



Cornerstone Kids Inc

NEWSLETTER

DECEMBER 2023

Grateful and Thankful

We are incredibly grateful for the support and generosity we received during the holiday season. The past few weeks have been filled with many activities and endless fun.

We would like to extend a special thank you to Donna Ingram, who volunteered her time and expertise to capture Christmas photos of our students. If you're in need of a photographer, please contact her via email at donnaingramphotography@gmail.com or on Facebook at Donna Ingram Photography LLC.

We also want to thank Ayana Grady and the youth group from St. John's Episcopal Church, Tampa, for organizing a Christmas party for our Cornerstone Kids. The children had a great time making snow globes, decorating cookies, and singing carols.

On December 21st, we gathered with our students, parents, volunteers, and staff to celebrate Christmas together. The students put on a flawless performance of three songs and a dance they had been practicing since Thanksgiving. We enjoyed pizza and cookies, and the students received presents generously donated by parishioners at St. John's Episcopal Church, Tampa.

We are extremely grateful to our dedicated volunteers from the Academy of Holy Names, Jesuit, Teens In Action and University of Tampa Food Recovery Network. Thank you for your continuous support.



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Volunteer with us!
We are always seeking tutors and
mentors.

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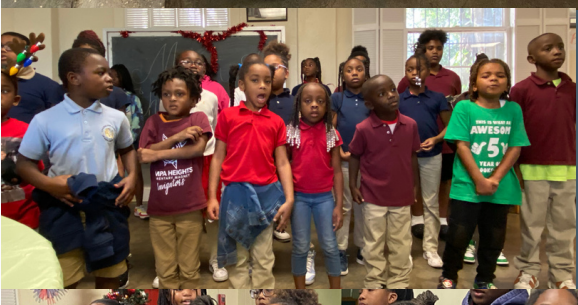
What's in store for 2024

As we enter the second half of the academic year, our focus will shift towards enhancing reading comprehension and fluency while also emphasizing Social Emotional Learning.

Starting January 8th, students will be encouraged to log their reading time on MyOn and physical books, with the opportunity to win prizes at the end of the nine-week period. This initiative aims to motivate students to read more frequently.

We also invite you to attend our Annual Benefit Gala, "Havana Nights," on Thursday, March 21st, 2024. Secure your tickets through EventBrite or the accompanying newsletter form.

If you cannot attend but wish to donate, volunteer or become a sponsor, please do not hesitate to reach out to us.



To Donate
To Volunteer
To Purchase Gala Tickets



ANNUAL FUNDRAISING GALA
BENEFITTING CORNERSTONE KIDS INC.

HAVANA NIGHTS

THURSDAY

MARCH 21, 2024

AT THE TAMPA RIVER CENTER

6pm Cocktail Hour

7pm-10pm Program, Dinner, and Dancing



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For more information:
cornerstonekidsinc.org

March 21, 2024

Tampa River Center
at Julian B Lane Park



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2024 FUNDRAISING CELEBRATION

MISSION AND PURPOSE

The mission of Cornerstone Kids is to reach at-risk inner-city children to assist in their educational, spiritual, and emotional development in a safe, secure, and nurturing environment.

Cornerstone Kids, Inc. is 501 (c) (3) which provides a comprehensive after-school program in which the children of the Tampa Heights Community can receive homework assistance, tutoring, computer training, reading comprehension, arts and crafts, educational/recreational activities and field trips, and meals.

We invite you to join us and meet our new Executive Director, Ragen Velazquez.

\$10,000 CORNERSTONE SPONSOR

- Full page advertisement (must provide digital advertisement)
- Two VIP tables 16 tickets to fundraising celebration
- Speaking opportunity at event
- Sponsor logo listing on webpage and at event electronically
- Information table or signage at event

\$5,000 IN THE HEIGHTS SPONSOR

- Half page advertisement (must provide digital advertisement)
- 1.5 VIP tables 12 tickets to fundraising celebration
- Sponsor logo listing on webpage and at event electronically
- Signage at event

\$3,000 KIDS CHAMPION SPONSOR

- Half page advertisement (must provide digital advertisement)
- 1 VIP table 8 tickets to fundraising celebration
- Sponsor logo listing on webpage and at event electronically

\$1,200 TABLE TITAN

- Quarter page advertisement (must provide digital advertisement)
- 1 table 8 table tickets to fundraising celebration
- Sponsor logo listing on webpage and at event electronically

March 21, 2024

Tampa River Center
at Julian B Lane Park



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SPONSORSHIP AGREEMENT FORM

- Yes, we would like to sponsor the Cornerstone Kids annual fundraising event to support the programs provided to the Tampa Heights Community at the level of:
- Cornerstone Sponsor \$10,000-Kids Champions Sponsor \$3,000
- In the Heights Sponsor \$5,000X-Table Titan Sponsor \$1,200
- Other \$
- Sponsor a student for a year \$2,800-Sponsor a student for a summer \$700
**With monthly payments of \$233*
- Please bill me
- Enclosed is a check for \$ made payable to Cornerstone Kids Inc.

CONTACT INFORMATION

Contact Name _____

Company Name _____

Address _____

Telephone _____

Email _____

Authorized Signature

Print Name

Date

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