

Kya's Krusade Newsletter

April - June 2009

Programs & Activities Updates

Music II Miracles: Evening of Jazz 2009

Please join us on Saturday, **June 20th from 5:30 - 9:30 pm** at **Martini Park** for an engaging evening with **The Charles Cooper Quartet** of live jazz, a silent auction, caricatures, cocktails and complimentary hors d'oeuvres from 6 - 8pm.

Proceeds benefit: Art Therapy & Financial Assistance Programs. Tickets are available through June 15th. To purchase tickets or for event information: please visit our website, www.kyaskrusade.org or call 614-750-2198.

Silent Auction Sponsors Include: Golftec, Tartan East Golf Club, Morton's, Mezzo, The Cheesecake Factory, Jazz Arts Group, Trader Joe's & Home Cafe PCS. Visit the MIIM sponsors page on www.kyaskrusade.org.

Creekside Blues & Jazz Festival Art Tent

June 19th through June 21st, Kya's Krusade will participate in the Creekside Blues & Jazz Festival with an Art Activities Tent in the children's area. In recognition of our service, Mayor Stinchcomb proclaimed June 19th Kya's Krusade Day in Gahanna, Ohio last year. Please visit us there or contact us if you'd like to volunteer!

New Board Members

We would like to welcome our two new Board Members, **Karen Smith & Ashiko Hudson!**

Kroger Community Rewards Program

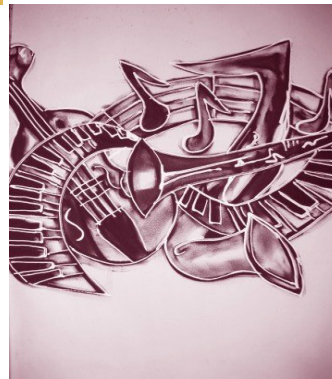
Kya's Krusade is enrolled in the Kroger Community Rewards Program. There is no cost to you and it doesn't interfere with your Plus Card savings or Fuel Rewards. Every time you use your Kroger Plus card, Kya's Krusade will earn a rebate and at the end of each quarter receive a donation from Kroger!

You can register your Kroger Plus Card on-line at www.krogercommunityrewards.com and enter our nonprofit number **83933** or name **Kya's Krusade** in the "Edit Kroger Community Rewards Information" section. We appreciate your support & consideration.



Purchase Your Tickets!

Music II Miracles



June 20, 2009

Notable Future Dates

- 6/12:** Financial Assistance Appl Deadline
- 6/13:** Art Therapy Program Committee Meeting
- 6/19:** Kya's Krusade Day
- 6/19 - 6/21:** Creekside Festival Art Tent
- 6/20:** Music II Miracles 2009
- 6/27:** Board Meeting
- 8/1 - 8/22:** Summer 2009 Art Therapy Program

All meetings are open, please join us!

Art Therapy Program

The **Spring 2009 Art Therapy Class Series** marked the 1 year anniversary of the Program. Thank you to all of our wonderful volunteers, Jennie and "Miss Diana" for another successful series. The interactive curriculum explored themes such as self-pride, environmental awareness & how you feel about yourself vs. how the outside world sees you. Projects included: Face Masks, Bird Feeders & Marble Painting.

The **Summer 2009 Art Therapy Class Series** will be held from August 1 to 22nd. The registration deadline is July 25th.

Financial Assistance Program

June 12th is the application deadline for this cycle of **Financial Assistance** for adaptive equipment, hippotherapy and physical and occupational therapy.

Special Thanks

Music II Miracles Sponsors: [Bricker & Eckler, LLP](#); [ChaseTek](#), [Art Lee Realty](#), [Virginia McLymont, Esq.](#), [Very Ideal Design & The Cookie Cop](#).

Music II Miracles Silent Auction & Program Ad Sponsors (see sponsors page on our website).

Lisa McLymont, Very Ideal Design, has been an integral part of Kya's Krusade since its inception designing the Kya's Krusade logo and designing the graphics and layouts for our marketing and event materials. We always look forward to her next innovation as Kya's Krusade continues to develop.

Kya's Krusade Ambassadors: Gina Alexander, Kendra Ford, Bonnie Lee, Chinwe McKind, Karle Senig & Lisa Tyus-Lee for their continued support and advocacy helping Kya's Krusade expand its networks.

Dr. Sheree Wenn who has enthusiastically sponsored one of the classes for the entire summer 2009 Art Therapy series.

Join our Krusade

Opportunities to Get Involved

- Creekside Blues & Jazz Festival Art Activities Tent
- Art Therapy Program
- Committee Members
- Grant Writing
- Volunteer Coordinator
- Resource Specialists
- Music II Miracles Program Ad
- Monetary or in-kind donation
- Become a Program, Event or General Sponsor

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Brandon Scott(Keyboards)
Rob Riley (Drums)
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