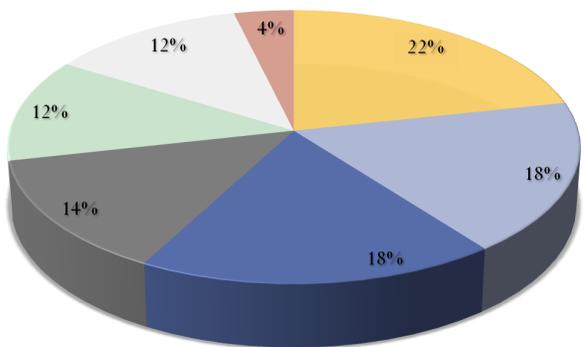


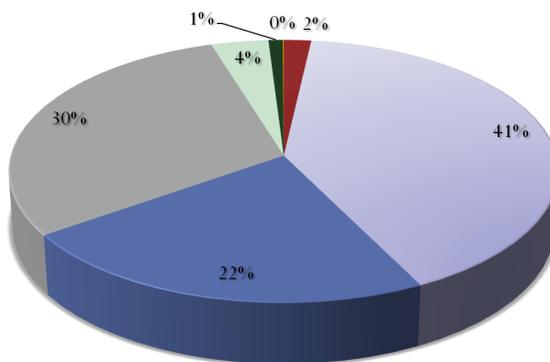
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2010 Expenses - \$358,373

2010 Revenue - \$365,271



- Safe Place / Host Home
- Children's Visitation Cntr
- Families in Transition
- Custody Evaluations
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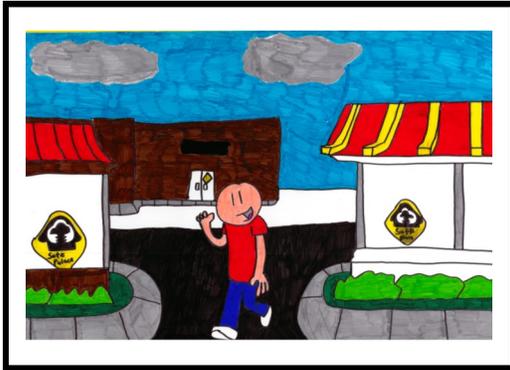
2010 Annual Report

Our Mission:

Youth Connections serves at-risk youth through crisis intervention, community education, & mentoring to foster positive relationships and self-worth.



Our Collective Impact...



Safe Place Artist: 12 yr old boy

Safe Place *Morgan & Johnson Co.

In 2010, 2,827 youth heard the Safe Place message via educational presentations at 26 schools.

Safe Place reached youth throughout Morgan & Johnson County educating them about the dangers of running away, drugs, & resolving difficult threatening situations on their own. We also served youth in crisis through the 24 hour help line (1.866.738.KIDS) and our network of 118 partners.

Host Homes *Morgan & Johnson Co.

In 2010, 6 homeless youth found shelter (for 1-21 days) with a caring volunteer host family.

The Host Homes rural shelter program acted as an emergency shelter and a safe haven to homeless youth between the ages of seven and seventeen. Wrap around services were offered to the youth and their family with the goal of reunification. More caring volunteer families are needed for this program.

Jumpstart Program

*Morgan & Johnson Co.

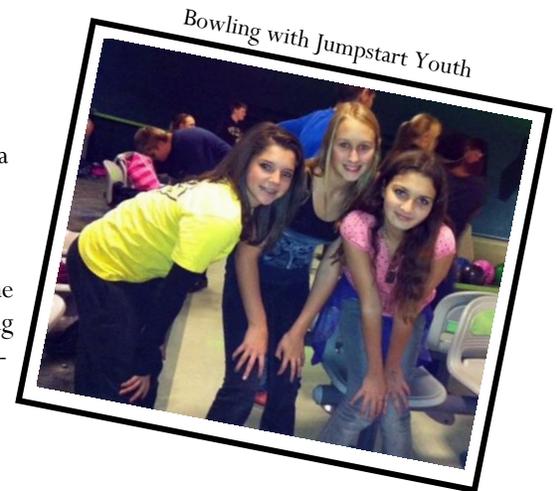
In 2010, Jumpstart helped 41 youth strengthen their life skills, conflict resolution skills, and character.

The Jumpstart program is a grant funded after-school group mentoring program for youth in Johnson and Morgan County. Middle school youth met 1-2 times per week during the school year and summer. Youth learned about goal setting, budgeting, positive communication, and had the opportunity to participate in community giving and field trips.

The Children's Visitation Center

In 2010, children and parents spent 1,324 hours together in a safe and nurturing environment.

The Children's Visitation Center offered a safe and neutral location for supervised visits between a child and parent where there had been a history of conflict between parents or domestic abuse. At the center, children were able to create lasting memories, engage in positive communication, and be in a healthy atmosphere with the person they love... mom or dad.



Bowling with Jumpstart Youth



Families in Transition Custody Evaluations

In 2010, 841 children and divorcing parents completed the 6 hour Families in Transition class.

We created a safe place for both adults and children to begin the healing process associated with divorce. The Families in Transition class was designed to provide not only parents but also children (ages 8-16) with practical information to cope effectively with the hurt of divorce.

In 2010, 24 families received child centered custody evaluations.

A Custody Evaluation is a court mandated assessment of the needs of a child and each parent's ability to meet those needs. Custody Evaluations put children 1st and focused on providing an accurate and neutral assessment of a child's best interest. We offered order and structure during difficult family situations.

“YOU helped me understand things...

I got to express my feelings to someone other than my family & friends.” 15yr old girl



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