Florida Panthers Foundation to provide financially disadvantaged Florida students the opportunity to have better vision through Miami Lighthouse's Florida Heiken Children Vision Program. Thanks to the grant the program has broadened its reach throughout South Florida and serviced more students who are in dire need of eye care.

***\*\*Media is invited as the Miami Lighthouse group experiences hockey at the FLA Live Arena.\*\****

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