

MICAH COMMUNITY



Preparing for Our Summer Kids Programs!

As the weather gets warmer we are running head long into our summer kids programs. Each year we sit down and create an exciting schedule with the best possible offerings for our neighborhood kiddos. Field trips, visiting other organizations, trips to the lake and exciting visitors, we do our best to create an atmosphere of love and learning all summer long and we couldn't do it without you!

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Summer Youth Employment Program

Again this year, we received funding from the Michigan Department of Natural Resources to hire twelve Pontiac High School students which, for most of them, will be their first job.

The purpose of this program is to engage students in careers that involved the outdoors. Students will get fishing licenses, first aid courses, participate in water safety classes and more. They'll visit city, county and state parks doing projects like bird counts, planting indigenous species, learning how to fish, etc.

It isn't all about the outdoors though. Students will visit two college campuses, learn about area trade schools, build a resume, and take classes about grit and resilience.

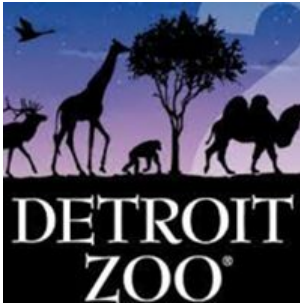
While the program is exciting, their allocation doesn't cover all the costs of activities. We would love help with buying needed supplies such as sleeping bags, fishing poles, meals for the program, and camping trips to the dunes and a dark sky park.



Summer Field Trips

One of the most exciting parts of our kiddos summer is just the joy of getting out of town and going somewhere new. The secret is, it is also fun for the grown ups!

This summer we are taking our neighborhood kids on field trips every week to exciting places including the Detroit Zoo, Charles H Wright Museum of African American History, Hands on Museum in Ann Arbor, Dodge Park, and more.



We have, because of great donors in the past, been able to secure a 15-passenger transit van to ensure we can get everyone there and back. However, food costs, gasolines, tickets to these places, and additional supplies still run up a toll.

In total, we expect a full summer of fun to cost just short of \$150 per child. Please consider helping to support!



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