ABOUT THE CENTER FOR CHILDREN & YOUTH JUSTICE

Each year across Washington, more than 50,000 children and youth - enough to practically fill Lumen Field - are involved in the child welfare and youth justice systems. This means that every year over 50,000 children are reported into abuse hotlines, removed from their families and placed into foster care. They face the instability of being moved from home to home within the foster care system. These kids are more susceptible to coming into contact with police, even if it’s due to running away from an unsafe living environment. They are then placed on probation or sent to youth jails and alternatives to detention--these systems never acknowledging the trauma kids endured.

Rather than supporting the wellbeing of children, the child welfare and youth justice systems have left them vulnerable to recurrent incarceration, sex trafficking, poverty, and chronic homelessness. Youth involved in systems experience a higher rate of PTSD than war veterans. They often face neglect, as well as discrimination and abuse because of their race, gender identity and sexual orientation.

The Center for Children & Youth Justice (CCYJ) is putting an end to this.

CCYJ improves the policies that affect children in the foster care and juvenile justice systems. We collaborate with and convene a vast network of partners—nonprofit organizations, direct-service providers, health agencies, government entities, community groups, and foster care and youth justice professionals—creating solutions that include all voices and truly place kids’ needs at the forefront.
What’s to Come in 2022

In 2021, the Center for Children & Youth Justice, which was founded in 2006 by Justice Bobbe Bridge (ret.), celebrated its 15-year anniversary through a variety of events, mostly virtual with one socially-distanced night out at the Drive-In! As we embark on 2022, and look beyond, we maintain an ambitious vision that ensures all children, youth, and young adults are healthy, safe and thriving; cared for by their community; valued as they are; and have a sense of belonging.

We will be hosting a variety of events in 2022, mainly virtual, but will continue to monitor the current landscape to hopefully include — in a safe way — an in-person event in the Fall of 2022. We look forward to continuing our wildly successful virtual cooking class, virtual game night, educational Lunch and Learn series, and end-of-year Jammies for Justice “non-event” event! We will also unveil a variety of new, out-of-the-box virtual events to keep our 4,000+ donors connected, inspired, and engaged.

We invite you to partner with us as we continue to empower kids, stabilize families, and strengthen communities in Washington State.
2022 SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

(Sponsors will receive the following benefits throughout 2022)

Sponsorship Levels

Sponsorship allows for 100% of the funds donated during our virtual events to go directly towards achieving sustainable, just, equitable, and fair systems for children and families that will positively impact future generations.

$15,000 PRESENTING SPONSOR
- 10 VIP Invitations to the event of your choice
- Recognized in Seattle Times Ads
- Event Program: Prominently Displayed Logo on printed program for two exclusive VIP events
- Presenting Sponsor Logo Recognition: Logo Recognition on CCYJ’s website for full year | Logo Recognition on Welcome Landing Page for each of CCYJ’s 2022 events | End-of-Year Thank You Letter to Donors | Monthly eNews (circ. 5,000 x 12)

$10,000 LEGACY SPONSOR
- 6 VIP Invitations to the event of your choice
- Recognized in Seattle Times Ads
- Events Program: Logo Recognition on printed program for two exclusive VIP events
- Legacy Sponsor Logo Recognition: Logo Recognition on CCYJ’s website for full year | Logo Recognition on Welcome Landing Page for each of CCYJ’s 2022 events | End-of-Year Thank You Letter to Donors | Monthly eNews (circ. 5,000 x 12)
$5,000 PARTNER IN JUSTICE SPONSOR

- 2 VIP Invitations to the event of your choice
- **Events Program:** Logo Recognition on printed program for two exclusive VIP events
- **Recognized in Seattle Times Ads**
- **Partner in Justice Sponsor Logo Recognition:** Logo Recognition on CCYJ’s website for full year | Logo Recognition on Welcome Landing Page for each of CCYJ’s 2022 events | End-of-Year Thank You Letter to Donors | Monthly eNews (circ. 5,000 x 12)

$2,500 ADVOCATE FOR YOUTH SPONSOR

- **Advocate for Youth Sponsor Name Recognition:** Name Recognition on CCYJ’s website for full year | Name Recognition on Welcome Landing Page for each of CCYJ’s 2022 events | End-of-Year Thank You Letter to Donors | Monthly eNews (circ. 5,000 x 12)

$1,500 JUSTICE LEAGUE MEMBER

- Acknowledgement in CCYJ’s annual report
- Invitations to exclusive Justice League virtual events