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TO: Middle School Principals

FROM: Janis Andrews, Ed.D.

Chief Academic Officer

SUBJECT: 8TH ANNUAL LIGHTS ON AFTERSCHOOL PALM BEACH COUNTY

The School District of Palm Beach County will once again partner with Prime Time Palm Beach County to recognize the 8th Annual Lights On Afterschool Palm Beach County event on Thursday, October 18, 2012, at the City Center Plaza Courtyard in downtown West Palm Beach. This event is part of a national celebration recognizing the value and critical need for quality afterschool programming throughout the country.

At the October Board Meeting, the Division of Safety and Learning Environment will be requesting an official proclamation from the School Board in recognition of *Lights On Afterschool Day 2012*. Our elementary and middle schools are encouraged to promote *Lights On Afterschool Day* for Thursday, October 18, 2012, and to plan events and celebrations for the students and their families recognizing the importance of afterschool.

The School District of Palm Beach County is committed to supporting quality afterschool programming that keeps Palm Beach County's youth safe and engaged in expanded learning opportunities.

Approved:

E. Wayne Gent, Superintendent