

# IFB Beat

## STAY CONNECTED

Weekly Corporate Newsletter | Dec. 6th, 2021



## News to Know

### Lights, Camera, Action: S.E.E. Spotlight



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**Our S.E.E. students are truly super stars! In Charlotte, Fox 46 photographer, Kevin Pinto showed S.E.E. students how to operate his camera!**

**The news crew shot a feature story about Hayes, a student in Charlotte and how she helped braille holiday cards.**

**Story coming soon. Stay tuned!**



### Community Support: Truist Grant Secured

**IFB Solutions has received a \$25,000 grant from the Truist Foundation to help expand services and resources for people with low vision through our Community Low Vision Center. Learn more [here](#).**

***If you would like to receive the IFB Beat via email please contact Faith Harding at [fharding@ifbsolutions.org](mailto:fharding@ifbsolutions.org) or Shonn Redmond at [sredmond@ifbsolutions.org](mailto:sredmond@ifbsolutions.org) to be added to the list. Or listen to the IFB Beat by calling our English-line 336-245-5691; Spanish-line, 336-245-5663. To submit information to the IFB Beat, email [communications@ifbsolutions.org](mailto:communications@ifbsolutions.org)***

## Winston-Salem Staff Campaign Meeting



### December 8<sup>th</sup>

Meeting on production floor after the general assembly.

### December 9<sup>th</sup>

Development team will assist employees with staff campaign forms.

*All staff campaign donors will receive an appreciation gift. Door prizes offered!*

## COVID-19 Education

Now that you have your full COVID-19 vaccination, what's next?

- Read about booster shots and find out when you are fully vaccinated according to the CDC [HERE](#).
- As we gather with families for the holidays, please be safe. If you are sick, please stay home.
- If you have questions, email us at [staysafe@ifbsolutions.org](mailto:staysafe@ifbsolutions.org)

## Programs and Services

### Adult Support Group Meetings:

- Monday, December 6 AAA Committee meeting from 12:00-1:00 in TADS Room.
  - Tuesday, December 7 VIPS Club meeting from 12:00-1:00 in TADS Room.
- \*Zoom link at end of newsletter

## Community Low Vision Centers

### CLVC Item of the Week:

Double Spatula, \$6.95 and up.

### December Item of the Month:

Little Larry LED Work Light \$19.95

*Low Vision Equipment through our Loan Program (3<sup>rd</sup> Party), please contact a Low Vision Coordinator for assistance.*

To learn more about the Community Low Vision Center visit our [website](#) or follow us on [Facebook](#)



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# Community Connections

## Merry Christmas: Event Date Changed! (Winston-Salem Event)



Tuesday, December 7, the Winston-Salem Twin City Host Lions club will be at IFB Solutions to spread a little holiday cheer! All blind and visually impaired employees will receive a gift bag full of holiday treats from 2:30-3:30 in the cafeteria. You can look forward to a visit from Santa and Christmas tunes by SEE instructor Charity Hampton!

## IFB: Community Support Changes Lives!

Recently Awarded Grants Supporting IFB's Mission:

- \$20,000 from The Community Foundation of Western North Carolina.
- \$5,000 from the Eaton's Charitable Fund.
- \$3,000 from the Ecolab Foundation.

*\*Grants support mission-driven programs and services at IFB Solutions.*

## National Philanthropy Day



National Philanthropy Day (NPD) was celebrated in the Triad on November 22nd at the Conference Center at Guilford Technical Community College. IFB Solutions representatives were present to support the organization we nominated for the Outstanding Philanthropic Organization Award – Miracles in Sight. Miracles In Sight received the Award for the Winston-Salem area. Learn more about MIS and all other NPD 2022 recipients [here](#).

## We Are HeRe For You!

Feeling stressed? We are HeRe for You! A quarter of Americans say that they feel extreme stress around the holidays. . Know that you are not alone. There are multiple resources available to help alleviate the things that may cause you stress. HR is here for you! Please see Haleigh Yarboro, our Certified HR Transition Representative for more information or resources.



## Job Announcements

### BSC Store Clerk- MacDill AFB

Education and work experience:

High School Diploma

At least 1-year experience in customer service/office clerical environment

External candidates apply [here](#).

Internal candidates apply [here](#).

### Customer Care Coordinator- Tyndall AFB

Education and work experience:

Must have high school diploma or GED.

No experience required.

Internal candidates apply [here](#).

External candidates apply [here](#).

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### BSC Buyer- Winston Salem

Education and work experience:

Associates degree or higher

2 year buying experience preferred

External candidates apply [here](#).

Internal candidates apply [here](#).

For more information or questions regarding any of these job opportunities please contact Brent Burkholder at X5611.

## Insider Corner

*News and Information from IFB's Insider Team*

### [Audio Escape Room: Join the Adventure!](#)

Try this new and accessible Escape Game format. You will discover very unusual and surprising places: an abandoned hospital, a haunted mansion, the Orient Express, and other interesting places around the world.

- Live the adventures in beautiful graphics and in immersive soundscapes.
- Resolve the puzzle and discover the real place of the Escape Room.

- You have 3 minutes to get out of each Escape Room. You can be helped by a clue in each of the puzzles.

**Game Price: Free**

**Devices: iOS and iPad OS Version: iOS 15**

**[Read Audio Escape Room's App Store entry for more information](#)**

**[Visit Audio Escape Room's App Store page](#)**

### **[Fifteen Years Old, Totally Blind, and Star Quarterback for His California Football Team!](#)**

**Jasen Bracy, lost his vision at seven years old due to retinal cancer. He developed a love for football and wanted to play. Despite his parents stating, "There's no way!" His unwavering determination was fulfilled when the Modesto Raiders coach agreed. Now, with his dad's assistance on and off the field, he memorizes all plays, teammate's locations, and loves every moment. Watch the video of his game winning pass below: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=h7eJNBWPqOM&t=88s>**

### **[Adult Support Group: Join Zoom Meeting](#)**

**<https://ifbsolutions.zoom.us/j/99498078576?pwd=ODJzK0sxcXZrME9yN25YRTdiNXBSQT09>**

**Meeting ID: 994 9807 8576**

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