

# The H.O.M.E

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# The HTYC Annual Report



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# A Message from Our CEO

*"Thanks to your generous contributions, we were able to do some pretty amazing things this year! Since reopening of our program in June of 2021, we have been able to make a significant impact on our community with continued help from our sponsors and partners. To every supporter, contributor, and volunteer, we say THANK YOU, knowing none of this could be possible without you!"*

**-Dionne D. Dantzler, HTYC Founder & CEO**

**Here's a look at our Year:**

## Overview

Our mission is to establish growth tools for physical, spiritual, mental, and individual well-being within our community. We focus on supporting the individual because healthy individuals produce healthy environments and, in return, healthy relationships.

## Objectifications

To offer community resources such as family assistance, educational scholarships, advanced learning and activity centers, personal development, and economic advancement opportunities to those in need within our target zone.

## Community

- Target Area [40mi Radius going 10mi in each direction from 5120. W. 65th Street, Little Rock, AR 72209 Headquarters = Fair Park to Mabelvale Cutoff North/South ; Dixon Rd to Otter Creek East/West]
- Pulaski County/Little Rock School District
- Primary Neighborhoods/Regions we seek to service: John Barrow, Otter Creek, Hanger Hill, Southend, Wakefield, Mablevale, Chicot, Stagecoach, Fair Park, Cloverdale, Geyer Springs, Baseline, Southwest, Arch St./Dixon/Sweet Home

# 2021 Reach: Demographic Highlights



**150+**

Individuals &  
Families

**500+**

Small Businesses  
& Small Business  
Owners

**200+**

Students Grades  
K-12

## IMPACT & YEAR IN REVIEW

- 2 Community Giveaways
- 2 Community Business & Network Workshops
- 1 Youth Pilot Program
- 1 Health Awareness Initiative
- Over \$15K Raised towards Youth Community Efforts & Scholarships

## 20+ \*NEW\* COMMUNITY PARTNERS

AR Dept. of HigherED  
BIZ-AR Business & Event  
Center  
Bronson's Ambitions  
Cali Queen Collection  
Commit with Christy  
Dance2Fit w/ Sara Wilson  
Desired Elements  
F7 Wellness Solutions  
Harvest Fellowship Worship Ctr.

L.A.M. City of Life (NLR)  
LegalShield  
Midnight Snacks & More  
MixxedFit With Belkyn  
So Full Cafe  
Studio501  
T.I.P.S  
Urbane Magazine  
Williams Chiropractic



# Back 2 School

GIVEAWAY



**OVER 100+ STUDENTS SERVED!**

Our Back 2 School drive provided over 100 students with 2020-2021 school supplies.



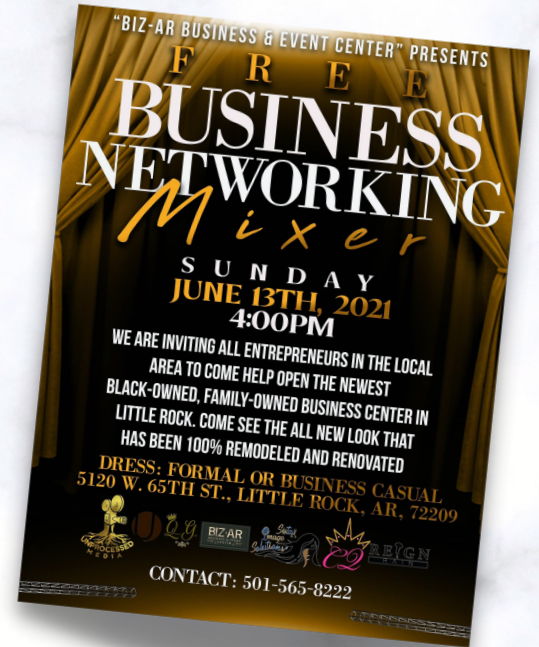
This event was sponsored in part by the HTYC, 3D Management, The Cali Queen Collection, Sista Image Solutions, Queens Girls Studio, T.I.P.S, Urbane Magazine, Unprocessed Media & The Biz-AR Business & Event Center.





# Community Opportunities

Business & Networking Events



## OVER 500+ SMALL BUSINESSES & BUSINESS OWNERS SERVED!

We have extended business and entrepreneurship resources to over 500 local small business owners.



Our Business & Commercial Development was designed by 3D Management & Events Community Leadership Initiative in partnership with the BIZ-AR Event Center



# Pilot Program

INTRODUCTION TO PUBLIC SCHOOL



## Pinebluff Lighthouse Charter Academy

On November 12th, 2021, The HTYC implemented it's first pilot program at PIneBluff LightHouse Charter Academy School. Data was collected from a group of 21 inner-city male youths. Participants were placed in groups by media subject interest and asked to create and demonstrate a short film. Children were given roles of writers, actors, directors, and cameramen and required to work together for the purpose of production of a final project.



This Activity Program was designed and introduced to Lighthouse through a partnership with Bronson's Ambitions and Unprocessed Media.

# BOOGIE for BOOBIES

BREAST CANCER AWARENESS



Our Boogie For Boobies Event participants and sponsors raised nearly \$1k toward The HTYC Center Building Fund for at-risk families and troubled teens.



Brought to you in part by Unprocessed MEDIA, 3D Management, So Full Cafe, & The Cali Queen Collection. Sponsors by Dance2Fit w/ Sara Wilson, MixxedFit With Belkyn, Midnight Snacks & More, Desired Elements, Urbane Magazine, Williams Chiropractive, Studio501, & F7 Wellness Solutions

# Christmas GiftAway Toy Drive



Our Xmas Toy Drive provided 20 unique-minority single mothers, fathers, and their families toys for Christmas.



2021 Sponsor of the Year to L.A.M City of Life for the contribution of 150+ Toys. Other sponsors of this year's drive includes Unprocessed Media, The Biz-Ar Business & Event Center, & The Cali Queen Collection.





## 2021 YEAR END Milestones

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- Temporary Center Space at the BIZ-AR Business Center
  - Introduction of 1st Pilot Program to a Learning Institution
  - Partnership with the Department of Higher Education to provide GED Training & Certification beginning Jan 4th, 2022
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# Stay Updated on Upcoming Events

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