

Session One of Summer Academy Day Camp Has Been a Blast!

Thank you to everyone who has helped make our 34th annual Summer Academy Day Camp a success! We've spent the past three weeks on field trips across St. Louis, including Challenger Learning Center, The Magic House, Braeutigam Orchards, and Urban Air trampoline park. We also enjoyed swim parties at SLU and at our neighbor's house (Thank you, Dr. Joe and David!).

Our 2nd session starts Monday, July 10. If you would like to sponsor a camper's adventures, please donate at www.midtownstl.org/donate.





Join Us for Midtown's Peace Parade June 28 & July 26

Once again this year, Midtown Campers will be marching down Manchester to promote peace in St. Louis. Each parade starts at 10:30 a.m. at Midtown, 1202 S. Boyle in The Grove.

We invite our supporters to throw on some sneakers and join us in our annual march. The parade concludes with a BBQ in Chouteau Park. For details, call 314.534.1180 or email nicole.plegge@midtownstl.org.



Thank You, Grimaud and Polizzi Families!

Each year, the Christopher J. Grimaud Charitable Foundation Golf Tournament raises funds for children's organizations in St. Louis and Oxford, Miss.

Thanks to the generosity of the Foundation, their sponsors, and their players, Midtown received \$25,000 to support our Family PRIDE and Youth Development programs!

We appreciate everything the Grimaud and Polizzi families do for Midtown time and time again. They are truly dedicated to serving the St. Louis community.



Get Your Team Ready!

Midtown's annual Lip Sync Battle is scheduled for Friday, October 13 at Schlafly Tap Room.

To make the fundraiser a success, we're looking for **8 more teams** to take the stage. All teams receive 2 free 45-minute rehearsals with a professional choreographer. Register by July 13 and receive a free t-shirt for everyone on your team.

For more information or to sign up, please contact nicole.plegge@midtownstl.org or 314.534.1180.



Family PRIDE

Family PRIDE has continued meeting and working with the therapists at Equal Shares Parenting who recently hosted a workshop on Parenting Styles.

We also welcomed all our parents and kiddos for pool party at Midtown to celebrate the start of summer!

Youth Development

Congrats to Teen Club Members Chris and Nina on their high school graduations! Both will be attending Forest Park Community College this fall.

Thank you so much to Steve and Patty Ackerman for providing both graduates with computers to start their college journeys!





Senior Programming

The Mamas welcomed Dr. Deanna Granger with But First You for a workshop on affirmations and continuing to provide ourselves with positive messages. They also hosted a summer BBQ before we went on a summer break.