






Bill Chong, Commissioner

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Summer Youth Employment Program

The application deadline is approaching! The application period ends Friday, April 25, 2014. All youth age 14-24 who permanently reside within the five boroughs of New York City are eligible and encouraged to apply online at www.nyc.gov/dycd

Sexual Assault Awareness Month

April is Sexual Assault Awareness Month (SAAM). The goal of SAAM is to raise public awareness about sexual violence and to educate communities and individuals on how to prevent sexual violence.

For more information, visit bit.ly/107bMbj



Out-Of-School Youth Program

The Out-of-School Youth Program (OSY) is a year-long program for low-income young people between the ages of 16 and 21 who are not working and not in school. OSY provides services to help youth upgrade their job skills and find permanent work.

OSY programs offer occupational skills training in many industries, including construction, food service, tourism, healthcare and retail, as well as assistance with job and college placement, GED preparation and support services.

To learn more about OSY and to find a program, visit www.nyc.gov/dycd



Freedom of Expression

The New York Civil Liberties Union is now taking entries for its annual Freedom of Expression Contest! Express the major civil rights issue of your generation through art.

For more information, visit: <http://www.nyclu.org/contest>



Harlem Justice Scholars

The Harlem Justice Scholars program helps formerly incarcerated young men create a successful and crime-free future.

Learn more about this and other programs by visiting: bit.ly/1glPDeC



Center of Employment Opportunities

If you are between the ages of 18-25 years old with little or no employment history, CEO has job placement assistance, college initiative programs and transitional work opportunities available.

To learn more, contact Keito Gray CBO Liaison/Outreach Specialist at 50 Broadway 18th Floor New York NY 10004 212-422-4430 x2140 or email kgray@ceoworks.org



Pre-K

The public school pre-kindergarten (pre-k) application period is now open. If you live in New York City and your child is turning four years old in 2014, it's time to start thinking about pre-kindergarten!

Visit: <http://on.nyc.gov/RB0mqD> to learn about the pre-k admissions process and program options available for your child.



LaGuardia Community College

Justice Community & Justice Community Plus offers free Work Readiness Training, Community Benefit Projects & Civic Engagement. Also help build your résumé and learn transferable job skills. You can earn up to \$300 a month and MetroCards while achieving program goals.

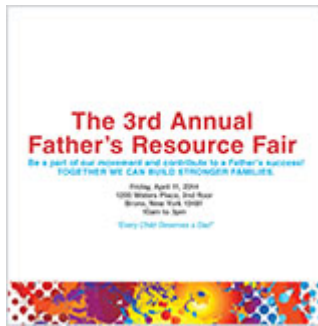
For more information, contact Vanessa Jarvis at 718-482-5171. You may also email her at vjarvis@lagcc.cuny.edu



5-Boro College Tour

Are you a youth in foster care and in the process of planning your future? Now is the time to visit NYC CUNY Colleges!

For more information on the college tour, visit <http://on.nyc.gov/1iigkDq>



Resource Fair

The 3rd Annual Father's Resource Fair. Be a part of our movement and contribute to a father's success!

Information on jobs and educational opportunities as well as health resources will be available.

Friday, April 11, 2014
1200 Waters Place, 2nd floor Bronx, New York 10461 10am to 3pm

For more information, call: 718-933-2702 or 718-319-8842.



Police Athletic League/RISE

RISE PAL's re-entry program provides previously incarcerated 16-21-year-old youth with: workshops, housing & basic living needs, group counseling, educational & GED assistance and job readiness training.

For more information, contact Charles Murrell of RISE at 212-280-4517 or email him at cmurrell@palnyc.org

Call **YOUTH CONNECT** at **1-800-246-4646**
Monday - Friday, 9 am - 7 pm
Email Youth Connect at: youthconnect@dycd.nyc.gov
Visit DYCD at: <http://www.nyc.gov/dycd>

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