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This generation of stars!



I recently asked a group of various ages: what is a star? There are four commonalities between a star and The Broken Wall:

1. They both begin with several elements, but one element is needed far above any other- hydrogen for a star and God for TBW.
2. Once they are both filled up enough they become who they were designed to be.
3. Their make up keeps them from collapsing – TBW's reason to exist is to reach teenagers with help, hope, and God's unconditional love.
4. Once a star becomes a Red Giant, it makes a new generation of stars – when TBW does what we're designed to do...we make a new generation of stars.



Wow – that means as we continue to do and follow where God leads us, we play a part in developing this generation of stars – teenagers. That's exciting stuff!

I challenge you to decide to impact a teen's life in a positive way this season!



Carrie

Counseling

Have you ever dealt with a problem that you just needed to talk with someone or just seek a little bit of help with? That is exactly what we do in our counseling program.

Counseling can be individual, couple's, family, or group counseling. The advice comes from a Christian viewpoint, no exceptions.

If you are interested in setting an appointment, please contact us at revcarrie@thebrokenwall.org or 717-332-1475.

We are open in North York, PA!

We've already told you about our office in North York, now we can tell you about our programs space in North York. We recently decided to rent the space beside our current office to house our tutoring, counseling, skillz building, and workshops in. It isn't large, but it will work to start out in.

You're welcome to swing by the office for a chat, to help, for curiosity sake, or for something sweet to munch on, but, please call Carrie first, at 717-332-1475, to make sure someone is there.

Keep up with the latest news at:

www.thebrokenwall.org



We're looking for Open Doors

We now have space to provide tutoring, counseling, and Skillz building – *BUT*, we need open doors to get the information/flyers about these helpful programs into the teenagers hands. Do you work with, volunteer with, see or talk with teenagers? Would you be willing to pass out flyers and information about these exciting programs to the teenagers? Are you connected with a place where teenagers are connected with? We can get you full page, half page, or quarter-size page flyers to pass out. Will you help us find the open doors?





Mailing List

There is a tangible way that you can help us save some cost.

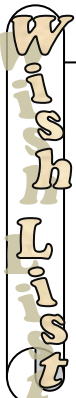
If you have an email address, we can email you updates and these newsletters, instead of going through the US postal mail. Just email: info@thebrokenwall.org with your email address and who you are. Thank you!

"I have not taken a hold of it. But one thing I do: Forgetting what is behind and straining toward what is ahead. I press on toward the goal to win the prize"

Philippians 3:13

Prayer Requests:

- ✚ God's continued guidance and direction for the leadership team.
- ✚ That we continue to find favor with God, officials, and the community.
- ✚ For upcoming events to be attended well and all goes well with each one.
- ✚ For the teenagers to truly know God's unconditional love and for them to see it in action.
- ✚ For opportunities to offer help, hope, and love to teenagers.
- ✚ That teens know there exist the CLIFF Youth, Counseling, Tutoring, and Skillz Building programs and then take part in them.



- ✚ Monetary donations and pledges
- ✚ Campbell's Soup labels; the more turned in, the more *free* supplies we can receive
- ✚ Volunteers for events, in the center, and to help in the office
- ✚ Carnival supplies: 4x4's, 4x2's (to build carnival games), prizes, glassware (they can be used and mismatched), colored sand (for sand art), and numerous tarps.
- ✚ Businesses, churches, and individuals to sponsor the Fall Festival Outreach
- ✚ A permanent building and/or space for the hang out center
- ✚ Local people to teach a skill in the Skillz Building program

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Upcoming Fundraisers

Magnet Sale

April 1-15 we will be selling round magnets with a variety of pictures, again. There will be over 50 pictures and letters & numbers to choose from to make up your own set of magnets. They really do make nice gifts and cute additions to your refrigerator.

If you would like to help sell these for us...please contact us at 717-332-1475.

LOL Event

Because we were not approved in time, we must cancel our Spring event. We are disappointed with this news, but we know there will be another event taking it's place later this year!



Order your favorite Joe Corbi's pizzas, calzones, pretzels, and Grandma Corbi's cookies and baked pies.



The sale dates are April 25 - May 9; and deliver on May 24th.



Please help us reach our goal?

We have three sub sales left (Delivering on March 22nd, April 26th, and May 17th). Our goal is to profit \$1000 total, that's an increase of \$550.

We sell 12" subs (\$4.50 each) as well as Pretzel sandwiches (\$3.50 each), from Brenda's in York. If you want to order call or email Richard (717-332-1475 or Richard@thebrokenwall.org) by March 14th, April 18th, and May 9th.



Skillz Building Program coming soon!!!

This is a skills development workshop in a variety of topics. We are looking at starting this program in the Spring. We will need help in advertising to teenagers and people to help lead and teach their skill!

City-wide Fall Festival

We are excited to share with you that this year's fall festival will be at the Memorial Park Sports Complex in York City. It will be outside and we are planning on having a variety of vendors, activities, a stage (with testimonies, mini-lessons, speakers, songs, and more), food, face painting, and more. We would still like to offer some items at no charge.

This year, we are aiming at doing more of an outside carnival/outreach with a main stage. We will need your help to make this a success. We will be looking for businesses to help sponsor, vendors (business and individuals) to sell their items, lots of volunteers weeks prior and day of (face painters, food prep, games, prize tent, registration, speakers, comedians, and general help, security, parking, etc.), help making carnival game stands, giveaways to be donated, and more to come.

We ARE looking for people to step up and volunteer to be on the Fall Festival Committee. We can not do this alone. If you are interested in being part of the Fall Festival committee, please email or call Carrie at 717-332-1475 or revcarrie@thebrokenwall.org.

CLIFF Youth at Calvary Temple

You'll find a renewed excitement and passion in this youth group setting!

If you are between 12 and 18 years old and/or 6th – 12th grades come on out and join us for games, food, talk-time, and hanging out.

If you know of a teenager who wants to come and the only thing that is holding him or her back is a ride there...let's see if we can work something out?

Thursday evenings from 7pm – 8:30pm

at Calvary Temple at 2160 Roosevelt Ave York, PA 17408.

Please see <http://www.thebrokenwall.org/youthgroup.html> for more details.



Kohl's Volunteer Day

Early in February, Kohl's in West Manchester did another Associates in Action Day with us. They helped with upcoming events, fundraisers, and general office work.

We appreciate the associates hard work they put in that evening. They also brought with them a grant and we are very blessed and thankful for that.

We were not snowed out at this year's 3rd annual banquet. There were over 80 people who attended. It was a blessed time of sharing, meeting new friends, and reviewing what happened in The Broken Wall in 2010 and what will happen in 2011. We also would like to send a special thank you to Ervin Nace for making the delicious soup, Keli Tenney for taking pictures, and Nancy Walker for making the dessert.

See for yourself the night of fun:



GRADES DOWN? **NEED HELP?** WORKS TOO TOUGH?

? CAN'T UNDERSTAND?

6TH GRADE THROUGH 12TH GRADE **TUTORING** NO JUDGEMENT NO CONDEMNATION JUST HELP

*BY APPOINTMENT
*ONE-ON-ONE
*HOMEWORK HELP

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