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### Note from our Team:

To see children have the opportunity to be childlike freely is something that will forever bring joy to my eyes. The 2BYoung program truly represents the heart of the Revolving Door. It fosters a safe learning environment that encourages family bonding through collaborative activities. It creates a safe place for not only children, but also their parents, to grow closer together and be embraced as unique individuals. As the Director of the 2BYoung program, it's an honor to be part of our commitment to develop the children that live in the communities we serve. Transformation on the inside radiates on the outside!

Sincerely,

Atexa Josch-Jorres

# 2BESHADOWED



# commencement eremony

Our 2022 2BShadowed Mentorship program has come to an end. We had 14 graduates that successfully completed the program. Our graduates were celebrated by a commencement ceremony that highlighted their growth and achievements throughout the program. These bright and intelligent young men and women were introduced to new environments, employment opportunities and overall motivational experiences that forged relationships that will continue beyond the program.







"A mentor is someone who sees more talent and ability within you, than you see in yourself, and helps bring it out of you." — **Bob Proctor** 

# 2BYoung Children's Event

Our July 2BYoung Children's Event was a huge success. This event was all about bringing the book "The Good Dinosaur" by Bill Scollon to life. After reading the book together, families worked on creating Dinosaur dioramas to bring their own dinosaur stories to life. All of our 2022 2BYoung events have revolved around the theme of family bonding. Families were able to play, learn and create together.





# MONTHLY GATHERINGS

Our Men's and Women's Gatherings have been significantly impacting individuals by creating a welcoming environment that encourages, motivates and inspires.



Our Men's Ministry nights are led by Pastor Eddie Torres. They are a place where men can be encouraged and refreshed. The last gathering's topic was "Are you equipped?" which prompted deep discussions and collaborative insight.

Our Women's Ministry Nights are a place for women to come relax and recharge. What better way to relax than doing a fun craft with other women? Creating beautiful floral vases was a way for everyone to express their inner creativity. It was a memorable night!





Our organization prioritizes bonding and fellowship which inspired our new "Chill Out Nights." These nights are a time for staff, volunteers and community youth to gather together for a night of fun activities. Our first "Chill Out Night" was in August. We are so thankful to Ron Gray, from the Community Buzz Magazine, for generously donating tickets to a local Renegades game. Thanks to Ron, we enjoyed an exciting night of baseball filled with fellowship and fun!





# **BUDGETING**WORKSHOP

Our Workshop series is a new addition to our 2BShadowed program. The Budgeting 101 workshop was designed to review basic financial literacy terminology. We explored budgeting, banking, credit, and financial goal setting. This was the first life skills workshop that was held. Future workshops will include home ownership, credit repair and investment strategies.







## SATURDAY MORNING LIGHTS

The Revolving Door proudly partnered with the Poughkeepsie School District for their Saturday Morning Lights program, Summer Edition. One of the highlights within the seven week program was observing how well the kids responded to an interactive crafting event where they created personalized cards for their loved ones. We look forward to future partnerships with the PK School District.







#### **PARTNER**

Partner with us by sponsoring an event, a program or becoming a youth mentor.





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Donate to us by making a one time gift or become a monthly sponsor.





## **SERVE**

Become a part of the Revolving Door family and sign up as a volunteer.











#### Home2B Workshop

Homeownership

This upcoming October, we will be hosting a Home2Be Workshop as our next life skills workshop.

#### Men's Monthly Gathering

Encouragement and Support through Fellowship

Event Date: Thursday, October 6, 2022

#### **Women's Monthly Gathering**

Encouragement and Support through Fellowship

Event Date: Friday, October 7, 2022

#### **2BYoung Event**

Youth Program

Event Date: Saturday, October 1, 2022

Click **Here** for all Events details