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August Newsletter

Message from the Executive Director

It is hard to believe that although the temperatures are still in the triple digits, summer is winding down, and we will soon transition into fall! The transition of seasons reminds me of the growth our young men face when they start or end their journey at Hope's Path. The Bible has a lot to say about changes we experience in life, but one particular verse is especially true at Hope's Path. Deuteronomy 31:6 says, *"Be strong and courageous. Do not be afraid or terrified because of them, for the LORD your God goes with you; he will never leave you nor forsake you."* This summer, we graduated one intern and admitted three; A lot of change and transition, but it is with boldness and faith that we can reassure our interns that the Lord is with them every step of the way.



A few weeks ago, our staff and Board of Directors had the privilege and joy to celebrate and honor our volunteer team at Hope's Path. Over 25 volunteers attended as we grilled out, fellowshiped, built relationships, and even played some basketball! Personally, as I looked out into the crowd of our volunteers laughing, eating, and just having a good time, I was overwhelmed with a sense of gratitude and thankfulness! I am so blessed to lead an organization that many people care deeply for and desire to be part of! I am looking forward to many more volunteer celebrations soon!

As always, thank you for taking the time to read our newsletter. Have a wonderful rest of your summer, soak up the sun, make memories, and laugh with those you love!

God Bless,
Brandon Anderchuk

Campus Happenings

Volunteer Spotlight



One of the most fruitful aspects of Hope's Path is our mentor program. Each of our interns is paired with a leader (or team of leaders) who values the time and commitment it takes to pour into the young men they mentor. Our most recent graduate, David, and his mentor, Jim, share their experiences with each other and Hope's Path.

Jim: "My mentorship with David has assisted him in encouraging and empowering in his quest for personal development by teaching life skills. Helping David to identify and plan to achieve career goals. Assisting David in developing and maintaining a broader perspective on career options and opportunities. Encouraging David to continue to have a strong work ethic, be a team player, and stay disciplined relating to physical, mental, financial, social, and spiritual wellbeing."

David: "Hope's Path gave me the opportunity to not only get closer to God but showed me a lot of teachable moments in life when no one else would show me any better opportunities. Hope's Path showed me that

everyone may have different backgrounds, but we all serve one truly good God."



We Love Our Volunteers

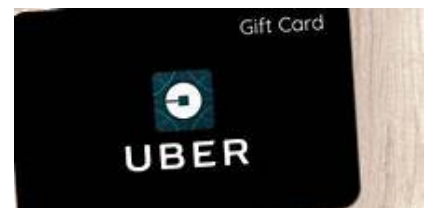
We recently hosted a volunteer appreciation grill-out dinner at Hope's Path. We are so thankful to the many men and women who give their time and talents to invest in our interns. We could not exist without you, and you are a blessing!

"We make a living by what we get. We make a life by what we give." - Winston Churchill

If you would like to volunteer at Hope's Path, click on the link below or visit our website at www.hopespath.org/volunteer.

Transportation Needs

Our interns are BUSY! Between work, school, and medical appointments, the need for transportation is more significant than ever! We average between 20 to 30 rides for our interns on any given week, and we need your help. If you enjoy driving and spending quality one-on-one time in a vehicle with another person, this would be an excellent volunteer position. This is a unique opportunity to build healthy relationships with our guys while helping us meet a need. If you would like more information on how to help, please email our Program Director, Ted MacVaugh, at ted.macvaugh@hopespath.org.



*If this is not a specific need you can help with, please consider an Uber gift card to help us facilitate rides that staff or volunteers cannot do. Thank you!

Uber Giftcard

Program Vehicle Need



Have an extra vehicle at home? Hope's Path **is in need of a vehicle** specifically to be used by our licensed interns! This vehicle will be designated for work transportation only. Hope's Path will provide the vehicle, and the licensed intern will help with insurance and gas. It's a **win-win** as it helps meet transportation needs while teaching valuable life skills such as paying for auto insurance and fuel. If you have a vehicle to donate or want to purchase for this purpose, please contact our Executive

Director, Brandon, for more information. brandon@hopespath.org

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