



Youth Neighborhood Association Partnership Program (YNAPP) Grant Review Board Agenda

1. **Call to Order and Roll Call**
2. **Announcement Regarding: Compliance with Open Meeting Law**
3. **Public Comment:** Comment during this portion of the agenda must be limited to matters on the agenda for action. If you wish to be heard, come forward and give your name for the record. The amount of discussion, as well as the amount of time any single speaker is allowed, may be limited.
4. Report on Youth Neighborhood Association Partnership Program Applications submitted by Kids That Recycle – Kids That Recycle; LVMPD Foundation – Bolden Lions Youth Soccer Mentoring Program; Alliance for Academic Quiz Bowl – Coding Workshop & Tech/Science Quizbowl; SUGAR Mentoring Program – Sugarburst Step/Dance Cheer Camp; Moore Sweets – Cupcakes of Joy; Nehemiah Ministries Christian Church – College Aged Foster Youth; Project Dot – YNAPP Grant – Project Dot; STARS Community Development Corporation – Community Fun Day & Basic Needs Giveaway; Batteries Included Next Generation (Gibson) – Leadership Tennis Club; The Superfriends – Super Bowlers; Unity's Youth Warriors – Unity Community Explosion; Wild N Out Wednesdays Youth Advisory Council – Artistically Motivate; Blight eSports – Highschool eSports Food Drive; Books and Ballet – Books and Ballet; and Essential Beauties – Essential Beauties [NOTE: Presenters listed above that do not appear during this meeting may be allowed to present at the December 13, 2021 meeting, if excused by the Board at their originally scheduled meeting.]
5. **Citizen Participation:** Public comment during this portion of the agenda must be limited to matters within the jurisdiction of the Board. No subject may be acted upon by the Board unless that subject is on the agenda and is scheduled for action. If you wish to be heard, come forward and give your name for the record. The amount of discussion on any single subject, as well as the amount of time any single speaker is allowed, may be limited.
6. **Adjournment**

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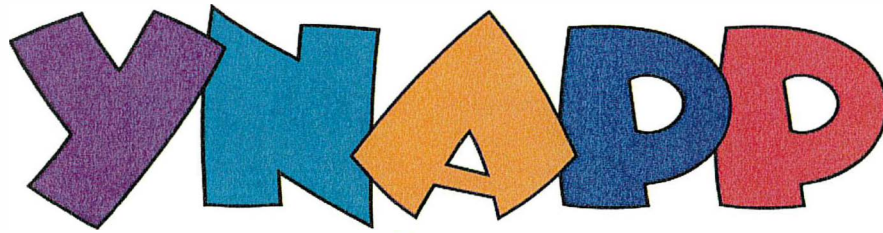


Youth Neighborhood Association Partnership Program

Neighborhood Youth Serving the Community

Grant Review Board Presentations | Thursday, December 9, 2021

3:45 p.m.	Kids That Recycle
	LVMPD Foundation
	Alliance for Academic Quiz Bowl
4:15 p.m.	SUGAR Mentoring Program
	Moore Sweets
4:45 p.m.	Nehemiah Ministries Christian Church
	Project Dot
5:15 p.m.	Stars Community Development Corporation
	Batteries Included Next Generation (Gibson)
5:30 p.m.	Board Member Dinner
6:15 p.m.	The Superfriends
	Unity's Youth Warriors
	Wild N Out Wednesdays Youth Advisory Council
6:45 p.m.	Blight eSports
	Books and Ballet
	Essential Beauties



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Summary of Presentations

(Information compiled from ZoomGrants.com Application)

Thursday, December 9, 2021

3:45 p.m. – Kids That Recycle - Kids That Recycle

Recycle 4 Schools' main goal is to get kids excited about recycling. We want kids to rub off their excitement for saving the planet onto their families and friends by experiencing how fun thrift shopping is, learning the benefits of recycling, and gaining awareness of what can and cannot be recycled. Students K-5th will be in a competition to see who can collect the most trash. We will have an assembly in the beginning of the year explaining the competition, the prizes, benefits of recycling, the final event, etc. From that day until the weekend of earth day in April they will be able to collect as much recyclable products as they can. During the final event we will have food, music, games, and other fun booths. Towards the end maybe like with one hour left afterwards we will weigh the trash and the class or grade with the most amount of trash will win.

3:45 p.m. – LVMPD Foundation – Bolden Lions Youth Soccer Mentoring Program

We are looking forward to the opportunity for the Bolden Lions to be Community Ambassadors and participate in the 2022 Easter Extravaganza located within Bolden Area Command. They will assist in planning, securing necessary supplies and event items, setup the event, assist in the operation of the event, and assist in the clean-up of the event.

The Las Vegas Metropolitan Police Department's Bolden Area Command is located within a county where the Hispanic community is the second-largest race demographic. This specific demographic of residents has been found to distrust law enforcement and endures many social-economic hardships. Thus, the Hispanic community is often underserved due to embedded cultural fears concerning authority and language barriers.

3:45 p.m. – Alliance for Academic Quiz Bowl - Coding Workshop & Tech/Science Quizbowl

This year, building on our previous quiz bowl and coding event successes, AAQB is planning on holding a joint coding and quiz bowl seminar for middle school children. This will be a one day, online event, with students from Harvard University and MIT calling in to teach students from Las Vegas middle schools the Python coding language, as well as the basics of HTML, CSS, and Javascript: the core tools required to write programs and build websites. We'll then have a short quiz bowl on this topic for students, with prizes like tablets being handed out afterwards. This year, our quiz bowl will also take a somewhat different form: half of the questions will be on coding, and the other half will be on pressing

challenges like climate change, water conservation, and green energy. We hope to encourage our learners to become active and engaged citizens who have the ability to search for solutions to the problems of today. We selected this project because our community deeply needs answers to these questions that the existence of our city depends on, and we hope to prepare the youth of the Las Vegas community to solve these challenges. Neighborhood residents will be the participants and volunteers in this event.

4:15 p.m. – SUGAR Mentoring Program – Sugarburst Step/Dance Cheer Camp

The Sugarburst Cheerleading Dance Camp is a 12-week Cheer camp for girls and boys in the 2nd to 6th grade. We plan to enroll kids who attend the Doolittle Community After School program and anyone close by the Center. We want to ensure the kids have fun after school and learn to be confident and express themselves through cheer and dance. The goal of the camp is to help kids make friends while still having fun and expressing themselves. We came up with this project at our planning meeting, and we voted on adding boys and girls and adding dance for those that don't want to cheer. We also voted on the name and how many weeks the camp should be held.

4:15 p.m. – Moore Sweets – Cupcakes of Joy

The project that we will be doing will consist of us baking and delivering cupcakes to give to the elderly and the youth who are homeless and are a part of the Nevada Partnership for Homeless Youth organization (NPHY). We chose to do this specific project because we love to bake and we thought that a cool way for us to give back to the community, and bring joy and happiness during these difficult times, would be baking cupcakes for the elderly and also homeless children. The neighborhood residents will be involved by writing notes to the people who receive the cupcakes.

4:45 p.m. – Nehemiah Ministries Christian Church – College Aged Foster Youth

Nehemiah Ministries proposed YNAPP project is to provide care packages to college students who have aged out of the foster care system. The project was selected due to the church's current relationship with SAFY and our mission to ensure youth within the foster care system have continued access to local and state resources as they matriculate through and out of the system.

Care packages will include hygiene items, snacks, socks, a sweatshirt and a beanie along with words of affirmation and encouragement from the youth in our children's ministry. The goal of the care packages is to instill a sense of community to each recipient. We want them to know even though they have aged out of the system, they still have family, friends and a strong community that will be here to support them throughout their lives, not just through a short period of time. Neighborhood residents will be involved via our outreach ministries team. We are asking residents to donate personal sized hygiene items such as toothpaste, deodorant, lotion and other products students are constantly in need of.

4:45 p.m. – Project Dot – YNAPP Grant - Project Dot

Project Dot provides feminine hygiene products to homeless and low-income girls and women to give them dignity and help take the hassle of having their monthly cycles. Each hygiene packet we make and distribute within the community contains enough items for a 1-month supply for a homeless girl/woman as well as other items to help them stay clean and prevent infections. The kits also include items they need like a toothbrush and toothpaste, sunscreen, and hand lotion as well as items to help them feel pretty like nail files and hair ties. The kit is finished when we put in a small, sweet treat and a motivational note to remind them that people see their value.

Project Dot is working hard to take the stigma out of women and girls and their menstrual cycles. Co-Presidents – McKenzie Carmichael and Anna Kove will coordinate volunteer events with local business team members as well as members of the National Charity League Las Vegas and prepare on-site kit builds and continue relationships with community partners for kit distribution within the community. The Grant will allow us the ability to purchase the items needed to coordinate the kit builds.

5:15 p.m. – STARS Community Development Corporation – Community Fun Day & Basic Needs Giveaway

The Project will be a fun, safe day in our Community. We will come together for a spirit day full of games, contests, performances, and children's activities for the entire family. We selected this project by meeting with our Batteries Included Council and voting on how we can help the Community in the most fun way possible. We want to work with our School, Democracy Prep, and our Community Center Doolittle to tell others about our Community Event. We want to find community leaders to help us giveaway free stuff that families need to our guests.

5:15 p.m. – Batteries Included Next Generation (Gibson) – Leadership Tennis Club

Our Project is called the Leadership Tennis Club. We are starting this club for students to learn how to play tennis together after school. Our goal is to start this club and see it grow and stay forever.

--- 5:30 p.m. BOARD MEMBER DINNER ---

6:15 p.m. The Superfriends – Super Bowlers

We really love bowling! Three years ago we met in a youth bowling league and we still bowl together in the same league. We want to share the sport of bowling with other youth by hosting a bowling tournament. In the tournament we will invite other people from our bowling league and people who have never bowled, or maybe did think that bowling could be a sport, to bowl together. We will pair a league bowler with a non-league bowler so that the league bowlers can help the new bowlers understand the game and to give them advice and pointers. We will advertise our event through the bowling alley, the bowling alley's Facebook page, and through personal connections that our league bowlers have (like friends and school). Our parents, staff at the bowling alley, and other adults will

help us with booking the lanes, managing the teams and spreading the word about the event.

6:15 p.m. – Unity's Youth Warriors – Unity Community Explosion

The project we decided on will be a community explosion. This explosion will be a combination of a community resource fair and youth showcase. We will fuse both music and various forms of arts together for our community. We will partner with community resource vendors to set up tables, will host a food and clothing drive and have a showcase of talent from the youth and young adults. The food and clothing will be given to the community at the event. This project was selected over the course of several meetings where we tossed around a bunch of ideas and suggestions. We knew we wanted to do something in the community, that was inclusive of every race, orientation, and religious background, that would get the community involved and that would bring together various resources for the community. The idea behind this project was that it was something that everyone could get involved in and it is something that we could do annually each year.

6:15 p.m. – Wild N Out Wednesdays Youth Advisory Council – Artistically Motivate

Artistically MotiVote is going to promote voter registration within The West Las Vegas Promise Neighborhood. The Participants of the YNAPP Grant will be building and artistically creating custom voter registration boxes. The project was selected when our Advisor went to Chicago and saw custom Voter Registration.

6:15 p.m. – Blight eSports – Highschool eSports Food Drive

My project is a nonperishable food drive with a Smash Tournament between schools in the Las Vegas Area alongside it. How the project was selected: I've attended quite a few eSports charity events, but I haven't seen people my age doing their own. So, when the opportunity was presented, I began planning my own with a widespread game like Super Smash Bros. Ultimate. Originally, I wanted to do a toy drive with the winter holidays approaching but due to the timeline requirements I decided to switch to a food drive during Spring Break.

6:15 p.m. – Books and Ballet – Books and Ballet

Books and Ballet is a virtual reading and beginner's ballet program I created in October of 2020. I created it once I recognized the impact young students would be facing by not having extracurricular after realizing the positive impact it had on my childhood and how I grew up. This project was selected because I wanted to do an activity that I could effectively teach well and near to my heart. I've been a ballet dancer for over fourteen years and an avid reader in school. My expertise in ballet allows me to know beginner's ballet like the back of hand, and I have previous teaching experience alongside volunteer experience at the Sunrise Library with helping children work on their reading comprehension through the program "Reading Buddies." My program consists of ballet boxes for all students who participate. These boxes include ballet shoes, tutus, one to two books, a t-shirt and a personal card from me alongside four weeks of virtual classes taught on Zoom for young elementary school children. With the YNAPP grant, Books and Ballet will be able

to service 30 school children! Within these classes, students are taught beginner's ballet moves and we read a plethora of books through Kindle Reading. Weeks leading up to these classes, I spend time planning out the books that will be read through the kindle, the dance moves that will be introduced, and the combinations that students will learn.

6:15 p.m. – Essential Beauties – Essential Beauties

Essential beauties was thought up by me as a way to give back to essential workers, specify women workers. The idea for my project is to show appreciation to those who aren't always acknowledged and may go feeling unappreciated. In order to do this my team and I will be making gift baskets with high quality and items that would be considered a luxury. Neighborhood members will not only involve my team, making and distributing gift baskets to the workers, but also to the people who receive them.

6:15 p.m. – Reese's Pieces - Peyton's Positivity Project

We are partnering with Shannon West Homeless Youth Center to provide boxers, bras, underwear & ethnic hair care products. Donations from Project Marilyn of feminine hygiene products and backpacks from Paul Powell Law Office will also be included. We will also be having a cotton candy station at this event if possible from Cameron's Cotton Candy for a Cause.

6:45 p.m. – Jobs 4 Nevada's Graduates (J4NG) – Canyon Cares

Students have identified teenage homelessness as a concern in their community and neighboring communities. Students voted to address the homelessness concern among their peers. After some research, Nevada Partnership Homeless Youth (NPHY) was voted in by students as the recipient of grant funds.

6:45 p.m. – Kenny Guinn Center for Policy Priorities– Bags of Hope

Our project, Bags of Hope, will help address this community need by compiling at least 100 “care bags” to donate to our unhoused community. These donations will include a mix of duffel bags, backpacks, and rolling duffel bags stocked with needed items including hygiene products, food, and other items in-demand at the time our project is executed. Items to fill our bags will be collected from community donation sites run from February–May of 2022 as well as donated directly from project partners including Project Dot. These donation sites (including with our partner Girls Scouts of Southern Nevada) will accept both cash and item-based donations. We will check donation sites and collect donations on a weekly basis to be stored at (the Girl Scouts of Southern Nevada and the Guinn Center's Las Vegas office space–the Guinn Center for Policy Priorities is our parent organization). Additionally, we will update our list of items we are requesting to be donated on a monthly basis as needed. Donation sites will be held at community locations associated with our Steering Committee members, including Bishop Gorman High School, the University of Nevada, Las Vegas and the College of Southern Nevada.

During this same time period, we will also order duffel bags, backpacks, and rolling duffel bags from pre-selected wholesale retailers using the grant funds distributed by YNAPP. We will also be using YNAPP funds to help advertise our drive as well as help purchase any additional items needed at the end of our collection period to help supplement any gaps in donated items. Cash donations collected during the drive will be utilized in a similar manner. The completion of our project will occur at the beginning of May where we will compile and donate our care bags at the Nevada Partnership for Homeless Youth (NPHY) facility. We will solicit input from NPHY, Nevada Homeless Alliance, City of Las Vegas, St. Jude's Ranch, and Peggy's Closet about the items that we should include in the bags.

Coding Workshop & Tech / Science Quizbowl

Alliance for Academic Quiz Bowl

Blu Mehari, Youth Volunteer

Submitted at Meeting

Date 12/09/2021 Item 4

by Alliance for Academic Quiz Bowl

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About Us

- ❖ Alliance for Academic Quiz Bowl (AAQB) is an organization centered on encouraging Nevada students to actively engage in learning and education.
- ❖ We do this by hosting community Quiz Bowl events such as tournaments, summer camps and workshops.



About Us

<http://www.aaquizbowl.org/>

The Project

- ❖ This year, AAQB hopes to replicate our previous YNAPP-funded success and serve Las Vegas youth by bolstering our middle school program through a quiz bowl and coding event centered on teaching website creation and STEM topics.



The Project

- ❖ Students from Harvard and MIT alongside our youth volunteers will teach kids the basics of HTML, CSS, and Javascript.
- ❖ We will also hold a quiz bowl competition with questions based on pressing issues like green energy taught in the workshop.
- ❖ Through this project, we aim to both build on our primary goal of promoting overall interest in academics and make futures in STEM fields accessible and compelling to Las Vegas students.



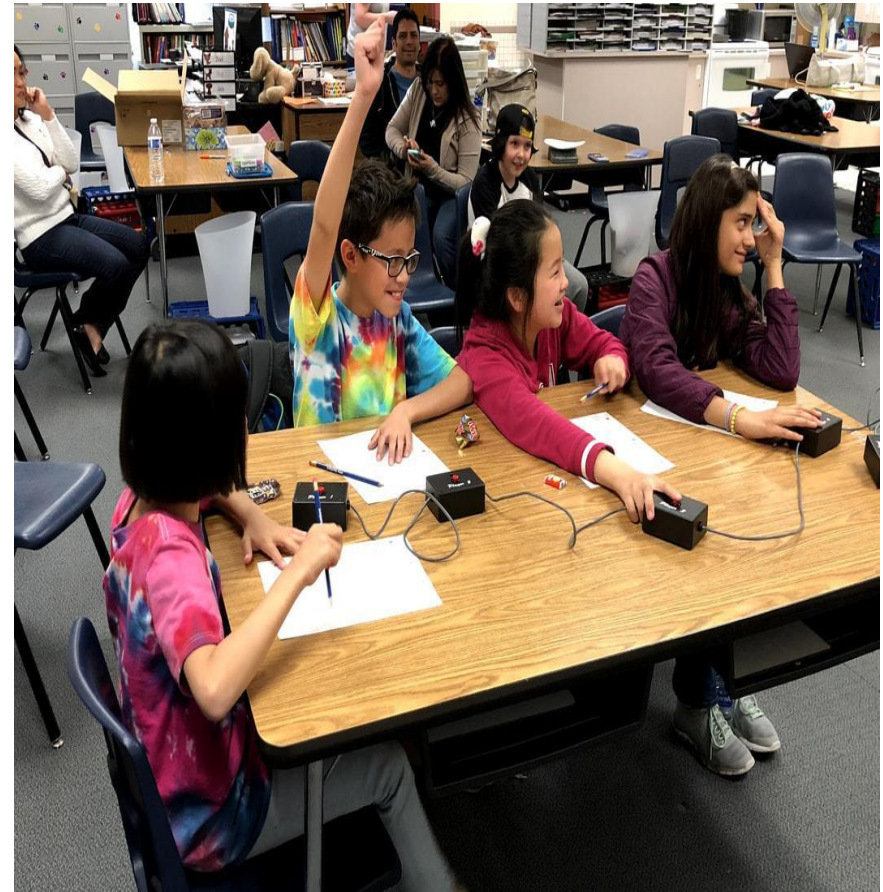
Objectives

- ❖ Sparking curiosity and motivation to learn in younger children in the community through enjoyable, friendly competition.
- ❖ Learning in a collaborative environment prompts kids to discover and foster their interests in many fields.
- ❖ Teaching young students the value of camaraderie and teamwork through team competition in the form of quiz bowl.



Objectives

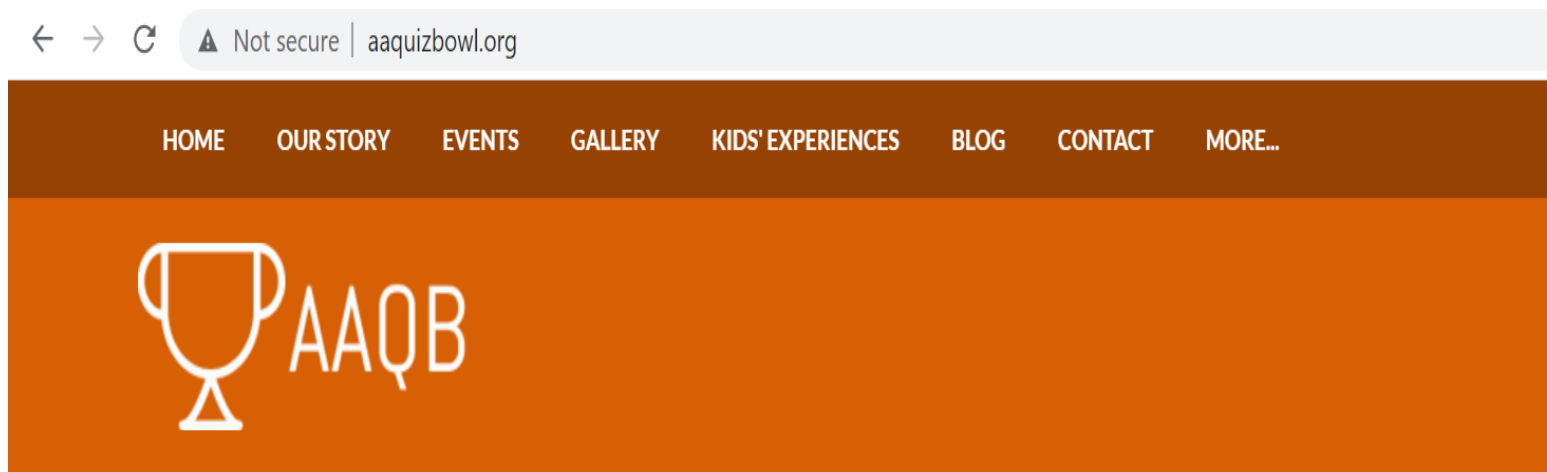
- ❖ This year, we're planning on basing our competition on information taught in the workshop, encouraging students to study and engage with the learning material.
- ❖ We hope to create significant positive change in Las Vegas through tech-based diversification.
- ❖ Neighborhood children will be participants and thus focus of this event.



Group Reflection/Getting the Word Out

Youth volunteers share what they've learned by:

- ❖ Documenting their experiences via pictures, which are then be uploaded to www.aaquizbowl.org
- ❖ Discussing their experiences on the Alliance for Academic Quiz Bowl blog and social media (blog posts, interviews, etc.)



Volunteer Duties

- ❖ The role of Youth volunteers include:
 - ◇ Check-in for all participants and volunteers
 - ◇ Reading questions
 - ◇ Data distribution
 - ◇ Update website/social media
 - ◇ Upload statistics
 - ◇ Obtain and upload volunteer pictures, experiences/documentation
 - ◇ Provide feedback and assistance on website creation
- ❖ Adult Volunteers will primarily provide youth supervision & support.

Financials

❖ Returning YNAPP Grant recipient

Budget

Grant Amount Requested

\$

1,250.00

Hours Pledged (128.83 volunteer hours x \$23.00) \$ 2,520.00

Total

\$ 3,770.00

Financials

Funding Uses/Expenses

YNAPP Funds

Chromebook Prizes (x4)

\$1100.00

AAQB T-Shirts for Volunteers

\$150.00

Total

\$1250.00

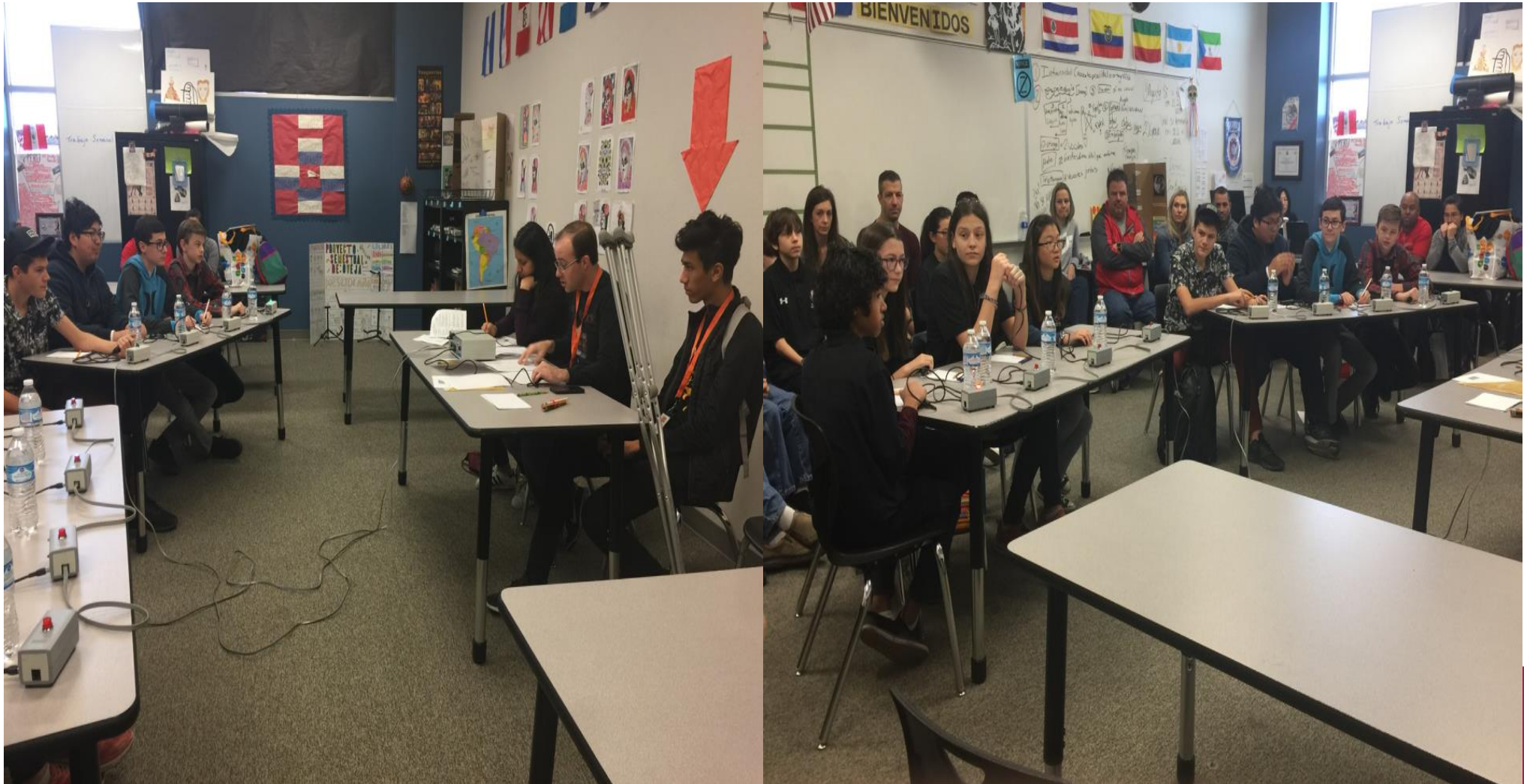
Why should YNAPP fund our project?

- ❖ Our state needs to make long strides to be at par in education, and we want help Las Vegas meet that standard.
- ❖ This project will encourage Las Vegas youth to engage their academic interests, fostering a love for learning that will drive students to value their education and further interest in STEM, a rapidly growing field throughout the world.
- ❖ Through our tournaments, workshops and camps we have reached out to 32 schools, including elementary, middle and high schools. AAQB has contributed 2400+ learning hours and 6000+ volunteer hours.
 - ❖ Two Las Vegas teams' performance in our tournament led to their being recognized as the National Team of the Week by NAQT, the premier governing body for US academic quiz bowl.

2019 Quiz Bowl & Coding Camp



2018 Quiz Bowl Tournament



2018 Quiz Bowl Tournament





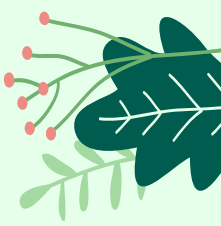
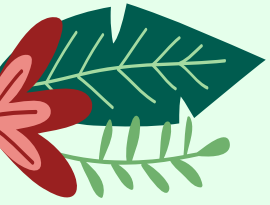
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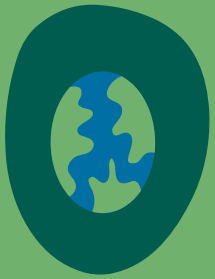
Kids That Recycle

CEO : Jaiya Raybon

Let's recycle!

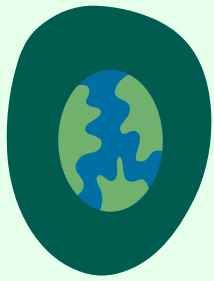


What is Kids That Recycle?



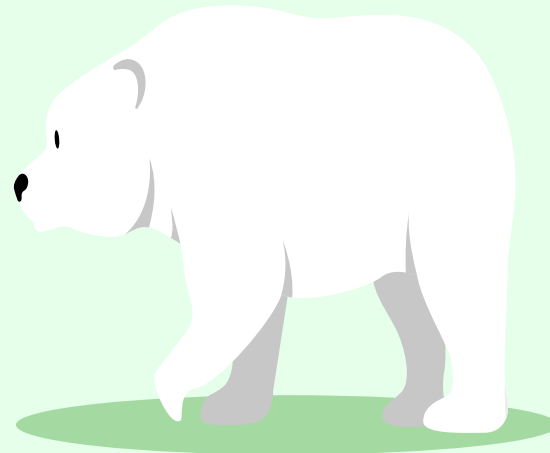
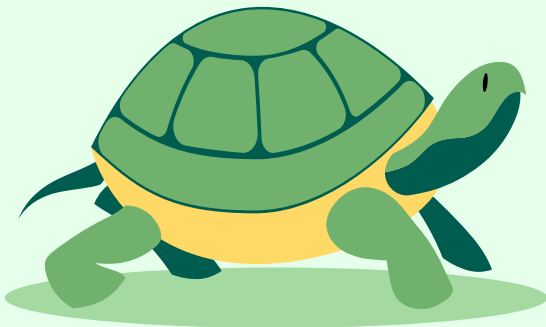
Kids That Recycle is a non-profit organization whose main goal is to get kids excited about recycling.

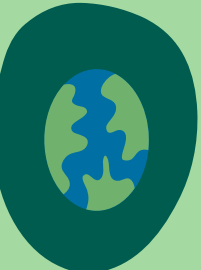




Have we been
Funded before?

No





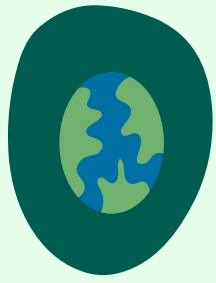
Mission Statement



Kids that recycle's main goal is to get kids excited about recycling.

We want kids to rub off their excitement for saving the planet onto their families and friends by experiencing how fun thrift shopping is, learning the benefits of recycling, and gaining awareness of what can and cannot be recycled.

Day by day our planet is dying, and we are not doing anything to save it. We are dedicated to encouraging people to care about the planet because if we don't life on earth won't be the same in a couple years.

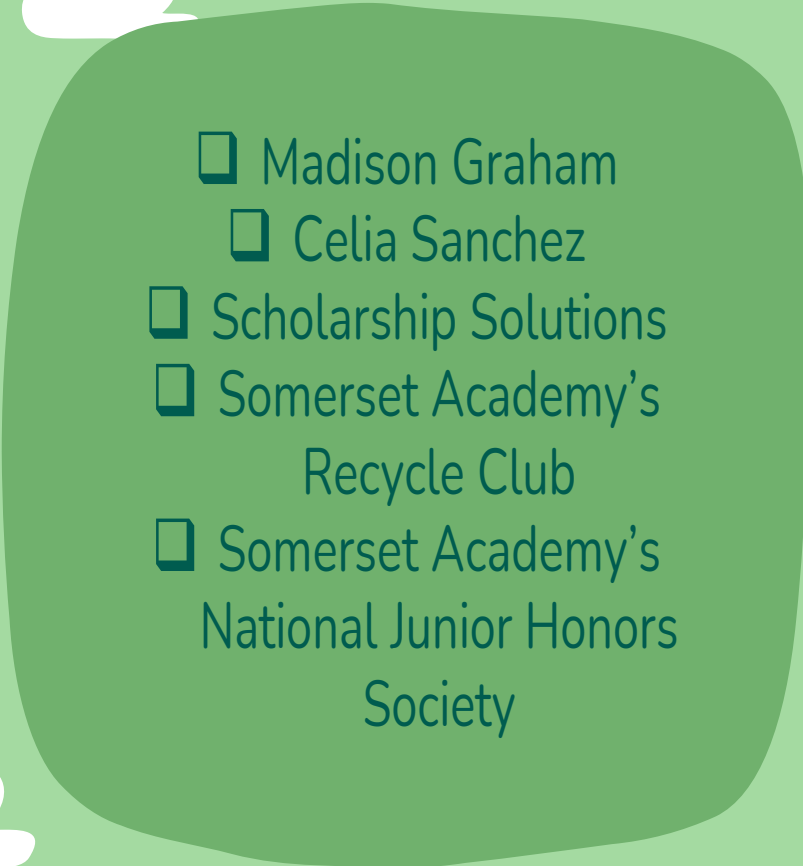


What Impact Will WE HAVE?

We want to get our community into
recycling and saving our planet.

Ready?

Let's start now!

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- ☐ Madison Graham
 - ☐ Celia Sanchez
 - ☐ Scholarship Solutions
 - ☐ Somerset Academy's
Recycle Club
 - ☐ Somerset Academy's
National Junior Honors
Society

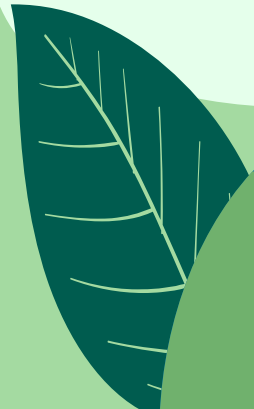


volunteers
participating



All Funding

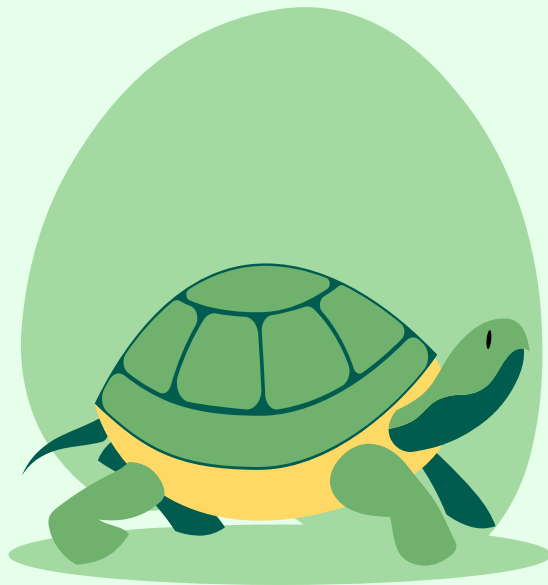
Funding Amount: \$1,250
How will we spend the
money: Games for the final
event.
Anticipated Donations: \$375



SAVE
THE
EARTH



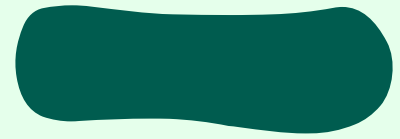
How many pledged volunteer hours?





How did we come
UP with kids
That Recycle?

According to the Global Forest Resource Assessment 80,000-160,000 trees are cut down daily for paper production. Slowly, we are destroying our environment and as a global community, we need to do more to save it.



What are the Reflection activities?

The end of competition festival
located at Lorenzini Park.



The End

Thank you!



Thank you so much for listening to
our presentation! Any
questions?

BY: GUSTAVO IPINA, EMMANUEL BARAJAS ,
ISAAC RODRIGUEZ



BOLDEN YOUTH DEVELOPMENT SOCCER



2022 Easter

Extravaganza

Submitted at Meeting
Date: 12/09/2021 Item: 4
by LVMPD Foundation



WHO WE ARE



About Us:

- We are a Youth Development Program aimed to empower local youth to achieve academic excellence & professional development
 - Founded through the Las Vegas Metropolitan Police Department (LVMPD)



What Makes Us:

- 2 Competitive Traveling Soccer Teams
 - 22 Boys
 - 21 Girls
 - Aged through 14-18

What We Require:

- To Be Student Athletes
 - Maintain a 2.5 GPA
 - Community Service



2022 EASTER EXTRAVAGANZA IMPACT ON THE COMMUNITY

We Believe This Event Will Breed Strength
In Our community

- Financial Struggles May Be Present In Which Case, This Event Will Aide Any Financial Pressures During Holiday Times
- Bring community together
- Give children the opportunity to have fun and come together as a family

What It Does For Us:

- Develop a sincere vision of wanting more for our communities
- Professional & Self Development
 - Stepping out of comfort zones
 - Gratuity
 - Service
 - New experiences



PARTNERS & VOLUNTEERS

LVMPD

Las Vegas Metropolitan
Police Department



BOLDEN
LIONS FC
STAFF

22 Boy Athletes
22 Girl Athletes
3 Coaches



FOR
VOLUNTEERS

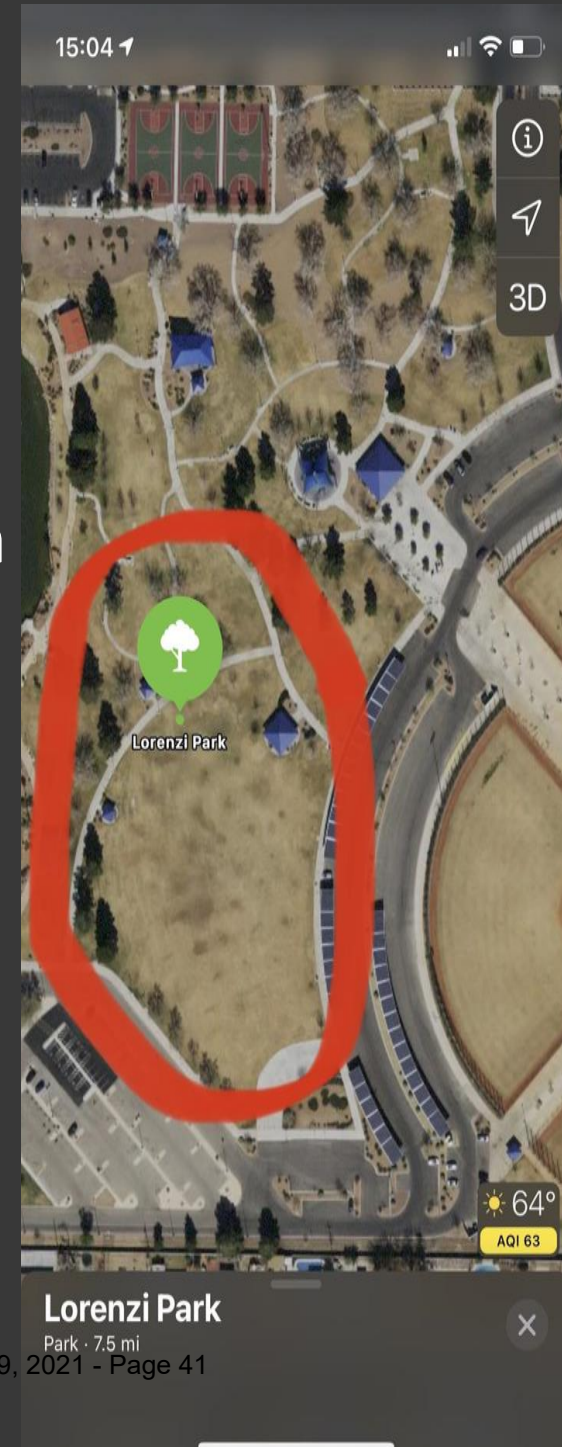
Volunteers Pledge 7
Amount of Hours of
Service & Expected to
Arrive 1 Hour Early and
Leave 1 Hour After the
Event Has Concluded

Easter Extravaganza



- Easter egg hunts
- Pictures w/ easter bunny
- Jumpers
- Carnival Games
- Face Painting

Place/time
Lorenzi Park
From 11am-2pm



ANTICIPATED COSTS & DONATIONS

Item	Cost	Total
Jumper	\$100 each	\$300
Carnival Games	\$150	\$150
Decorations	\$30	\$30
Promotional Items	\$20	\$20
Food & Drink	\$100 - \$200	\$200
Easter Eggs	\$100	\$50
Candy	\$500	\$500
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PAST EVENTS





Add Us On Social Media!



- [Facebook.com/BoldenLions](https://www.facebook.com/BoldenLions)



- [Twitter.com/BoldenLions](https://twitter.com/BoldenLions)



- [Instagram.com/BoldenLions](https://www.instagram.com/BoldenLions)



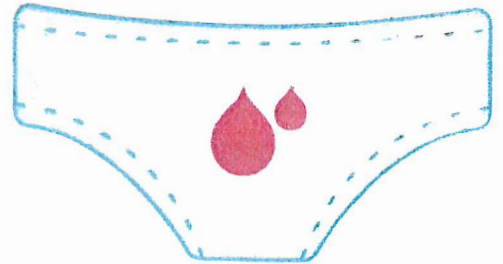
- [TikTok: BoldenFC](https://www.tiktok.com/BoldenFC)

**THANKS
FOR
LISTENING**

PROJECT DOT

What is Period Poverty?

- Period poverty is the lack of access to sanitary products, menstrual hygiene education, toilets, hand washing facilities, and/or waste management.
- Periods are often associated with shame and stigma, as well as poor menstruation education.
- In the United States (and in Southern Nevada) women struggle to achieve adequate menstrual hygiene due to lack of access and lack of income.
- When you don't have pads and tampons, you might miss a day of school or a day of work.
- **If a girl were to miss school every time she had her period she could miss 145 days of school - that's nearly an entire year!**



Food Stamps
(Supplemental
Nutrition
Assistance Program)
can not be used to
purchase pads and
tampons because
they are considered
a luxury item!

The Need in Nevada

- According to HUD there are 6,400 homeless individuals living in Nevada as of January 2020
- In 2016-17 67% of students were eligible for Free or Reduced Lunch and there were 10,879 homeless students enrolled in CCSD
- Unemployment in Nevada is the highest in the nation (7.7%) as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic



Founded by teens who wanted
to make a difference

Submitted at Meeting

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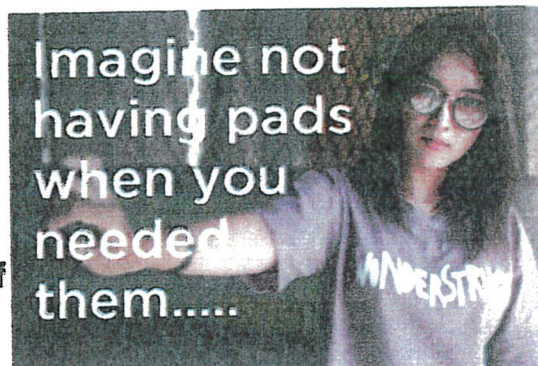
Submitted by Project Dot

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TEENS ON A MISSION TO END PERIOD POVERTY IN SOUTHERN NV

Project Dot's provides feminine hygiene products to homeless and low-income girls, women, binary and transmen to give them dignity and help take the hassle of having their monthly cycles while raising awareness of the need for proper hygiene and generating community support for the issue of Period Poverty.



Did you know?



1 in 5 teens

in the US have struggled to afford period products or were not able to purchase them at all.



more than
4 in 5 students (84%)

in the US have either missed class time or know someone who missed class time because they did not have access to period products.



The majority of teens surveyed reported feelings of shame (64%), self-consciousness (71%), and/or embarrassment about their periods (69%).



MENSTRUATION CAN AFFECT ALL ASPECTS OF A GIRL'S LIFE:

EDUCATION

Girls may miss school during their periods due to lack of facilities or necessary supplies.

ECONOMICS

Women may miss work if they don't have access to the supplies or facilities they need.



HEALTH

Use of improvised menstrual hygiene materials can lead to infection.

DIGNITY

Girls may suffer from discomfort, endure teasing and shaming, and face exclusion from everyday activities.

PARTICIPATION

Girls may be distracted or less productive during school, work and other activities due to pain, discomfort and fear of leaks.

WE DISTRIBUTED NEARLY **4,000** KITS
TO OUR COMMUNITY PARTNERS IN 2020



Learn More at www.ProjectDot.org

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Submitted at Meeting
Date: 12/09/2021 Item 4
by Books and Ballet

Introduction

WHO AM I?

Hi! My name is Dre Boyd-Weatherly.

- I am a senior at Valley High School.
- I have been dancing classical ballet for almost fifteen years!
- I'm an avid reader of all book genres!



A picture of me holding a ballet box!

Who are we?



What is Books and Ballet?

Books and Ballet is an a virtual program we founded in October 2020 as a response to global pandemic. Books and Ballet focuses on bringing beginner's ballet and reading literacy to today's youth, while promoting diversity in dance. We believe that every child should have the opportunity to experience ballet in the most immersive way possible.



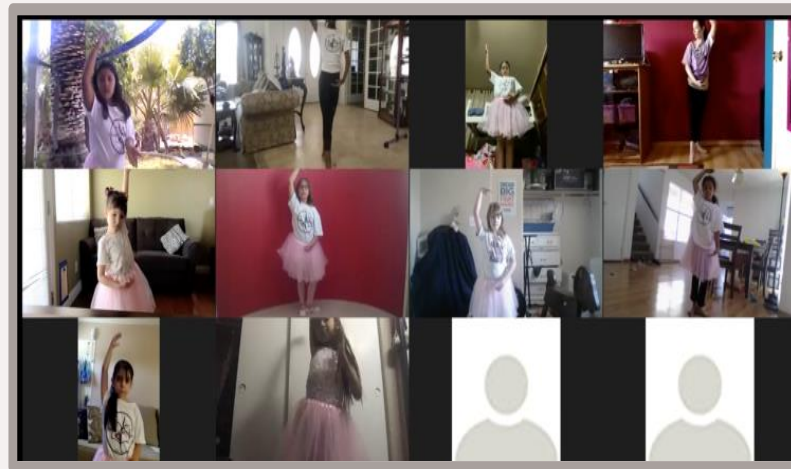
One Class Set of Ballet Boxes!

Second Year of Requesting Funding

This is our second year requesting funding from the YNAPP Grant Review Board. In the spring of 2021, we successfully conducted our second session of Books and Ballet virtually for 25 students!



Close up of Ballet Boxes!



*Second Session of Books and Ballet
where students are learning relevé with
fourth position arms.*



Ballet Box Drop Off

Budget

Funding Sources (YNAPP Grant, Donations, Services and Grant Match/Hours Pledged)

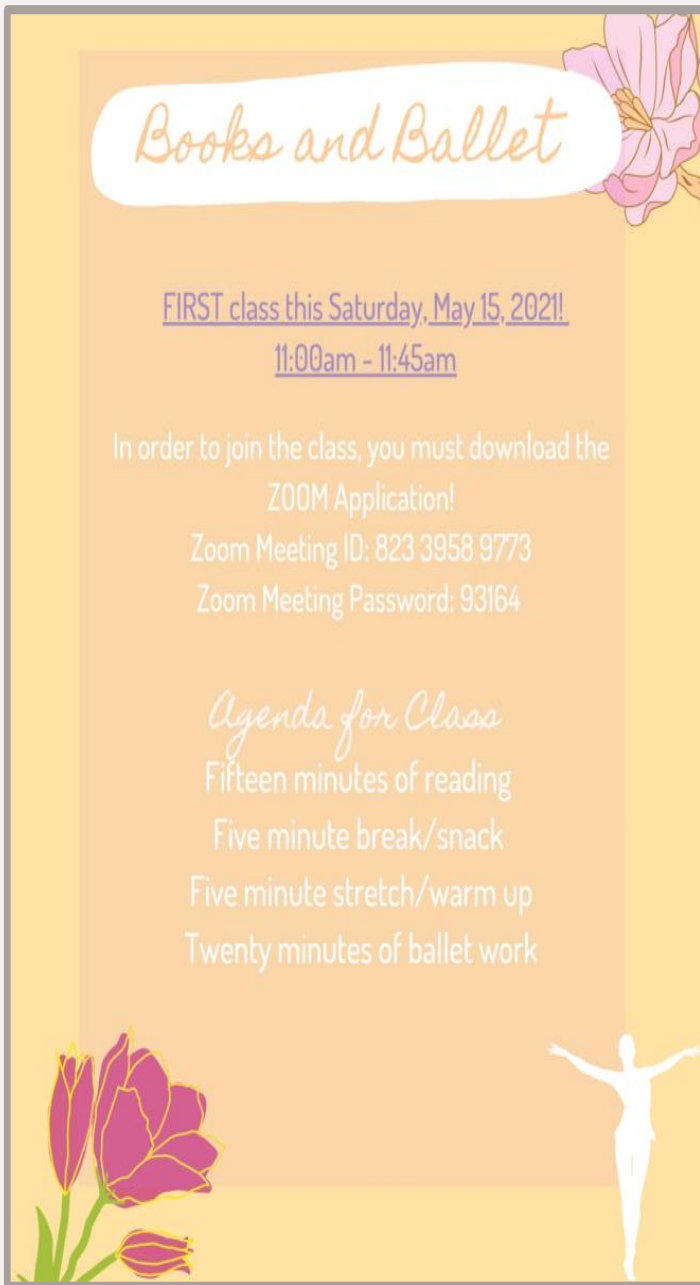
Project Budget Worksheet

A. Grant Amount Requested (Cannot exceed \$1,250)	\$ 1,250.00
B. Anticipated or Already Received Donations (cash, services, goods)	\$ 100.00
C. Volunteer Hours Pledged (Total copied from the Pledge Sheet "Total Grant Match")	\$ 1,736.00
Total	\$ 3,086.00

Items to Purchase for Project

	YNAPP Funds (Total cannot exceed \$1,250)	Donated Supplies/Materials	Cash Donation
White Boxes	\$ 29.70	\$ 0.00	
Stelle Canvas Ballet Shoes	\$ 239.70	\$ 0.00	
Tule	\$ 25.00	\$ 0.00	
Tutus	\$ 254.70	\$ 0.00	
"The Giving Tree" ~ Sheldon Silverstein	\$ 272.70	\$ 0.00	
"Dancing in the wings" by Debbie Allen	\$ 239.70	\$ 0.00	
White Shredding paper	\$ 11.50	\$ 0.00	
T-shirts	\$ 175.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 100.00
Total	\$ 1,248.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 100.00

SAMPLE AGENDAS:



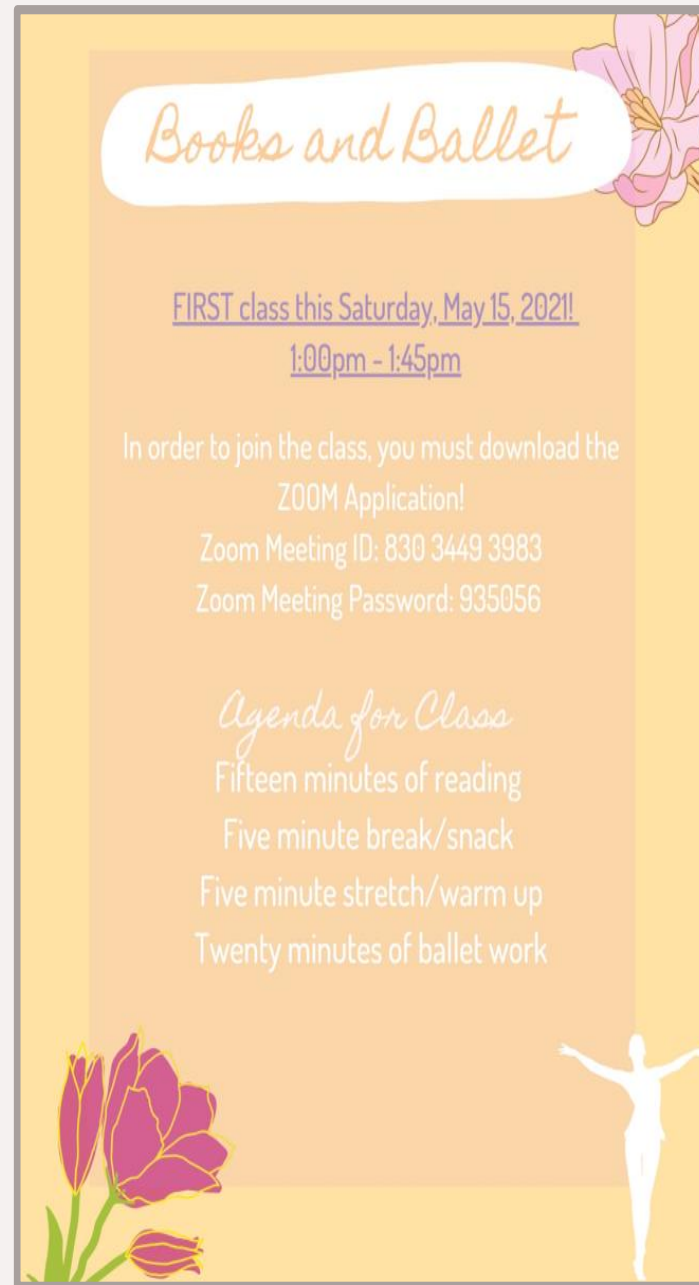
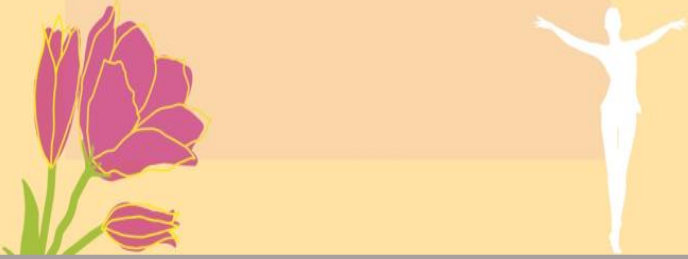
Books and Ballet

FIRST class this Saturday, May 15, 2021!
11:00am - 11:45am

In order to join the class, you must download the
ZOOM Application!

Zoom Meeting ID: 823 3958 9773
Zoom Meeting Password: 93164

Agenda for Class
Fifteen minutes of reading
Five minute break/snack
Five minute stretch/warm up
Twenty minutes of ballet work



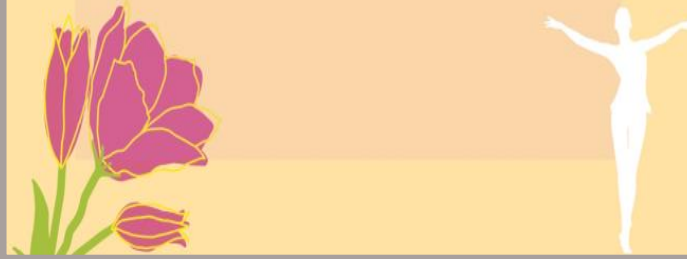
Books and Ballet

FIRST class this Saturday, May 15, 2021!
1:00pm - 1:45pm

In order to join the class, you must download the
ZOOM Application!

Zoom Meeting ID: 830 3449 3983
Zoom Meeting Password: 935056

Agenda for Class
Fifteen minutes of reading
Five minute break/snack
Five minute stretch/warm up
Twenty minutes of ballet work



The Impact.

Since our Spring 2021 session, Books and Ballet has served over 40 students. Each of those students received their own personal ballet box, and four weeks of online instruction. We recognize the importance of children being involved within extracurricular activities and Books and Ballet provides that opportunity to students without imposing a potential financial burden.

"You can start late, look different, be uncertain, and STILL succeed."

~ Misty Copeland

Reading List For Spring 2021 Session:

"The Giving Tree" - Shel Silverstein

"Dancing in the Wings" - Debbie Allen

"Pete the Cat and His Magic Sunglasses" - Kimberly and James Dean

"Jose! Born to Dance" - Susanna Reich

"I am Enough" - Grace Byers

And so many more!!!

CUPCAKES OF JOY

By Moore Sweets



OUR TEAM



Team Leader
Kyla Moore



Advisor
Tiesha Moore



Co-Leader
Symone Moore

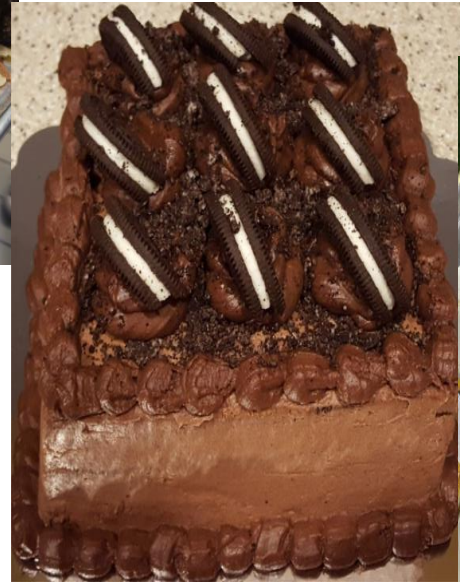


OUR ORGANIZATION

Moore Sweets

We love bake cakes, cupcakes and cake pops for fun!

This is our first time applying for the grant.





OUR PROJECT: Cupcakes of Joy

Details

We will bake, decorate, and deliver 10 dozen cupcakes to the elderly and homeless youth in Las Vegas. Flavors include:

- Confetti
- Chocolate
- Red Velvet
- Strawberry

Neighborhood residents will write kind and inspirational notes that will be attached to the cupcakes

Community Impact

- Spread joy and kindness
- Give back to the community
- Provide a tasty sweet treat

Participants

My sister and I

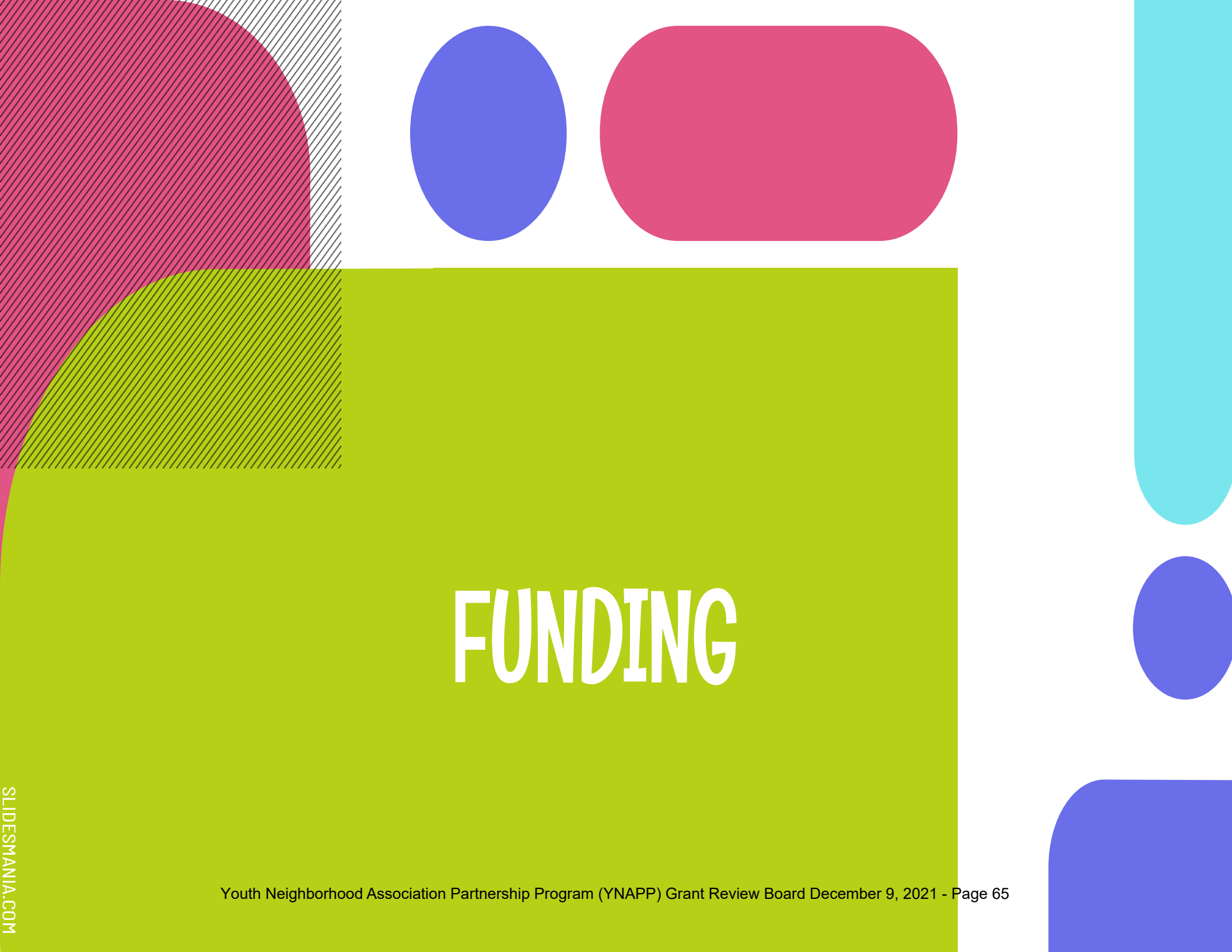
We will...

- Bake
- Decorate
- Package
- Deliver

The Neighborhood

They will...

- Make & Decorate inspirational notes



FUNDING



Amount Requested: \$1,250

Budget

\$233

\$100

\$790

\$125

\$1,248

Ingredients:

Cupcake mix,
eggs, oil,
powdered
sugar, whipping
cream, flavor
extracts etc

Decorations:

Cupcake liners,
sprinkles, food
coloring, piping
bags

Tools:

Cupcake tins,
mixer, cooling
rack, mixing
bowls,
measuring
cups, gloves

Packaging:

Cupcake Boxes,
stickers

Total Amount

Volunteer Hours Pledged:

58
Hours

This is a rough approximation, however there is a likely chance this project can take longer.

Anticipated Donations:

\$0

As of now, in order to fund this project, my sister and I will have to use our personal finances.

Additional Questions

How did you come up with the idea for your project?

My sister and I really like to bake and we wanted to see how we can help our community in the capacity that we can.

Why is your project important?

In addition to spreading joy during a very difficult time due to the pandemic, our project is important because we give back to the elderly and homeless youth, some of the most overlooked populations in our community.

What kind of reflection activities will you have?

We will be sure to document our work and post our progress and pictures on social media. In this way we will be able to showcase what we learned throughout the process.

Why is this project important?

This project is important because we are making a difference in our community by spreading joy and kindness! It is important that the elderly and homeless youth at Nevada Partnership for Homeless Youth to be considered.



Why should YNAPP fund this project?

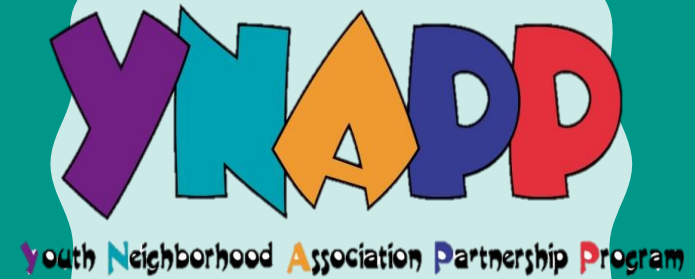
- We want to make a positive impact on our community
- This grant will enable us to do just that.
- Without financial support, we will be able to make a larger impact on the community.



Thank you!

Questions?

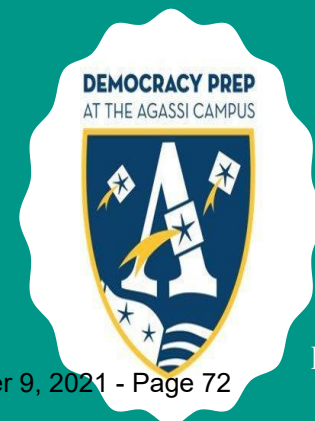
BATTERIES
INCLUDED



FAMILY EMPOWERMENT

Community Fun Day & Basic Needs Giveaway

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by Stars Community
Development Corporation



B.I.N.G. Batteries Included (Next Gen)

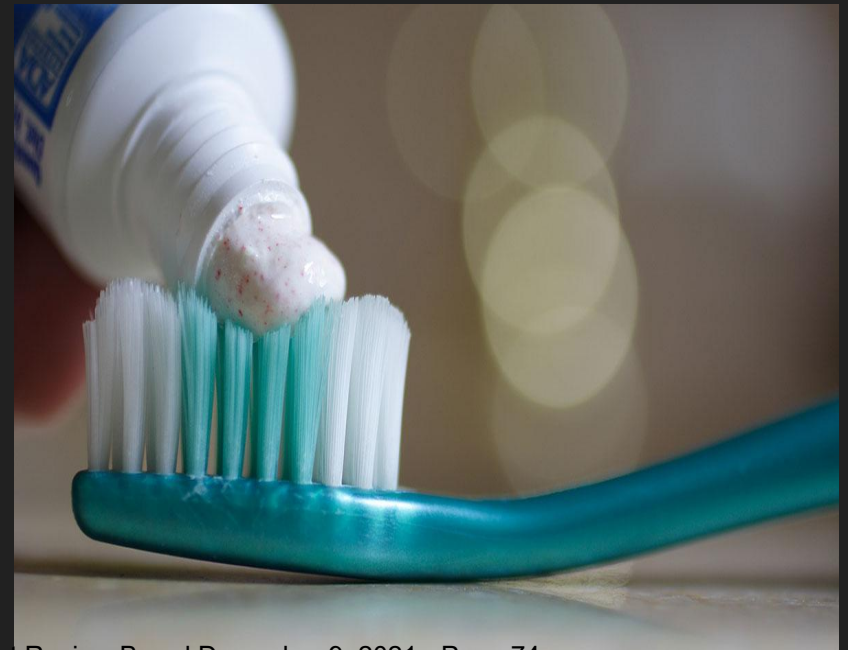
BATTERIES
INCLUDED

- Batteries Included is a program that provides, Middle School youth with mentors, leadership skills, social skill, also provides community service skills.

GIVING BACK

Giving back to our community by providing hygiene kits which will include :

1. Body Soap
2. Lotion
3. Deodorant
4. Toothbrush/Toothpaste
5. Hand Sanitizer



Community Fun Day



We will come together for a spirit day full of games, contests, performances, and children's activities for the whole family. Snack lunches will be provided.

Benefits the community by providing an event that will provide them a day with fun, resources, and happiness.

WHY ARE WE DOING THIS ???

This project is important because we make an impact on families that they won't forget. The impact that we put out for our community/Neighborhood is memories and happiness allowing the families to have access to resources and fun activities.

QUESTIONS????

THANK YOU FOR YOUR TIME!!!!!!



THE SUPERFRIENDS

SUPER BOWLERS



I'M KHLOE

Hi! My name is Khloe and I am doing YNAPP for the fourth time. My last three projects were:

- Super Care Packages in 2019
- Super Pets in 2020 (Changed because of COVID)
Food for a Family in Need, Emergency Bags,
Plogging
- Super Care Packages 2.0 in 2021



I'M ZEKE

I have been bowling for two and a half years. I am 10 years old. The reason I like bowling is because it is a really fun sport that everyone can do!





HOW WE MET



OUR 2022 PROJECT & WHY IT IS IMPORTANT

We want to host a bowling tournament for 40 kids 4th grade - 8th grade. Half will be kids who have never bowled before. The first time bowlers will be paired up with bowlers from our Saturday youth bowling league. The league bowlers will guide the new bowlers with lane etiquette, how to hold the ball correctly and other tips.

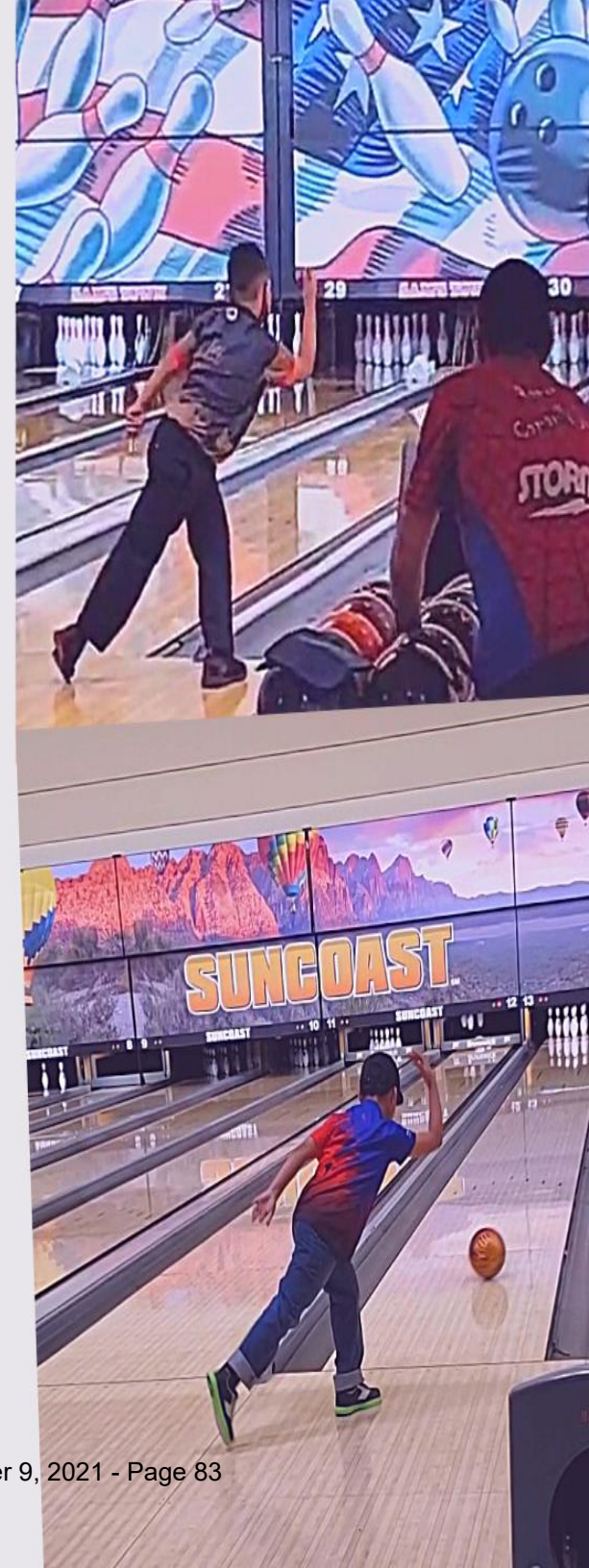
The tournament will be free to participate and the new bowlers will all be entered in a drawing to win brand new bowling equipment in the hopes that they will want to continue bowling in the future.

WHO WILL HELP US?

Khloe and Zeke will plan and organize the event with Cathy from Santa Fe Lanes, as well as, recruit league and new bowlers to participate in the tournament.

Our families will help us with picking up supplies, and assisting with some of the organizing, set-up, lane assignments and clean-up after the event.

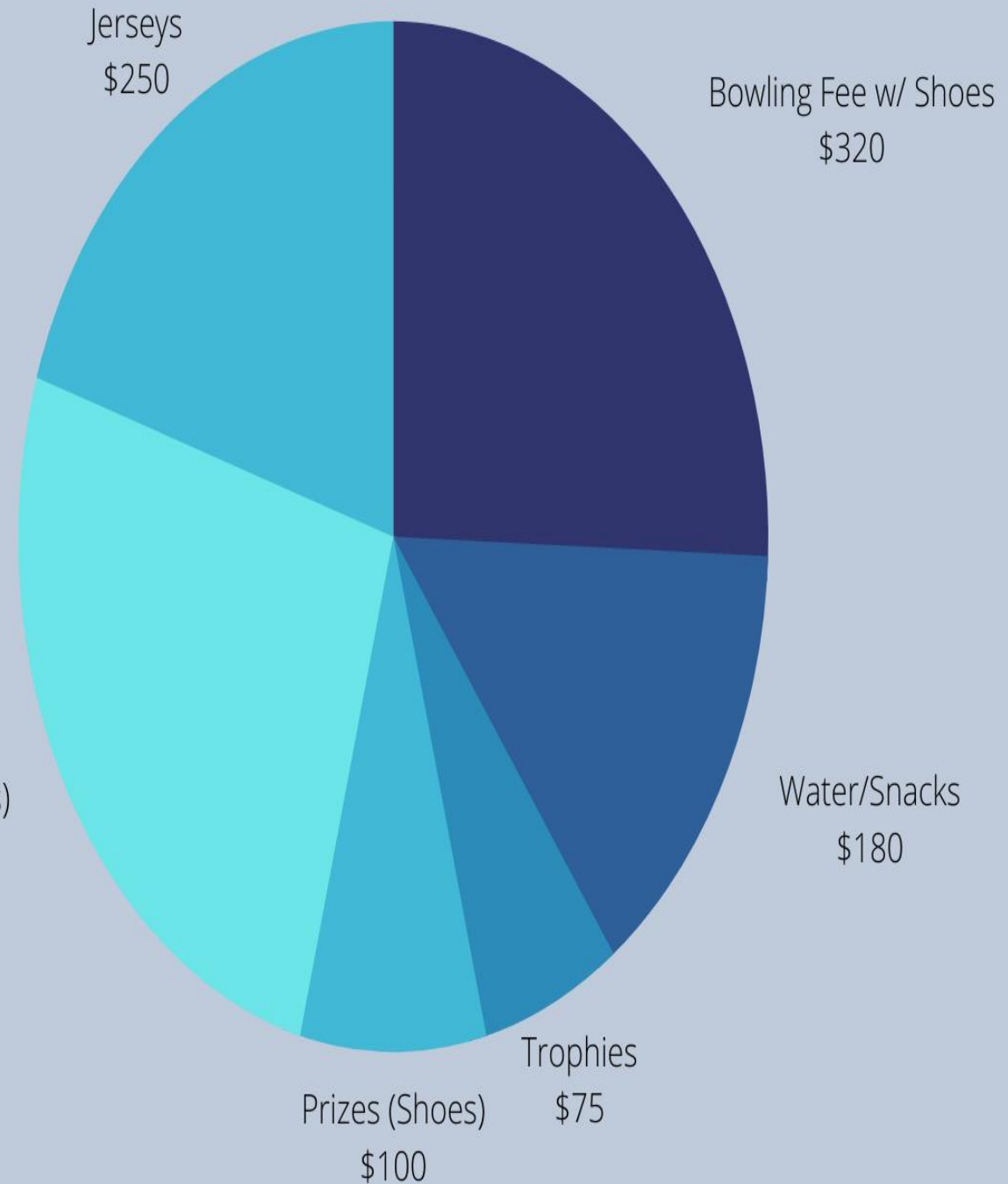
Santa Fe Lanes staff and bowling coaches will help with the day of the event for sign in tables and coaching the new bowlers during the tournament.



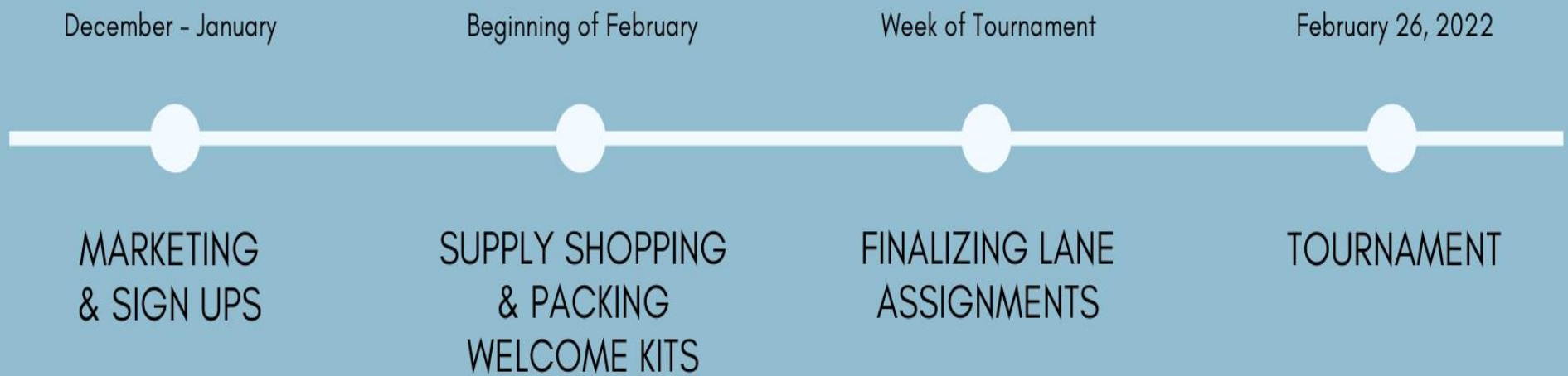
Our

BUDGET

\$1,250

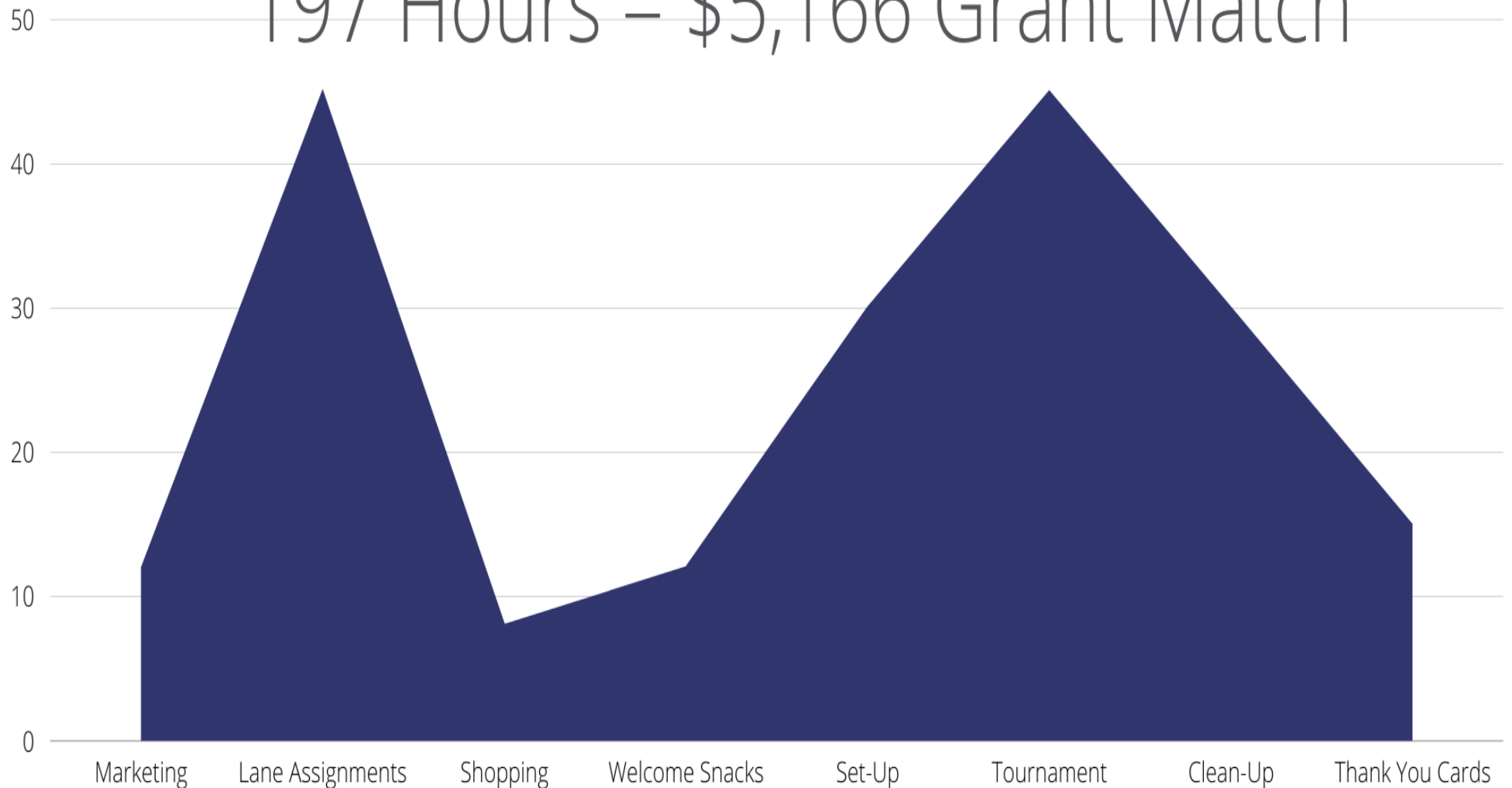


TIMELINE



VOLUNTEER HOURS PLEDGED

197 Hours = \$5,166 Grant Match





Updates & Reflection Activities

THANK YOU!



Essential Beauties

Founded by Niaye Marie

Submitted at Meeting
Date: 12/09/2021 Item 4
by Essential Beauties

Niyae Marie

Jordan Smith

Wayne Harper Jr.

Developing Essential Beauties!

Essential Beauties was founded by me as a way to give back to essential workers. My passion is giving back to people who have sacrificed maybe their time, money, own wellbeing, ect. For the greater good of the community and others. The idea for my project is to show appreciation to those who aren't always acknowledged and may go feeling unappreciated, this go around i'll be focusing on female workers.

Did You Know?

\$1

\$51,241

82¢

\$46,641

On average for every \$1 a man in employment make a women will make 82 cents

For the medium wage in the US this would equate to women making

Luxury Baskets Contents And Budget

In order to do this my team and I are making gift baskets with high quality and items that would be considered a luxury.

How \$1,250 will be spent



Budget

ITEM	QUANTITY	INDIVIDUAL COST	NET COST	SOURCE
hydro flask	x10	\$45	\$450	
Bath and body works lotion and wash	x10	\$30	\$300	
Face mask	x10	\$2	\$20	
Hair mask	x10	\$10	\$100	
Candle	x10	\$25	\$250	
Youth Neighborhood Association Partnership Program (YNAPP) Grant Review Board December 9, 2021 - Page 12			\$1120	<u>Amazon.com.</u> Spend less.

Execution

Once funding is received my team and we will start the purchasing and assembling of the beauty baskets.

The drop off dates will be scheduled and approved by the school by call.

We'll follow through with drop off on scheduled dates and be sure to take lots of pictures

If covid restrictions become a factor we will implement contactless delivery and take actions such as wearing masks and gloves when constructing and delivering the baskets.

The community will benefit from my project as it will be a positive boost and encouragement to the women essential workers to keep putting their best foot forwards in their careers.

Reciprocants

Shannon Rampton- Somerset Losee HS PE/Health and Careers Teacher

Shaia Walker- Durango High School Special Education Teacher

Lisa Houlgone- Nevada State High School Academic Coordinator

Christina Ladd- Mendoza Elementary Third Grade Teacher

Janice Henry- Rainbow Dreams Academy Principal

Delois Reece- Somerset Losee Registrar

Vishe Redmond- Legacy High School English/African American Experience

Melissa Jackson Joseph M Neal Elementary School Second Grade Teacher

Janice Henry

Ms. Henry is the principal at Rainbow Dreams Early Learning Academy Charter School, which is free for underprivileged kids living in the west Las Vegas area. African American students make up 80% of the Student body. We would like to acknowledge her For her dedication and selflessness when it Comes to her career at Rainbow Dreams !



Reflection

Last year earning the grant and being able to help the community made me feel like I had a positive impact on people's lives. I want to be able to make people feel great, even when they think no one cares. This project has been quite demanding, but I know it will be worth it.

Sources

Current Population Survey (CPS) ([census.gov](https://www.census.gov))

THANK YOU

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UNITY'S COMMUNITY EXPLOSION

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by Unity's Youth Warriors

WE ARE THE UNITED YOUTH WARRIORS



Music



Dance



Performing Arts



YOUTH EXPO AND WHAT IT ENTAILS



Community
Outreach

Food & Games

Music

Talent Expedition &
Guest Speakers

Items	Cost
Food and drinks	\$902.02
Flyers and marketing	\$840
Games and activities	\$730.98
Decorations	\$ 187
Total	\$2,660

BUDGET/ EVENT COSTS

We are asking for
\$1,250

We anticipate **\$1410** in donations

VOLUNTEERS AND PLEDGED HOURS

To help us meet our goals for the volunteer hours we have planned to have:

- 20 youth participating we are working to get more youth to help us.
- 10 adult supports

We will have at least 9 planning meetings before the event and a clothing and food drive. We will also be canvassing the neighborhood to let them know.

Our goal is to have **46 hours** completed.



WHY OUR YOUTH EXPLOSION | GOAL?



Community
Awareness

Become
Someone's Safe
Place

Give Back To Our
Community

Provide An
Enjoyable
Experience And
Lifetime Memories

WHAT NEEDS TO BE DONE AND HOW WILL BE WORKING TOGETHER WITH ADULTS

1. Clothing and food Drive
2. Need to purchase everything
3. Design the flyer
4. Canvas the neighborhood and let them know what we are doing.
5. Reach out to vendors to table

The adults will help make sure that we are staying on track and have any supports we may need.

OUR REFLECTION



**WHAT
HAPPENS
IN VEGAS
ONLY
HAPPENS
IN
VEGAS!!!**

WHY PICK US????



THANK

YOU



THE UNITED YOUTH WARRIORS



Wild N Out Wednesdays Youth Advisory Council

What is W.O.W

WILD N OUT WEDNESDAYS IS A YOUTH LED PROGRAM AGES 16-24 THAT ENABLES ITS PARTICIPANTS THE ABILITIES TO PARTICIPATE AND BE A PART OF SOCIAL AND SERVICE CHANGE. CHANGING THE WORLD ISN'T EASY BUT WE MAKE AN IMPACT THRU LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT, CIVIC ENGAGEMENT, AND COMMUNITY SERVICE. EVERYTHING WE DO IS TO BETTER SERVE OUR COMMUNITY AND BECOME THE CITIZENS NOT ONLY THE WORLD BUT WE KNOW WE CAN BE. OUR BIGGEST GOAL IS TO POSITIVELY IMPACT THE COMMUNITY AND GENERATIONS TO COME. WILD N OUT WEDNESDAY'S IS A PROGRAM THAT GIVES US AN OPPORTUNITY TO BE THE CHANGE WE WANT TO SEE.

What is W.O.W



What is Artistically MotiVote?

Artistically MotiVote is going to be a youth led artistic and immersive youth project to promote voter registration within The West Las Vegas Promise Neighborhood. The participants of the YNAPP Grant will be building and artistically creating custom voter registration boxes. The project was selected when our advisor went to Chicago and saw custom voter registration boxes.

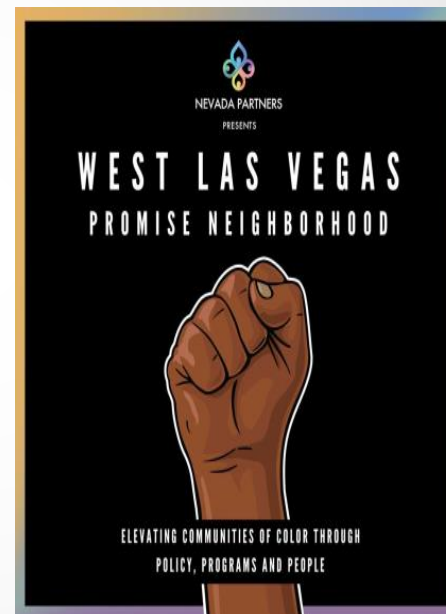


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POWER 360



NEVADA PARTNERS
lift someone up... today



Black Men Turnout by Age Cohort

State	18 to 24	25 to 34	35 to 49	50 to 64	65+	Total
MN	51.6%	60.2%	69.5%	75.8%	78.9%	69.3%
CO	50.5%	55.7%	66.9%	76.4%	81.3%	66.6%
NC	48.7%	46.7%	64.4%	76.8%	81.5%	65.1%
CA	57.3%	51.8%	59.2%	69.1%	75.5%	63.5%
VA	47.1%	47.0%	63.1%	75.1%	78.8%	63.5%
PA	54.3%	49.0%	59.6%	70.6%	77.8%	62.6%
WA	50.1%	51.9%	62.7%	69.4%	76.0%	61.8%
FL	45.3%	42.4%	58.7%	72.2%	76.1%	59.5%
NJ	53.4%	47.3%	55.9%	67.0%	66.5%	59.0%
TN	36.6%	37.2%	56.4%	69.7%	73.9%	56.3%
ALL	42.2%	39.3%	54.3%	67.2%	72.3%	56.0%
AZ	45.1%	43.6%	54.0%	62.1%	70.0%	55.5%
MO	39.4%	39.8%	50.4%	63.3%	72.0%	55.4%
OH	38.7%	36.2%	49.1%	65.2%	77.6%	54.9%
SC	45.1%	34.9%	52.3%	64.6%	65.6%	53.8%
GA	38.8%	35.3%	53.7%	67.8%	74.6%	53.4%
TX	38.0%	37.8%	51.4%	61.9%	67.5%	52.8%
AL	37.9%	35.5%	50.3%	65.0%	70.4%	52.4%
WI*	43.2%	36.5%	50.5%	60.9%	51.6%	52.2%
AR	33.1%	28.6%	48.5%	61.2%	66.0%	51.4%
NV	37.2%	31.8%	47.4%	60.8%	65.6%	49.2%
IL	34.0%	30.7%	45.3%	60.1%	66.0%	48.8%
KY	36.5%	31.7%	42.6%	54.4%	64.7%	46.3%
MI	37.5%	32.2%	42.0%	54.3%	59.5%	45.4%
IN	29.3%	29.0%	41.8%	56.1%	64.7%	44.7%

The Problem

- We feel young African Americans don't know the importance of voting in today's society.
- We want to inform people of the importance of voting in not only federal elections but also state elections.
- Black voting is not only the lowest in Nevada, but of all black men that registered to vote (of the targeted age) in Nevada on average only 34.5% of those registered actually voted this past election.

Plan of Action

- Each box will be a unique artistic creation of the youth involved in this project.
- We hope the boxes will incite change and encourage the people of the West Las Vegas Promise Neighborhood to exercise their right to vote.
- We will hold a unveiling celebration and have voter registration people onsite.



Zip Codes & Project Sites



89106



89032



89030

Whats left to do?

- We have already identified the sites that will house our voter registration boxes.
- We still need to plan unique artistic design that will go on each box.
- We will need to gather and purchase the supplies to make the boxes unique.
- Plan how we will unveil the boxes once they are done.



Blight eSports'

High School eSports Food Drive

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Who are we?



We're Blight eSports and this is our first time applying. We're an independent organization trying to bring Las Vegas schools into the eSports scene. Through eSports, we want to bring opportunities to help the students and give them a chance to help the community through projects like this.



Our Partners

CompleteGamerLV

CompleteGamer is an organization that connects people together. They've advised our group and have pledged to donate snacks and drinks for our event.

- Members of our group have worked with them on their Game Development Career Day and Gundam Robotics Competition

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Silver State Esports

SSE is an organization that makes it easy for schools to get into the eSports world. They have an established platform that will help in the process of advertising our project.

- We've already been in a meeting with the head of SSE and the gaming/esport club leaders associated with them and they voice an interest in our project.
- After that meeting, the Nevada Esports Education League also voiced in interest of our project.

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What is our project?

The current plan for our project is to invite eSports/Gaming clubs from schools in the Las Vegas area to come compete in a Super Smash Bros. Ultimate tournament. While only students can compete, everyone is welcome to watch the tournament.

Alongside the tournament, there will be a food drive collecting non-perishable foods. All donations will go to those in need with the help of Three-Square.

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When and Where?

The tournament and food drive will be held at the Strong Future facility, the address is listed below. To make sure that the clubs can make it, the date of the event is April 15, 2022, the Friday of Spring Break. This date also gives the volunteers ample time to prepare the venue.

- Date: April 15, 2022
- Time: 12:00 - 2:00 PM
- Location:

Historic Westside School
330 W Washington Ave
Las Vegas, NV 89106
United States

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Our Budget

Our group pledges 41 hours of volunteer time and requests the full amount of \$1,250. We ask for that much so that we can make our first project the best project possible.

CompleteGamer



Within our budget, \$500 will go to our Production Partner, CompleteGamerLV. They will be transporting equipment and volunteers as well as helping organize the tournament. In addition to donating snacks and drinks, CompleteGamer has also pledged to donate prizes to the tournament.



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Our Budget

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Casters

We also dedicated 120\$ to two casters for the tournament. Casters are vital for any sporting event. The casters will keep noncompeting attendees engaged which raises the chance of them returning and going to other events that we host.

Decorations



Decorations have 150\$ While the facility we plan on hosting the event at is already beautiful, to set the tone and theme we want to decorate the venue in Smash themed décor. We especially want the competing parties to feel welcomed. To make events like this a recurring thing, we want to make the best first impression we can.



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Our Budget

Personal Protection Equipment



We put 60\$ toward personal protection equipment. Due to the fact that we are still in a pandemic, having extra masks and sanitizing equipment is definitely a good idea. This money will go towards disinfectant wipes, hand sanitizer, extra masks, and anything else that we might need to ensure the safety of everyone attending.



Our Budget



Nintendo Switch

We need a Nintendo Switch that will be played on for the tournament portion of the event. A console to play on is the keystone for executing the tournament. Having a new console dedicated to events like this one will be an amazing help in hosting future events.



Super Smash Bros. Ultimate



For the tournament, we intend to spend 120\$ on a copy of Super Smash Bros. Ultimate and the DLC. The fact that it is a very popular game, is certain to increase our turnout now and at future events. The DLC for Smash Ultimate will be used to ensure that players can play at their best during tournament.



Why is this important?



Our group should get the request amount because this will:



- Bring together the High School eSports/Gaming Clubs in the community
- Show students that they can help the community through eSports and gaming.
- Provide a valuable chance for clubs to compete after a year and a half of being at home
- Give us important experiences so we can produce more projects like this

How we intend to share our findings...

Presentations

After the project, it is intended that there be a couple presentations to voice what was learned in organizing this event.

- The students associated with Silver State Esports could benefit from our findings.
- As well as the kids at the Gaming club at our school.



Thank you!

Any questions?

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