

# New Beginnings Are Possible Christian Youth Center

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**“It is easier to build a child than to restore an Adult.”**

*New Beginnings Are Possible, Inc. provides urban youth exposed to at-risk conditions in Milwaukee with a biblically based moral foundation to make healthy choices and become contributing members of the community.*

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**By: Brian Bauer**

This summer the kids had a fun time and got to experience a number of new activities they may have never done before. We caught a lot of fish at the Raspberry Hills Camp, we galloped away at the Johnson Ranch, roasted marshmallows around the camp fire under the stars at Camp Timber Lee, grilled hotdogs in our beautiful Milwaukee Public Parks, and learned of the many great gifts that we are so fortunate to have been given by our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

We are now looking ahead to our school year programs. We have many fun and educational opportunities prepared for our kids.



Proud fisher(wo)men after catching their first fish during the summer.

## New Year, New Adventures

**By Lola Marmolejo**

Now that the summer has passed us by, it is time to start a new year with new students. We are excited to have a new addition to our regular fall programming, Ms. Crystal Bell, who was the preteen coordinator for the summer and did a super job.

Kids have already completed the September programming, the theme of spiritual gifts, looking at how to do unto



Valerie and Grace 242 Church volunteers decorating pumpkins for the season.

others as they do unto themselves, and use the many gifts that God has given them so they can fulfill their destinies.

Our theme for October is education. A big thank you for the generous donation of 16 Lego Mindstorm kits from Jeffery Childs. The kids will add robotics to their October activities.

Also thank you to Valerie Hawkins and other volunteers at Grace 242 Church who spent a day with the kids decorating pumpkins for the upcoming holiday.

**Classifieds**

Have a story of how NBAP turned your life around? We'd love to hear it, and may include it in a future newsletter. Send it to us at:

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**Volunteer Opportunities**

If you have spare time, enjoy kids, share that time with a child in need of encouragement and be a positive role model! Assist with academic support/ homework helpers are needed. For more information how to volunteer for one of these positions please contact Lola at 414-449-1546:

**Meal volunteers**

Provide a meal monthly or weekly, prepare food at NBAP, serving meals and clean up.

Monday through Friday meals served at 6 p.m.

**Arts and crafts**

Share your skills and knowledge in arts and crafts using your creativity and having fun working alongside the staff and students.

Tuesday or Thursday flexible hours between 5-6PM

**Homework helper**

Volunteers will assist our coordinator with various youth programming activities and homework assignments.

Monday-Thurs 2:30p.m. - 6:30 p.m.

# Super Spiritual September

*By Crystal Bell*

Every month we have a theme for our programming. Our monthly theme for the month of September was spiritual gifts. During the month we studied the 10 commandments, focusing mainly on the 6th commandment, *honor thy mother, and thy father*. We discussed their roles as a child, and also of what their parents roles are, and that as children they are expected to obey the rules even if they don't totally agree with what they are.

We also had daily Bible studies, along with discussion questions about the story we read on that day. After the month was over the children had a thorough understanding of some of these Bible teachings.



Children reading the Bible, and engaged in a group discussion.

## Special Alert



**OUR KIDS NEED YOU!!!  
Your year end gift can share the love of Jesus to those youth that need him. Please visit our web-site [www.nbap.org](http://www.nbap.org), or contact Jeff at 414-449-1546.**

## 13th Annual Dinner

*By: Jeff Becton*

Thanks to everyone who helped make our 13th annual dinner a success.

Guests enjoyed an inspirational message from former Green Bay Packer, LeRoy Butler, who recalled his very first Lambeau Leap.

Also thanks to Brian Kramp from Fox6\_Studio A for over-

## Featured Student

**October 2014**



**William (17)** - has been part of our NBAP family since he was a youth and is now part of our team as an intern

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seeing the evening. Stay tuned for videos of the evening, including testimonials from our kids.



Former Green Bay Packer LeRoy Butler giving his keynote speech at our Annual Dinner.