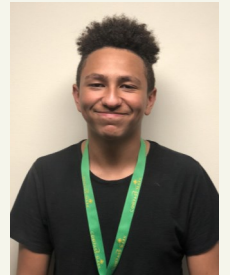


Lincoln Middle School

October 15, 2018, Lincoln Middle School began the Leaders of Future Generations Program. With eight students and seven mentors, a lot has been accomplished in these few short weeks. Working after school on Mondays and Wednesdays from 3:00—5:00 PM, the students come in ready to work! Dubbed as the “Kindness Society”, this small group of students has decided they want to confront bullying at their school with a school wide event to be held on December 13th. The day will begin with balloons and banners decorating the hallways and each student receiving a bracelet reading, “Kindness is the Kure”. As they head to their lockers, they will see notes containing inspiring messages in the hopes of creating a positive atmosphere throughout the building. During homeroom period, each student will receive a comic book the students designed which will discuss bullying and helpful tips on how they can stop it. Throughout the day, students will be encouraged to perform Random Acts of Kindness to help spread the message of kindness. The day will end with a video about bullying, created by the “Kindness Society,” being shown to all the students. The students goal is to show that bullying is something that can be eliminated by using kindness on a daily basis and sticking up for those who are being picked on. As well as planning for Kindness Day, the students have also been busy working on their leadership skills by participating in various activities which are being run by the mentors. These short eight weeks have been busy, fun and filled with lots of learning and planning!

K’sai Dotson is a student at McCaskey High School and is an outstanding mentor at Lincoln Middle School. K’sai enjoys playing baseball and videogames in his free-time and is also a part of the Benchmark Program. His favorite food is pizza and his favorite subjects are Science and Computer Science. K’sai has been a part of Future Generations for five years and his growth as a leader has grown tremendously during this time. He exhibits patience, compassion, and is a great role model for the students at Lincoln. K’sai is a tremendous asset and we are lucky to have him as part of the LFG program!



K’sai Dotson
Mentor
10th Grade

Reynolds Middle School

Jordan Moore is a senior at La Academia and a mentor at Reynolds Middle School. His favorite animal is a cheetah and his favorite food is mac-n-cheese. One of Jordan’s interest is gaming, which he even helped to start up an afterschool eSports group. Jordan has been part of Future Generations for eight years! He has grown into a respectful individual that is

inclusive and helpful, especially when guiding others to make positive choices. Jordan shows amazing dedication to the program, just another trait that makes him a fantastic mentor and role model!



Jordan Moore
Mentor
12th Grade

The first group of Leaders of Future Generations began at Reynolds Middle School on October 15, 2018. With thirteen students and five mentors, the group declared themselves the “World Helpers”. They want to take one step in seeing this world unite to help others. The students brainstormed numerous topics to address within their school and community, but their final decision was to take on the issue of youth homelessness. Through discussions, they have learned to expand their definitions of homelessness. It is not simply those living on the streets; it broadly encompasses those living in cars or hotels, those living in shelters, and those living with extended family or friends. With that larger definition in mind, the topic became more relatable and project ideas began to develop.

The “World Helpers” will create a video to share with their peers to raise awareness and provide suggestions on how others can help those experiencing homelessness. The group will also make care packages to distribute to Reynolds students that are experiencing homelessness. With a belief that everyone deserves to live a good life, they will gather and pack warm clothing, hygiene care products, and letters of encouragement. The “World Helpers” want to ensure that the recipients of these care packages know that they matter and are not forgotten!

The mentors have been amazing role models, helping to set expectations and run activities and discussions. They are taking advantage of this opportunity to further strengthen their leadership skills!



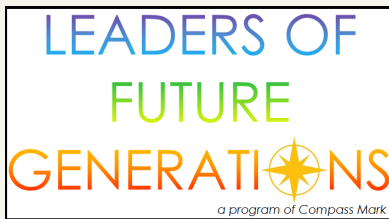
Landis Run Intermediate School

The Leaders of the Future Generations program began its second year at Landis Run Intermediate School on October 23rd with 17 eager and energized students and four mentors, and they have hit the ground running! Each day brings about new adventures including leadership activities, team building and working on their service project. This wonderful group of students has decided to call themselves "Mission Recognition" and they have big plans in store for the staff at Landis Run. On December 20th, the students hope to have the entire school show appreciation to all the staff for their hard work and dedication to the students. They plan on hosting a breakfast for the staff, creating a relaxation station, and treating the staff to a Candy Bar. They also plan to hold an award ceremony called "The Staffies" where staff will be presented with letters of appreciation from the students while live-streaming the event. "Mission Recognition" will also be working on producing a video to show during the award ceremony where students will express their gratitude for the entire staff. With so much to do, the students have shown no signs of resting! In just a 40 minute period of time, they all banded together to staple and fold 1,000 letters to send to each student in preparation for the BIG day! This is a special group of young men and women who have shown leadership qualities in the way they work together and how they respect each other! In doing so, they have shown why they were selected to be a part of the Leaders of Future Generations Program!

Jordan Trapp is a mentor at Landis Run Intermediate School. Jordan is a 7th grade student at Manheim Township Middle School and enjoys football and helping others. His favorite subject is Math and he hopes to one day play in the NFL. Jordan is always respectful, caring, helpful and is a loyal person. His smile brightens up any room! Jordan is a great mentor and is always asking what he can do to help. He takes charge and is friendly to everyone! Jordan often takes the lead in starting each meeting and has learned the names of each participant! Jordan is a great example of a good leader!



Jordan Trapp
Mentor
7th Grade



Mission Statement

Our mission is to empower youth to become strong leaders within their school and community through skill building, mentorship and service learning.

Vision

Building leaders for future generations.

Values

- Family - Forming caring relationships which will persevere over time
- Truthful Guides - Leading as role models to instill integrity, growth and leadership
- Real People - Showing compassion, being open, and having respect for each individual.
- Meaningful Work - Finding passion, forming connections, and keeping a positive attitude
- Adaptable Teamwork - Being flexible and compromising in challenging situations.



DID YOU KNOW?

LFG has five iPads! Compass Mark, in collaboration with a local insurance agency, hosted the Prevention Convention last March at Go 'N Bananas. As a result, five iPads were donated to the program and the students are using them to create comic books and videos to enhance their service projects.



UPCOMING DATES

Friendly's Fundraiser @ 1521 Oregon Pike	12/5/18 5-8pm
Last day of LFG in Lincoln Middle School	12/17/18
Last day of LFG in Reynolds Middle School	12/19/18
Last Day of LFG in Landis Run Intermediate School	12/20/18

