

Youth Partnership of Middlesex County

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Mission Statement: Our mission is to educate the public, youth, families, and organizations that we, the Youth Partnership of Middlesex Co, are not different than other people. We want to become a youth oriented voice in the state, helping to reduce the stigma of mental health challenges while helping others in the community.

Upcoming Events:

July 6 - Movie w/burgers

July 13 - Park Place

July 20 - Ice cream + a movie

July 27 - No meeting

July 28 - Volunteer @ SA VEA nimal Shelter in Princeton (noon -2 pm)

Aug 3 - BBQ @ Sabella Park

Aug 10 - Workshop / Movie

Aug 17 - Park Place

Aug 24 - No Meeting

Aug 31 - No Meeting

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On May 25th, the Youth Partnership traveled about 2 min-

The youth played basketball and threw around a foot-

everyone had a lot of fun. Whether we were talking, playing,



utes down Cozzens Lane to Sabella Park. We showed up just as the sun was fading and the weather was cooling down. We brought cheeseburgers and chicken, as well as strawberries and ice cream treats. It was a blast.

YPMC visiting Sa bella Park in North Brunswick

ball and a Frisbee. We also celebrated Stephen Ortega's graduation in his karate class and handed out awards to Lauren and Jess for their efforts at the food bank. Most importantly,

or feasting on the wonderful

food, we all had a great time. Special thanks to Robin Ortega for bringing games to play and cooking our delicious food. Thanks also to Mr. Bloom for playing basketball.



YPMC Helps Distribute Food

The Youth Partnership helped MCFOODS in New Brunswick get food to needy families. We arrived on Saturday May 12, and stayed a few hours. MCFOODS stands for the Middlesex County Food Organization Outreach and Distribution Service. They serve all of Middlesex and are very successful in feeding those in need. We have worked

with MCFOODS on previous occasions with much success. Every year, they gather food from the USPS food drive and we help organize it. This year, as always, there is a shortage, so you are encouraged to donate food. Special thanks go to Lauren and Jessica for helping out on this occasion. Here is some information on MCFOODS in case you would like to help out.

Please donate food or grocery store gift certificates to (MCFOODS, C/O MCIA, 101 Interchange Plaza, Cranbury, NJ 08512)

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