



NEWS FROM THE CENTER

MAY 2023



OUR MISSION

The mission of the Kennedy Heights Community Center is to create a community support network for low to moderate-income families; increase available resources and programs to improve the lives of residents and to develop and present social, educational, recreational and cultural programs for children, youth and adults.



DIRECTOR'S NOTES

Imagine a world where we ALL have all of our basic needs met! I invite you to close your eyes and just imagine that. How would you feel? How would your neighbor feel?



UPCOMING DATES

- Block Party June 23, 4-7 PM
- Summer Camp Begins June 20, 2023
- LIT Summer Begins June 20, 2023
- Board Meeting, June 28, 5:30-7 PM
- Pizza with Police, June 29, 5:30-7 PM

JOB OPENINGS & VOLUNTEERING

PASS AmeriCorps 23-24 Term Position (900 hrs/1700 hrs)

Volunteers

We always welcome volunteers to support our work.

OUR COMMUNITY SCIENCE EVENT IN PARTNERSHIP WITH EDGEWOOD COLLEGE ROSE FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM WAS A SUCCESS AND A NICE WAY TO WIND DOWN THE SCHOOL YEAR WITH OUR FAMILIES WITH A DIVERSE ARRAY OF NUTRITIONAL-THEMED ACTIVITIES AND GREAT FOOD OPTIONS TO TRY.

OFFICE CONTACT INFO & HOURS

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 School Year Hours: Monday-Friday 9 AM-6:00 PM
 Summer Hours: Monday-Friday 9:30 AM-5:30 PM
 Computer Lab Open: Monday-Friday 9 AM-5:30 PM
 Closed: Holidays and days that Madison Metropolitan School District closes

Facility Use | Computer Lab | Fax, copy, and print

The community center provides space to other non-profit groups that provide programming that fits with the mission of the community center and is available to the community (baby showers, birthday parties, etc..).

STAFF AND COMMUNITY CPR TRAINING



LEADERSHIP IN TEENS SUMMER PROGRAM - LIT

In partnership with the city's effort in Youth Violence Prevention Efforts, Kennedy Heights is piloting a new older teen program where teens will develop meaningful social connections with safe adults and community peers while engaging in opportunities that will foster leadership skills development. This program will engage between 8-15 older teens from Kennedy Heights and surrounding communities from the end of May through the beginning of October 2023. If successful we would like to make this a permanent feature of Kennedy Heights. To coordinate this program we have welcomed Andrew Richmond who is an amazing role model for the youth!

Our vision is to see a thriving community where everyone feels supported and can flourish and live a stable life now and always! Please Consider Supporting our very successful Adult Programs (RAC, Cooking Demos, and Parents' Night Out) whose funding is wrapping up this June! We want to see these programs become a permanent feature of Kennedy Heights, and for this, we need your generous support.



Pizza with Police

As our police officers had other commitments this month, the residents took this month's meeting to celebrate Kiyrrauch's birthday with her family and other community members. We appreciate that her mother felt at home celebrating this important occasion with us and other residents. It really takes a village!



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