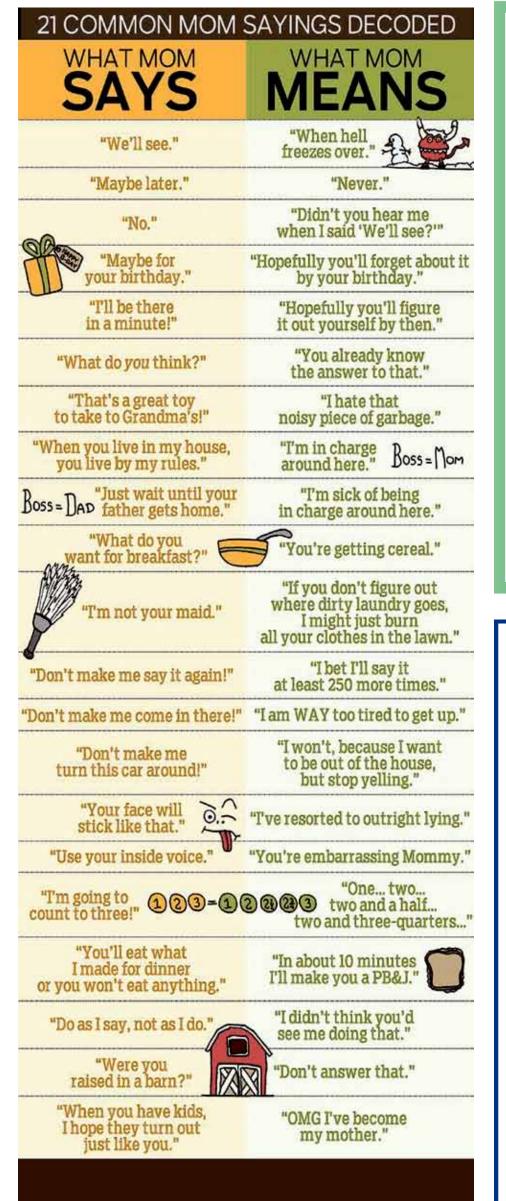
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## **Team River Runner's OuttaSight Program for Veterans Fundraiser Scheduled for May 29**

Every year, the warm weather and welcoming community of Key Largo hosts Veterans with visual impairment and their guides for Team River Runner's OuttaSight program. This program, in existence for nearly a decade, has focused on training Veterans with visual impairments (VI) as well as training Veterans and volunteers to be VI guides. Our guides, many of whom are Veterans themselves, receive training in VI guiding through Team River Runners OuttaSight Guide Leadership

Our VI participants work and bond with their guides over the course of the week, as we learn and develop sea kayaking skills and knowledge of the local flora and fauna.



2019 Team River Runner Key Largo's OuttaSight paddlers and guides. Front L to R: Celiann, Colin, Braian, Deborah

Back L to R: Mark, Carlos, Raquel, Don, Hugo, Brian, Jen, Steve, Jamie,

off the water, our team typically paddles Blackwater Sound, Dusenberry Creek,

In addition to training on and Garden Cove, and the always challenging mangrove trails at John Pennekamp State Park.

> We take a day off from paddling for a therapeutic

swim with dolphins at Island Dolphin Care and a mandatory visit to Shell World for the required souvenir shopping. And if that isn't enough, the little bit of time we have remaining is quickly filled up with daily yoga sessions, stretching, food preparation, and pool sessions.

These events would not happen without the support of our Key Largo friends and partners. The VA Adaptive Sports Grant Program provides funding for equipment, supplies, gear rental, and instructor fees, but provides limited support for travel, lodging, and food.

We rely on the generous support of the Key Largo community year after year to make these memorable training events happen by filling our funding gaps.

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