

Happy New Year! We are excited to welcome 2023 with many lessons learned in 2022 and much opportunity to make a bigger impact this year. We are looking forward to more in-person opportunities and continuing to partner with local youth to help them achieve their individual goals.

January 2023

Winter



IN GRATITUDE

This holiday season we served over 300 youth through our holiday gift program. This was made possible through the support of our many donors, the Ticket to Dream Foundation and Leapfrog. Youth and their case managers had the opportunity to shop our holiday market to pick out personalized gifts.

WHOLE FAMILY SUPPORT

CYN is a proud recipient of a \$75,000 Whole Family Support grant for justice involved youth and their families from the San Francisco Department of Children, Youth and their Families. This grant has helped us expand our personal empowerment program and provide more small grants to address financial barriers that youth face in our community.

SAVE THE DATE

We are delighted to share that this year our Rise Awards will return in-person. We hope that you will join us in-person in mid-May to celebrate our collective accomplishments this year and give honor to our 2023 scholarship recipients. Keep an eye on your email for the save the date!

YOUTH PARTNERING FOR EDUCATION AND EMPLOYMENT PROGRAM

Scholarship Season

Scholarship season is here! Annually, City Youth Now provides 5-8 scholarships to local youth that demonstrate financial need and are pursuing higher education. Scholarship applications are open to any youth ages 17-24 who are currently pursuing higher education, have experienced the San Francisco foster care and/or juvenile justice system and can demonstrate a financial need. Scholarship applications will open on Friday January 13, 2023 and will close on April 1, 2023. You can find more information at cityyouthnow.org/scholarships.



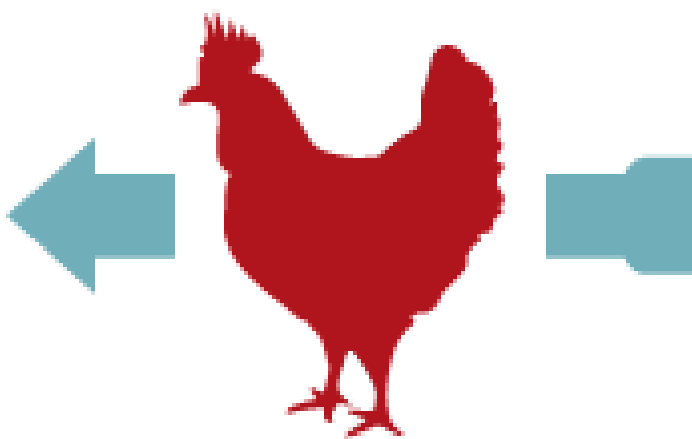


WINTER LIFE SKILLS PROGRAM

We are excited to announce the return of our Winter Life Skills Program during the month of February! 15 youth between the ages of 15-21 will have the opportunity to earn up to \$200 for participating in 5 virtual sessions. Topics will be created in partnership with the youth during our Youth Engagement Session in January. Make sure to follow us on social media to stay up to date on sign ups and more!

YOUNG PROFESSIONALS BOARD

Are you a young professional looking for a way to support local youth and give back to the local community? Consider joining the City Youth Now Young Professionals Board. This group of local community members are giving back via City Youth Now in a big way. Young professionals meet monthly and support the organization through volunteerism, networking, community planning and fundraising. Do you have a talent that you want to share with our organization? Are you a marketing wiz, social media expert or artist? We could use your support! To learn more about the young professionals board or to request an application please send an email to emily@cityyouthnow.org



PROPOSITION CHICKEN

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City Youth Now has been chosen as the nonprofit Monday partner for Proposition Chicken for the month of January 2023. 10% of all dine-in sales on Mondays will be donated to CYN! We hope that you will plan to dine-in during a Monday this month to enjoy some delicious chicken and support City Youth Now. The restaurant is located at 3465 California St, 94118.

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