

## NEWS BRIEFS



**PIZZA NIGHT:** Friendship Circle group are enjoying a night out at Jons Pizza in Boca Raton as part of the new Life Skills program, initiated for children with special needs. Submitted photo

### Program teaches special-needs kids

The Friendship Circle of North Broward and South Palm Beach, a program for children with special needs, launched the program Life Skills Dec. 3.

Life Skills teaches children how to become comfortable in a bank, store, restaurant or beauty salon. Teenagers with special needs met at the Kosher Market Place in Boca Raton for their first shopping spree. Each child was given money, a shopping list and a volunteer to assist them. After that the children went to the local pizza store and enjoyed an evening out with their special friends. The next Life Skills will be Feb. 18.

For information about the Friendship Circle or the Life Skills program, call Sarah at 954-970-9551 or e-mail [www.flo](http://www.flo)

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