

NEWS for Youth Work Professionals

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NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

2014-15 NorthStar Youth Worker Fellowship

Applications are now being accepted for this Fellowship, previously known as the Minnesota Walkabout Fellowship. The purpose of the Fellowship is to engage a cohort of experienced youth work practitioners in exploration, reflection and study to generate more wisdom, language, and leadership in the field of youth work in Minnesota. Fellows will examine rights-based approaches to youth work in Minnesota's past as well as the possible impact of using this approach on current youth work practice. Each of the fellows will frame an inquiry question and spend the year reviewing relevant research and writings, tapping the local wisdom of their professional network, engaging in conversation with local and national leaders in the field, and writing a position paper that will inform systems development and field advancement in MN. Learn more and download the application [here](#).

OPPORTUNITIES FOR YOUTH

[U of M Youth Camps at a Glance](#)

Summer Youth Programs are structured as weekly day camps for ages 5-15. Specialty instruction in the categories of Kids' University, Minnesota Sport Schools, and Discovering 'U' is combined with daily recreational activities, while Gopher Adventures camp offerings focus purely on fun, recreational experiences. All camps feature rock climbing, swimming, high quality facilities and energetic staff to create a full day of quality activities.



Support for Teens with Mental Illness

NAMI Minnesota has support groups for older teens and classes for teens aged 13-19 which teach them to better cope with mental illness. Attached are flyers for support groups and upcoming classes. For more information please contact Andrea Lee @ 651.645.2948 ext. 106. [Visit NAMI Helps Youth](#).

EVENTS

Northside Youth Collaborative

July 8, 4-5:30pm, Farview Park (29th & Lyndale Ave. N.)
April Graves: Self-Care for Youth Workers: How to be more balanced, happy and effective in your personal and professional life. **NO NYC MEETING IN AUGUST**
Next meeting: September 9, 4- 5:30pm, Farview Park

Southside Youth Worker Engagement Group

July 10, noon-1:30pm, Pillsbury House (35th & Chicago)
Learn how to help young people with mental health needs. Identify mental health needs? What role should youth workers play? What are the resources? Share information. Bring a lunch. **NO SYWEG MEETING IN AUGUST**. Next meeting: Sept. 11, noon -1:30pm, Pillsbury House

ADULT TRAINING

Upcoming YIPA Trainings on July 22,

Both at the TIES Bldg., Falcon Heights & streamed on-line.

- [Engaging Youth Via Pop Culture:](#) 1-3:00PM
- [Renewal, Resilience, and Self Care in the Face of Stress and Trauma:](#) 9AM-Noon

E.M.T. Training: American Nursing & Technical Institute

Program open to all. Immigrants, women and minorities encouraged to enroll. An accredited school and program.

- Emergency Medical Technician •20 Week Training
 - August 19-December 13, 2014 & January 16-May 9, 2015
- See attached flyer.

ADULT EMPLOYMENT

Minneapolis Police Department (MPD) Seeking Cadets

Visit Facebook at Minneapolis Police Department and on Twitter at MPD_PIO View the You [Tube video here](#).

[Playworks](#) Minnesota Corps Program Coordinator

More information and application online. Job Description

[Minneapolis Park & Recreation Board](#)

FT Recreation Leader and Youth Program Specialist

Minnesota Reading Corps & Minnesota Math Corps

Recruiting full-time preschool and elementary literacy tutors and math enrichment tutors for the 2014-15 school year in schools in Minneapolis. Must have a high school diploma or GED and US citizenship or permanent residency. Find applications at these links: [Minnesota Reading Corps](#) and [Minnesota Math Corps](#).