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Lives,
One
At
A Time.”**

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2011 Summer Programs Recap!

In keeping with its mission, Children & Charity International (CAC) conducted a 6-week (June 27 – August 5, 2011) Summer Science and Technology Camp and Summer Youth Employment Program (SYEP) focused on providing summer learning growth and ensuring students gain an appreciation for Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) related materials to inspire students to explore futuristic concepts and careers in science and engineering fields.

SYEP Program

For the past 5 years, CAC has hosted youth from the Washington DC, SYEP. In 2011 we

hosted 68 youth. The SYEP youth served in a variety of capacities: College students (18-21 yrs) served as teachers' aides helping younger students with class work. Some also served as receptionists and office assistants. High School students (14-18 yrs) participated in classroom activities and assisted with preparing, cleaning, and sanitizing classrooms and assisting with organizing daily meals for the programs. It was a great time to come together and serve the community. All youth were exposed to Junior Achievement (JA) Success Skills course where they participated in focused role-plays reflecting on appropriate deci-

sion-making skills. The youth conducted skits and interviewed for their "dream jobs". They were engaged personally & professionally. Workplace mentors were brought in to speak to the youth about the importance of acquiring adequate life skills.

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Those were the inspiring words spoken to SYEP youth on August 3, 2011, by Mr. Bernard Kibirige, CEO of Saph Integrated Training Centre,

“It is not about poverty, but what you do with your opportunities that determines what will happen.”

Uganda as he presented a personal perspective on poverty and opportunities.



SPECIAL POINTS OF INTEREST:

- We conduct science, technology, engineering, and math (STEM) training and outreach activities for K-12th grade students in the Greater Washington DC area.
- We provide information and learning experiences for parents and caregivers.
- We provide field trips, book fairs and hands-on activities for participants in the pre-college programs
- We provide mentoring and leadership training for youth.
- We support international education, feeding, and health-care projects and development.
- We provide humanitarian aid and disaster relief.

A Message from the Project Supervisor

PJ Green-Young

Thank you parents and caregivers for entrusting your children and youth to us over the summer. The 2011 summer programs were positive and full of learning and fun. Participants had opportunities to acquire practical and hands-on experiences. Middle School and the DC Mayoral Summer Youth Employment Program (SYEP) students were introduced to science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM) based learning to encourage them to think about such possibilities as career options. Hands-on projects included building snap-on circuitry, robotics, chess, checkers, and art. Field trips added real world perspective. This year, the introduction of the Junior Achievement (JA) Success Skills course provided much needed strategies for youth to acquire soft skills and valuable developmental goals that are imperative in the workplace. Special thanks to Mark James for providing valuable technical assistance and to the Augustana Lutheran Church administration for availing facilities to host the program.



Students had opportunities to interact with professionals, prepare and critique resumes and ask questions about job preparation. The youth showed a willingness to communicate verbally. They were guided by the JA instructor to effectively tailor behaviors or criticisms so as to have positive impact, interaction and resolution of issues. The JA course allowed opportunities for advice and feedback from well-respected and established professionals.

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Congratulations!

*To all of our
2011 High School and
College Graduates,
and to Christina Brown
for receiving a '2011 Outstanding Youth Award'*

*We are very proud of you .
Keep up the great work!*

*From the administration, staff, parents, and
participants of CAC Programs.*

STUDENTS ACTIVITIES —Speak Up!

During the month of July, representatives from Engine 9 Fire Service, 3rd District Police Service, Department of Health and Human Services and DC Department of Transportation spoke to students about career opportunities, safety and health issues.



←
Fire fighters show off needed protective armor.



Middle school students stand in front of Engine 9 Fire truck



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Officer Kyle of the 3rd District Police Service speaks to students.



Youth are encouraged by DDOT Transportation Engineer, Charlene Dickens of the importance of math and science.

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Department of Health Peer

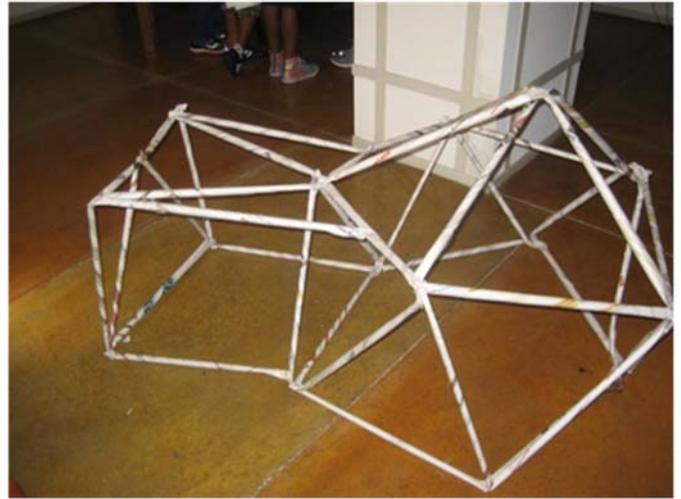


Counselors interact and role-play with SYEP youth.



STUDENTS ACTIVITIES—Youth Lend Helping Hands!

During the summer SYEP youth assisted younger students and management with many daily activities.



Younger students get help to construct a Moon Habitat



Youth help kids with Math, Science and Art



Artwork – the



STUDENTS ACTIVITIES—It's Academic



Dr. Marcus Alfred, a Howard University Scientist explains the importance of mathematics and science in overall studies and uses Conservation of Angular Momentum with the spinning wheel as a practical demonstration.



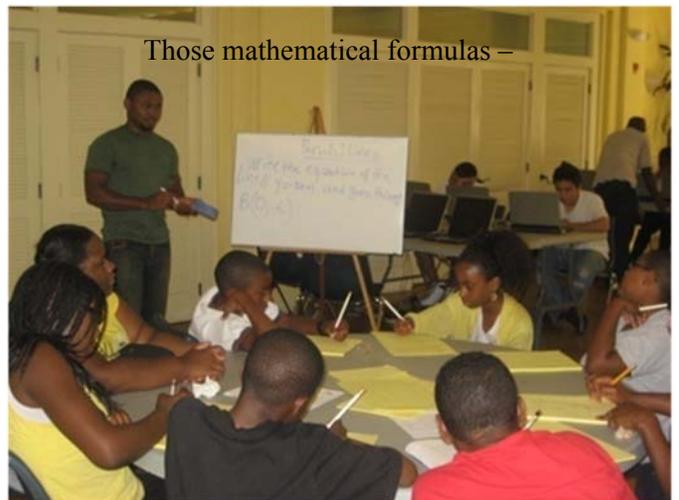
Students working with snap-on Circuitry



Students working with Computer Programs



Youth working on Robotics Project



Those mathematical formulas –

Uh! What did you say about parallel lines?

HUMANITARIAN EFFORTS

CAC continues its Humanitarian Relief Efforts in many countries assisting refugees, poor children and families with education, healthcare, food and supplies. CAC works collaboratively with agencies and organizations that include, UNICEF, UNHCR, Take Heart Association Project, Institute of Grace, SIGA, Bridges Hospitality Centre, Saph Integrated Training Centre, FaiBien, and Institute of Love, to provide much needed aide to people worldwide.

‘Heart Happy’ Campers!

Khabiba K. of the Republic of Uzbekistan underwent successful endovascular surgery to correct a congenital heart defect. The surgery was done at the Berlin Cardio Center in Germany. Other successful heart surgeries were performed in the United States, Kenya and India for patients of Take Heart Association Project. The most recent surgery recipient is Luke. Congratulations children! CAC wishes you long life.



Khabiba doing well after surgery



Luke doing well after surgery



She passed the Exam

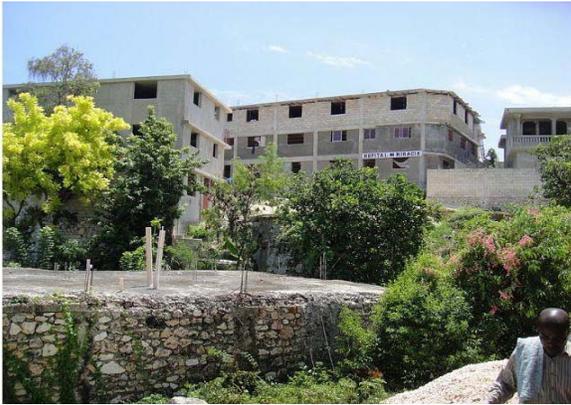
Ms. Guerdyne, one of our sponsored students from Haiti, passed the qualifying examination and has been promoted to 10th grade at College Paul Lauchard in Port-au-Prince, Haiti. We are very proud of you Guerdyne. Keep up the good work.



HUMANITARIAN EFFORTS Cont'd

Maracia Hospital

One of our supported projects in Haiti shows positive growth. Maracia Hospital, situated in Merger, Haiti conducted free clinic for community residents in June 2011. A Mission team of medical volunteers from the United States of America conducted a ten-day trip which included providing much needed medical and dental care, supplies, training, construction and community outreach. Miracia is slowly transitioning from a clinic to a full-serving hospital.



Maracia Hospital



Mission Team

Shipments



Volunteer stands with barrels just before loading onto truck for shipment.



The latest shipment

of supplies to benefit Liberian refugees left on August 17, 2011. This is a continuation of CAC efforts to assist the influx of refugees repatriating from Ghana back to Liberia. Shipments to Ghana and other countries are scheduled for the fall season of 2011.



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Our mission is to “embrace humanity by utilizing God given talents and resources to promote educational advancement and development and provide charitable and humanitarian aid. We hope to ‘Make A Difference’ in the lives of poor and underrepresented people, throughout the world.”



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