



# Navy Exceptional Family Member Program

## South Carolina

A monthly newsletter to keep you connected to resources and events across the Palmetto State and throughout the Navy Region Southeast.

June 2026

### June 1: Hurricane Season Begins

Hurricane season runs from June 1 to November 30 in the Atlantic and Caribbean. Are you ready? Emergencies such as natural disasters require additional planning to address needs such as medical, mobility, sensory, and communication limitations. Planning ahead can prevent harm, reduce stress, and ensure continuity of care for your family member.

For resources and toolkits available to support emergency preparedness and special needs, visit:

- **American Red Cross Inclusive Preparedness Resources:**

<https://www.redcross.org/get-help/how-to-prepare-for-emergencies/inclusive-preparedness-resources.html>

- **Ready.gov Resources:** <https://www.ready.gov/people-disabilities>

- **Ready Navy:** <https://www.ready.navy.mil/About/>

- **National Autism Association “Big Red Safety Box” for general safety is available at:**

<https://nationalautismassociation.org/big-red-safety-box/>



### Resource Highlight: Navy Family Accountability and Assessment System (NFAAS)

NFAAS is a web-based tool that the Navy uses to account, assess, and monitor the recovery process of personnel and their families affected by an emergency event. Download the NFAAS app at any iOS or Android app store.

#### IMPORTANT REMINDERS:

- Update all changes to your information (Unit, Phone, Email, Physical address)
- Update all changes to your dependent information (Phone, Email, Physical address)

## Upcoming Events\*

*\*Disclaimer: These are some of many events being held throughout the state. For more information and resources, contact your EFMP Family Support representative or local disability organization. \*\*No Federal Endorsement Intended\*\**

### Lowcountry:

June 5: [EFMP Bowling Night](#) (JB CHS – AB Starlifter Lanes)

June 7: [Inclusive Swim Night at Splash Zone Water Park](#) (James Island)

June 12: [Inclusive Pickleball with Summerville Parks & Rec](#) (Summerville)

June 14, 28: [CML Superstars Sensory Friendly Time](#) (Children's Museum of the Lowcountry – Charleston)

June 26: [Sensory-friendly Space at JBC Freedom Fest!](#) (Joint Base Charleston Weapons Station)

June 28: [Adaptive Climbing Day with Charleston Co. Parks](#) (Charleston)

June 28: [Inclusive Swim Night at Slash Island Water Park](#) (Mount Pleasant)

Ongoing: [Therapeutic Programs with City of Goose Creek](#) (Goose Creek)

Ongoing: [NAMI Virtual Support Groups](#) (High School, Adults, & Family groups) (Charleston)

### Midlands:

June 19: [Sensory Night at EdVenture](#) (Columbia)

Ongoing: [Adaptive Recreation](#) with Richland County Recreation Commission (Columbia area)

Ongoing: [Therapeutic Recreation](#) with Irmo Chapin Recreation Commission (Columbia area)

### Pee Dee:

June 19: [Sensory Night at EdVenture](#) (Myrtle Beach)

Ongoing: [Sensory Friendly Activities with Champion Autism Network](#) (Myrtle Beach)

### Upstate:

Ongoing: [Inclusive Recreation](#) with Greenville CAN

### Virtual:

June 3: [Life Care Planning: Making the Future More Secure for Your Family](#)

June 5: [SC Supports and Services for Individuals on the Autism Spectrum and Their Caregivers](#)

June 16: [Competitive Integrated Employment Training for Students/Youth](#)



Check out this month's Fleet & Family Support Family Connection Newsletter and webinar schedule:

<https://ffr.cnrc.navy.mil/Family-Readiness/Fleet-And-Family-Support-Program/Family-Connection-Newsletter/>

Webinars at [www.MyNavyFamily.com](http://www.MyNavyFamily.com)

6/3: Moving with an EFM

6/3: Single, Serving, Parent: Special Needs

6/3: Get Organized for Emergencies

6/4: The Road Ahead: Special Needs Future Planning

6/10, 6/18: Resolve to be Ready: Evacuation Planning

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