



SUMMER 2023 PYD PROGRAMS



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A Better Day Than Yesterday Initiative Program	https://www.abetterdaythanyesterday.org/	LeTeisha Gordon	leteishagordon@icloud.com	Child Advocacy Mentoring Program	Join us and be creative in decision-making. The right choices make champions!
Ambassadors Of Virginia	https://www.yaofva.com/	Earl Thompson	earlthompson80@gmail.com	Summer Leadership & Flag Football Fest	In addition to being a fun way for middle school students to get exercise, flag football also provides numerous opportunities for them to develop important skills, such as teamwork, communication, and strategic thinking. The game requires players to work together to move the ball down the field and score points, and to communicate effectively to coordinate plays and defend against the opposing team.
Anna Julia Cooper School	https://ajcschool.org/	Sam Trepp	trepps@ajcschool.org	Anna Julia Cooper's Open Gym	Anna Julia Cooper opens it's door to the neighborhood youth to provide a safe place for out-of-school time programming for youth 12-18 years old. We also provide opportunities for youth to learn conflict resolution through organized sports like basketball and all physical activities will include workshops that will help our youth with positive problem-solving and conflict-resolution skills.
Boys & Girls Clubs of Metro Richmond	https://www.bqcmr.org/	Tamika Brown	tbrown@bqcmr.org	Summer Career & Business Exploration	Experiences and programs that allow middle school and high school members to explore their interests and gain confidence and knowledge of careers in those interests.
Broken Men Foundation	https://brokenmenfoundation.org/	Ellery Lundy	ellery@brokenmenfoundation.org	Broken Men Foundation Youth Academy	The program will be centered around, life coping mechanisms, education, tutoring, gun safety, trauma, robotics and engineering programs. Outdoor activities, culinary, arts and crafts etc.
Carol Adams Foundation, Inc.	https://www.facebook.com/thecaroladamsfoundation/	Carol Adams	cafoundation@icloud.com	Carol Adams Foundation Summer Enrichment Camp	We will provide a one-of-a kind exploration of the arts, sports, culture and language.
Cherry On Top Tees & Co.	https://www.facebook.com/CherryOnTopTees/	Dawn Cherry	dcherry1965@gmail.com	Summer Design Co.	Cherry On Top Tees & Co (COTTCC) is a black woman-owned business that strives to empower brown youth in Richmond by sparking their inner creativity and entrepreneurial skills. Our summer intensive program will center around financial literacy, business planning, and creative expression.
Culturecated Educational Services	https://www.facebook.com/DoitfortheCultureReading/	Shirtiera Lynch	connerjoi@gmail.com	Click. Click. Splash	Explore different art and photography styles using everyday community spaces. Transform what you capture into greatness.
East End Boxing Club LLC	https://eastendboxingclub.com/	Elwood Patterson, Jr.	EEYAA09@gmail.com	East End Boxing Summer Enrichment Program	East End Boxing Club, LLC endeavors to positively impact the lives of young people by providing emotional support, learning opportunities that promote character building, and mentorship centered around enhancing life skills and values. Our summer enrichment program will provide mentoring for youths ages 7 to 18 in the Richmond community. Coupled with boxing and strength-based conditioning, our team will provide workshops around positive youth development.
Flawless Imperfections	https://www.flawless-imperfections.com/	Tammie Mobley	tammie@flawless-imperfections.com	R.E.A.L Girlz	We're BACK! R.E.A.L Girlz SumHer Experience 2023 & we've upgraded with new trips, new activities & new friends.
Girls For A Change	https://girlsforachange.org/	Angela Patton Na'kera Richardson	angela@girlsforachange.org nakera@girlsforachange.org	Camp Diva Leadership Academy for RPS students	Camp Diva Leadership Academy was designed to culturally enrich and reinforce the strengths of Black middle school girls by providing a safe and joyful environment for discovering oneself, leading, and building community. GFAC's leadership curriculum prepares them to navigate the complexities of changing social and academic expectations in high school.
Help Empower and Liberate People	https://rivahsistah.my.canva.site/hel pingrva	Patricia Clement	info@rivahsistah.com	Empowered To Jump	Have fun, learn cool tricks and show us your moves in our double-Dutch ropes. No experience is needed; we'll teach you how to jump.
Holistic Agency	https://www.instagram.com/_holistic_agency/	Ra-Twoine Fields	holisticagency@protonmail.com	Real Talk	We focus on real conversations about real experiences in order to produce real solutions. We provide a safe, culturally informed, and holistic space for youth to discuss ongoing violence that they experience in their community, while providing them with functional and relatable skills to respond to these stressors.
Just C, Inc	https://www.justforchange.org/	Chenice Brown	chenice78@gmail.com	"Look A Here"	The program will allow young people to experience places outside of their high-density communities that will turn their life expectations around. We will create, sustain, and produce positive youth development that they will share with their peers and families.



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L.O.C.A.L. Adventures	https://www.localadventuresrva.org/	Preston Slaughter	preston10slaughter@gmail.com	Yoga & Paddling Camp on the James River	L.O.C.A.L. Adventures teams up with Waterfront RVA to bring you a unique Richmond experience through 6 weekly sessions of immersive outdoor education. You can expect yoga and meditation in nature, exploration of Richmond's extensive trail system and wildlife, and learning water safety, swimming and paddling basics on the James River.
Lenore Coaching LLC	https://www.lenorecoaching.com/	Quintrel Lenore	info@lenorecoaching.com	Momentum - Career Readiness Program	Comprehensive career readiness program. Youth employment, career exploration, and professionalism training.
Metropolitan Junior Baseball League Inc.	https://mjbl.org/	Micah Crumm	mdcrumm2001@aol.com	MJBL Project	Inner-City youth baseball and girls' softball program.
New Life Community Center Nonprofit	N/A	Sandra Sykes	sandrasykes33@gmail.com 900newlife@gmail.com	Exploring Our Past, While Developing Future Leaders	This is a Youth Leadership Program using strategies to engage youth in self-development. In addition, providing positive and creative activities that will stimulate their minds.
Next Generation Learning Center	https://newlifeharvestchurch.org/	Maria Benjamin	marianchrist12@gmail.com	Next Gen for Youth	We are Bringing the Best out of your Children with Faith, Encouragement, and Love!
Night Owls RVA	https://www.nightowlsrva.com/	Stephanie Lee	Info@nightowlsrva.com	Guardian and Me Yoga and Mindfulness	Bond building yoga and mindfulness program for Children and Guardians.
Nu Collar Solutions	https://nucollarllc.com/	Curtis Hall	curtis.e.hall@nucollarllc.com	Kings Corner	We provide life coaching services to young men of color between ages 10 & 18. Nu Collar Solutions empowers young men of color to realize the best version of themselves. Our youth coaches take young men on a journey of self-exploration, accountability, and follow-through. The life coach will assist the young men with identifying challenge areas, establish goals, and developing strategies to reach their desired results.
Nurturing Minds	https://nurturingminds.info/	Ticeses Teasley	empoweringthefamily@nurturingminds.info	2023 Summer Experience	Nurturing Minds provides the ultimate summer experience! 5 programs under a single roof! Summer should be remembered
Precision RVA Inc.	https://www.precisionrva.org/	Andrea Burke	a_burke@theboldenacademy.org	Precision RVA Incorporated	Precision Step Teams introduces students to body percussion, synchronization, focus, leadership skills, acting and performance through the art form of step
PRIME EVOLUTION GROUP	N/A	Don Jones	don.donland@gmail.com	VIDEO PHOTO PODCAST MARKET	The Prime Evolution Group believes in restoring the entrepreneur business mindset among today's youth in the Richmond area. Our company prides itself on empowering youth to learn and participate in a trade or skill that will enable them to pursue future employment
Richmond Hill, Inc.	https://www.richmondhillva.org/	Yvette Rajput	yrajput@richmondhillva.org	Armstrong Leadership Program	The Armstrong Leadership Program seeks to challenge, develop, stimulate and grow student leaders physically, mentally, emotionally, and spiritually. Students acquire skills in the areas of personal development, leadership training, mentoring, post-graduate preparation, and cultural exposure in an effort to prepare students for success during and after high school.
Rings vs Rent Scholarship Foundation	http://www.ubu100qolf.com/	Queen Bailey	stoneharrisonhouse@gmail.com	My Life Coach Academy Upward Down Summer Program	Life Coach Academy's Upward Down Summer Program is an advanced home, school and community based year-round college and career readiness focused initiative for students and families of low-income communities.
Sacred Heart Center, Inc	https://shcrichmond.org/	Carolina Lugo	carolina_lugo@shcrichmond.org	Summer Offering - Casa Lapiz	Come explore different creative languages like drawing, sculpture, collage, and street art with Casa Lápiz, a bilingual English/Spanish art class! Learn from our artist facilitator and a rotation of visiting artists, who will help you understand artistic expression and a new way to communicate, and showcase all you've learned with a special public exhibition of your art at the end of the session.
Servant Partners	https://www.servantpartners.org/	Murray Withrow	murray.withrow@servantpartners.org	Young Men's Academy	Boys mentoring program that teaches character development, self-awareness, teamwork, cooking, health and wellness, working with tools, and serving others. We also have key summer experiences such as swimming, sports camp, a retreat, boating, and other recreational activities.
Sew What Kidz	https://www.seewhatkidz.com/	Talasha Carrington-Lewis	yourvisionarydesigner@gmail.com	Sewing Machine 101, Jewelry, and Accessory Making	You will explore your creativity by making jewelry and accessories from conventional and unconventional materials. You will also learn the basics of a sewing machine and how to read a pattern, alter the design, and end with a custom-fit top that you will love!



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St. Luke Legacy Center Foundation, Inc.	https://www.stlukelegacycenter.com/	Korinn Carter	kcarter@anewlegacy.org	Project: Home	Project: Home invites teens and their parents to build their communication and pro-social skills with fun, interactive, and self reflective activities to strengthen their family interactions and relationships. Teens and their parents will participate in a hands on healthy cooking session, a yoga session, and build a family tree together!
STEM-Ed Partners	https://www.stem-edpartners.com/	Katrina Entzminger Calandra Moss	katrina@stem-edpartners.com calandra@stem-edpartners.com	STEM Shark Tank	Develop and present your creative STEM idea to our panel of sharks and see if they bite!
Street Smartz Over Safety, LLC	https://streetsmartzoversafety.squarespace.com/	Dremon Miller	dremonmiller@gmail.com	Street Smart Boyz	The boyz of RVA will embark on life-enriching experiences that encompass many aspects of life, focusing on the present and paving the way for a bright future. Through community-focused projects and collaborations, students will build skills and showcase their adaptability to various situations in a final presentation to their loved ones and the community.
Supreme Talent	https://supremetalentbookings.com/	Jasmyn Buckingham	jasmyn.buckingham@supremetalentbookings.com	Supreme Youth Music Business Program	Students will be educated on the music business. Learn important skills such as registering for an LLC, understanding business credit, registering musical works with appropriate databases, and computing music royalties generated from streaming services.
The Men of Barton Heights Youth Organization	N/A	Jemaine Oneil	joneil8814@gmail.com	Music Production Academy	The Music Production Academy will teach and exposed Youth ages 13 to 17 to all function of a Professional music recording . Song creation to recording.
The Osiris Foundation	https://www.theosirisfoundation.org/	Kwame Adeyemi	info@theosirisfoundation.org	The Osiris Foundation Sports, Wellness & Mentorship Program	The Osiris foundation provides opportunities that allow the healthy development of the whole child physical, mentally and academically. We provide outdoor physical activities, such as hiking, running and basketball, by focusing on the whole child, we provide youth with the skills and tools necessary to thrive.
Unbreakable Minds Coaching	https://linktr.ee/unbreakablemindscoaching	Yolanda Hall	coaching@unbreakableminds.org	Parenting on Purpose	Parenting on Purpose is a two-part Parent Education & Engagement Series with one day dedicated to Mothers and one day dedicated to Fathers. Participants will engage in interactive workshops focused on self-care, communication, balancing life, and cultivating harmony in parent-child relationships.
Victoria's Kitchen	https://www.victoriascookingschool.com/	Ellen Luckey	VictoriasKitchenLLC@gmail.com	Family Table: Prepping for Life	A Fun, Hands on, Engaging Teen & Family Cooking Class that will not only help Build Healthy Relationships with your Teen - but will also have the Family Creating Tasty Dishes Together - as a Team!
Youth Braid and Business Academy	https://youthbraidandbusinessacademy.com/	Rossie Dean	info@youthbraidandbusinessacademy.com	Youth Braid and Business Academy	Youth Braid and Business Academy is an enrichment program that provides hair braiding and entrepreneurship training to youth ages 11-17.
Youth Impact RVA	https://www.youthimpacrva.org/	Travis Woods	teejay@youthimpacrva.org	ATR Dance Experience	Mentoring service to enhance the lives of youth through dance and art while focusing on furthering their educational and professional goals.