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The YouthHope Post

Harkins Theatres Present "Toy Story 4"

A Fundraiser Benefiting YouthHope!

Come support Youth-Hope by purchasing a ticket to the private screening of "Toy Story 4" on June 24th.

your choosing

- 1 medium popcorn
- 1 Harkins 2019 Loyalty Cup

You can also purchase tickets at YouthHope Monday through Thursday 8am-12pm. 1175 W. Redlands Blvd.

Here are the details:

- Doors open at 6 pm
- Movie starts at 6:30 pm

- Tickets are \$35 each

Each ticket includes:

- Private showing of "Toy Story 4" on Monday June 24th
- 1 additional movie ticket for another night for a movie of

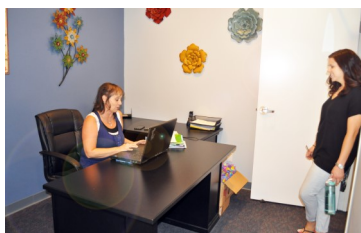
To view the movie trailer and to purchase tickets, visit

www.youthhope.org

This event will have open seating.



Medical & Counseling Services



An important aspect of our Medical & Counseling Services is to ensure our youth not only get the assistance they need physically through food and clothes, but also that their medical and men-

tal needs are met. Many of our youth have not sought out medical attention in years and are in need of dentistry, optometric care, and counseling services.

After our Case Managers identify the type of service needed, they spend one-on-one time with the youth taking them to doctor and counseling appointments.

Although we collaborate with several community partners, there are still fees associated with each appointment.

Are you interested in funding part of our Medical and Counseling Services? Visit www.youthhope.org/donate where you can donate to help our youth get the medical attention they need.

A New Smile

I came to America looking for freedom. Freedom to live in a country where I could succeed at life.

But when I came to America, I did not find that freedom. What I found was an abusive relationship and poverty.

What started as a great marriage and 1 beautiful daughter, turned into daily beatings and black eyes. My coping skills included drinking and drugs to escape my reality.

Because of drugs, my husband kicked me out of the house. He made me feel like the bad person and took me away from my daughter. I was alone on the streets. Being on the streets meant my personal hygiene was nonexistent. With poor nutrition and some personal health issues, my teeth started to rot and fall out.

I came to a point one night on the street where I knew that I needed to turn my life around. I needed my daughter in my life and I knew that my husband and I could get back

to a good place of love and respect.

I went to YouthHope looking for help. They immediately fed me and made a dentist appointment for me. When I got to the dentist office, I thought they were going to pull the rest of my teeth and send me on my way, but their kindness overwhelmed me. They gave me a free set of dentures because they knew that if I wanted to find a job and move in the right direction, I needed to have my mouth fixed.

They also helped me get into a safe house until I knew that my

husband was not going to abuse me anymore.

Me and my husband are now in counseling addressing the issues that started this whole mess and finding a place of respect and love.

I have high hopes of getting back with my daughter and my husband and restart the life that we always wanted. I know that this will take years to fully obtain, but I'm ready.

I can't thank YouthHope and their partners in the community who made this possible.

Did You Know?

The majority of our youth that we see are between the ages of 14-18.

A Note From the Founder



I can't believe that it's already May and we are almost done with the school year. Our youth have been working so hard and I am so proud of them!

One thing that you will notice if you stop by during our Drop In Center hours is how busy our computer lab is.

We were graciously given funding for those computers from a Edison International grant a few years ago.

I knew our youth needed computers to help them become self-

sufficient, but I didn't know the extent that these computers would help our youth!

In 2018 alone, we saw over 140 youth use our computer lab! That means that these youth are getting their Food Handlers Certificates, applying for jobs, doing homework, or working on their resumes.

It's amazing to see our youth use the resources that are available to them to better their lives.

I can't wait to see how far they go!

Make sure you get your tickets to our Harkins Fundraiser. It's going to be such a fun night and we sold out last year! The deal alone is great, but the fact that 100% of the proceeds go to YouthHope makes it even better. So don't wait! Visit our website to buy tickets!

We are so thankful that Harkins Theatres has chosen YouthHope as their foundation to support!