The Sheriff’s Office

Johnson County/Mountain City Community Center

Submitted by Johnson County Mountain City Community Center

After two fun and eventful summer camps this year, the Mountain City Community Center would like to thank all its community partners and volunteers.

In mid-June, the Center hosted its annual Oak Tree Day Camp for kids ages 5-10. Five days packed with various crafts, special guests, and several pool trips, Oak Tree Day Camp provided enjoyable learning experiences for the children.

Children enjoyed assembling and painting birdhouses, meeting local patrol officers and exploring their police car, decorating their ice cream sundae, and participating in educational games with the A.C.T.I.O.N. Coalition.

In July, the Center hosted its first three-day Craft Camp. Featuring even more unique crafts with local artists, Karly Richardson taught the children “Zentangle” gel pens while Lorraine Darocha and several Quilt Guild ladies helped them decorate tote bags with fabric and stencils. In addition, the children decorated cartoon portraits of themselves with everything from feathers to petals to gems which the kids quickly labeled their “bling bag” — to batman and sea shells. Another special guest, Marie Lorraine Darocha and several Quilt Guild ladies helped them decorate tote bags with fabric and stencils.

This year’s summer camps were a huge success for children and Community Center staff. The Center would like to express its appreciation for Johnson County Mountain City Community Center Oak Tree Day Camp kids say cheese for the camera. Photo Submitted.

Communty Center celebrates recent summer camps

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COVID-19 pandemic reverses progress in fight against antibiotic resistance in U.S.

Hospitalization-related infections grew 15 percent from 2019 to 2020

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The Johnson County Sheriff’s Department has become a reality.

In the beginning stages of schools acquiring school resource officers, Johnson County had just one.

For 16 years, and as school violence steadily increased, a great need to incorporate more officers has become a reality. Chief Gladden and his team have worked diligently to make themselves visible and engaged fixtures at each school in the system.

This collaboration between the school system and the Johnson County Sheriff’s Department has been welcomed and turned out to be successful for all parties involved.

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SRO training serious business

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A.C.T.I.O.N. Coalition.

Editor

The first launched by Molly Cochran in 2014, is a “participatory art installment designed to shed light on human trafficking. Red sand draws attention to the human trafficking victims who “fall through the cracks of society” daily.

Although Tennessee has been nationally acknowledged for its efforts and improvements, human trafficking reportedly remains a significant public health concern.

In addition, the children decorated craft bags with fabric and stencils. Guild ladies helped them decorate tote bags with fabric and stencils.

An estimated 40.3 million individuals live in slavery, whether in forced marriages, forced labor, or sexual exploitation.

Cochran initiated the first Red Sand Seo Proclamation Page A4