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Harmony Hill School opens new high intensive treatment program



Eric A. James, CEO and president of Harmony Hill School, and Jamia McDonald, chief strategy officer for the Executive Office of Health and Human Services, cut the ribbon at the opening of the new High Intensive Milieu Unit at Harmony Hill School. The ribbon cutting event took place on Friday, Sep 11. (Valley Breeze photos by David Wuerth)

GLOCESTER - Harmony Hill School hosted a ribbon cutting ceremony to commemorate the completion of its newest residential program, the ISAT "Blue Jay" (High Intensive Milieu Unit - "HIMU") on Friday, Sept. 11.

The new unit is a staff-secure and facility semi-secure 13-bed residential unit for boys with moderate to severe behavioral health issues.

This unit is designed for those youth who are not in need of the highest level of care, the Intensive Stabilization, Assessment and Treatment Program.

The HIMU provides individualized support for youth who are experiencing mental health and or behavioral struggles.

Boys in this program will receive individualized treatment plans with identified goals and objectives that will be developed by the treatment team that includes the youth, family, DCYF/Probation, education, youth care, clinical team members and any other outside parties, according to a press release.

For more information about Harmony Hill School, visit www.hhs.org .



Rhode Island State Representative Michael W. Chippendale spoke about the 9-11 anniversary at the ceremony. A new High Intensive Milieu Unit at Harmony Hill School was unveiled and the ribbon cutting event took place on Friday, Sept. 11.