









National Mentoring Month January 27—January 31

SHARE WHAT YOU KNOW...MENTOR A CHILD!















"Paul Revere earned his living as a silversmith. But what do we remember him for? His volunteer work. All activism is volunteering in that it's done above and beyond earning a living and deals with what people really care passionately about. Remember, no one gets paid to rebel. All revolutions start with volunteers."

Susan J. Ellis

JANUARY 27, 2008

INSIGHT YOUTH CORPS

The INSight Youth Corps is a student-led initiative that was developed out of INShape Indiana. The INSight Youth Corps prepares and empowers high school students to provide health education within their school system, as well as design and carry out various creative health-related individual and community-based projects. The INSight Youth Corps is designed to provide experience-based learning, enhance personal and academic achievement, and build leadership skills among its members, preparing them for future success and commitment to lifelong healthy lifestyles and health advocacy.



Instruction: Promote, model, and teach healthy behaviors in mentee's schools and communities.

MENTOR FACT

Volunteers engaged in mentoring are motivated by a desire to help young people succeed (82%) and to make a difference in someone's life (76%). **WWW.MENTORING.ORG/LEADERS/FILES/FACTSHEET.PDF.** >





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"My parents are the mentors who had the greatest impact on my life by setting the example of faith, scholarship, leadership and values."

Representative Steve Buyer

JANUARY 28, 2008

BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

Cub Scouting is a year-round family program designed for boys who are about **7 to 10 years old**.* Parents, leaders, and organizations work together to achieve the purposes of Cub Scouting.

Boy Scouting is a year-round program for boys around ages **11 - 17**.* Through the Boy Scout program, young men can achieve the core objectives of strengthening character, personal fitness and good citi-



WWW.SCOUTING.ORG

Venturing is a youth development program of the Boy Scouts of America for young men and women who are around **14 through 20** years of age.* Venturing's purpose is prepare young people to be-

Commissioners are district and council leaders who help Scout units succeed. They coach and consult with adult leaders of Cub Scout packs, Boy Scout troops, and Venturing crews.





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"If I can stop one heart from breaking,
I shall not live in vain. If I can ease one life
the aching, or cool one pain, or help one fainting robin unto his nest
again, I shall not live in vain."

Emily Dickinson

JANUARY 29, 2008

STARFISH INITIATIVE

The mission of Starfish Initiative is to cultivate promising, economically disadvantaged urban youth into college-educated leaders by providing them with individual mentors, facilitating college preparatory high school careers, and offering family-focused support services. In so doing, it is the Starfish Initiative's aim to instill in each Scholar the desire to contribute to his or her community in years to come by providing assistance and leadership so the next generation might follow in their footsteps.



MENTORING FACT

Mentors Are Extremely Committed. Volunteers who are engaged in mentoring serve a median of 80 hours annually, while volunteers who do not mentor serve a median of 40 hours annually. **WWW.MENTORING.ORG/LEADERS/FILES/FACTSHEET.PDF.** >





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JANUARY 30, 2008 GIRLS SCOUTS OF THE USA

31 Days of Mentoring

My life has been shaped in more ways than I'll ever know by great people who taught, mentored and modeled for me lasting qualities of leadership, integrity and sacrifice. First and primarily were my parents Lee and Dorothy Sickal who taught by both wise and consistent words and by example, eternal values. Teachers like Louisa Bowler, Loretta Folger, and, in college, Milton Buettner made me believe I could become more than I ever could dream. Even now I am being mentored by giants like Ann Smith, who have not only a rich reservoir of experience but a global perspective that stretches and inspires me. I only hope I have returned some of what these and many others have given to me by helping to mentor the young people God has put in my life and sphere of influence.

Gloria Gaither

WWW.GIRLSCOUTS.ORG

Girl Scouts of the USA is the world's preeminent organization dedicated solely to girls—all girls—where, in an accepting and nurturing environment, girls build character and skills for success in the real world. In partnership with committed adult volunteers, girls develop qualities that will serve them all their lives, like leadership, strong values, social conscience, and conviction about their own potential and self-worth.

Girl Scouts Are Divided Into:



Daisy Girl Scouts (ages 5-6)



Brownie Girl Scouts (ages 6-8)



Junior Girl Scouts (ages 8-11)



STUDIO 2B® for girls ages 11-17





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"Growing up in a big family and a small town meant I had a lot of people who helped nurture the dreams of my youth. Apart from my Mom and Dad, there were several teachers who greatly impacted my life such as Sister Rachel, Debbie Shultz, and Dr. George M. Curtis III. To Sister Rachel, Debbie Shultz and Dr. Curtis, I owe much of what little I have been able to become in this world. I owe them a debt I shall never fully repay."

Mike Pence, United States Congressman

JANUARY 31, 2008



Trusted Partners celebrates the time and efforts of volunteer mentors and their support of individuals in need of housing.

Celebrate the Fourth Anniversary & Mentor Recognition Dinner

Thursday, January 31, 2007 at 6:30 p.m.

Immanuel Church of Christ 402 E. Prospect Street, Indianapolis IN

Featured Speaker
Mickey Maurer, Chairman
IBJ Corporation







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