

M.A.Y. Mentoring

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Mentoring Affects Youth

Upcoming Events

- M.A.Y. Strategic Planning Meeting; January 19; Noon; El Porton
- MC2 Towel Hockey; January 15; 5:00-7:00; High School Gym
- M.A.Y. Movie Night (details to come)
- MC2 Speaker; January 31; 7:30 a.m.; May Center

January is NATIONAL MENTORING MONTH

Passions to awaken. Dreams to achieve.
An endless sense of possibility every new year.



Each January, we advocate for mentoring, raise awareness of the need for mentoring, and come together as a community to ignite those passions and help turn those wildest dreams into reality with National Mentoring Month. We hope to share how one conversation, one experience, and one mentor can change a young person's life. Join us for exciting opportunities all month long to grow the movement and celebrate the power of supportive and meaningful mentoring relationships!

Facebook promotion for mentoring!

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- Like the "MAY MENTORING" Facebook page!
- Share it to the public AND share it with someone you think would make a good mentor!
- If you do these things, you will be entered into a drawing for a pair of "Hey Dude" shoes!

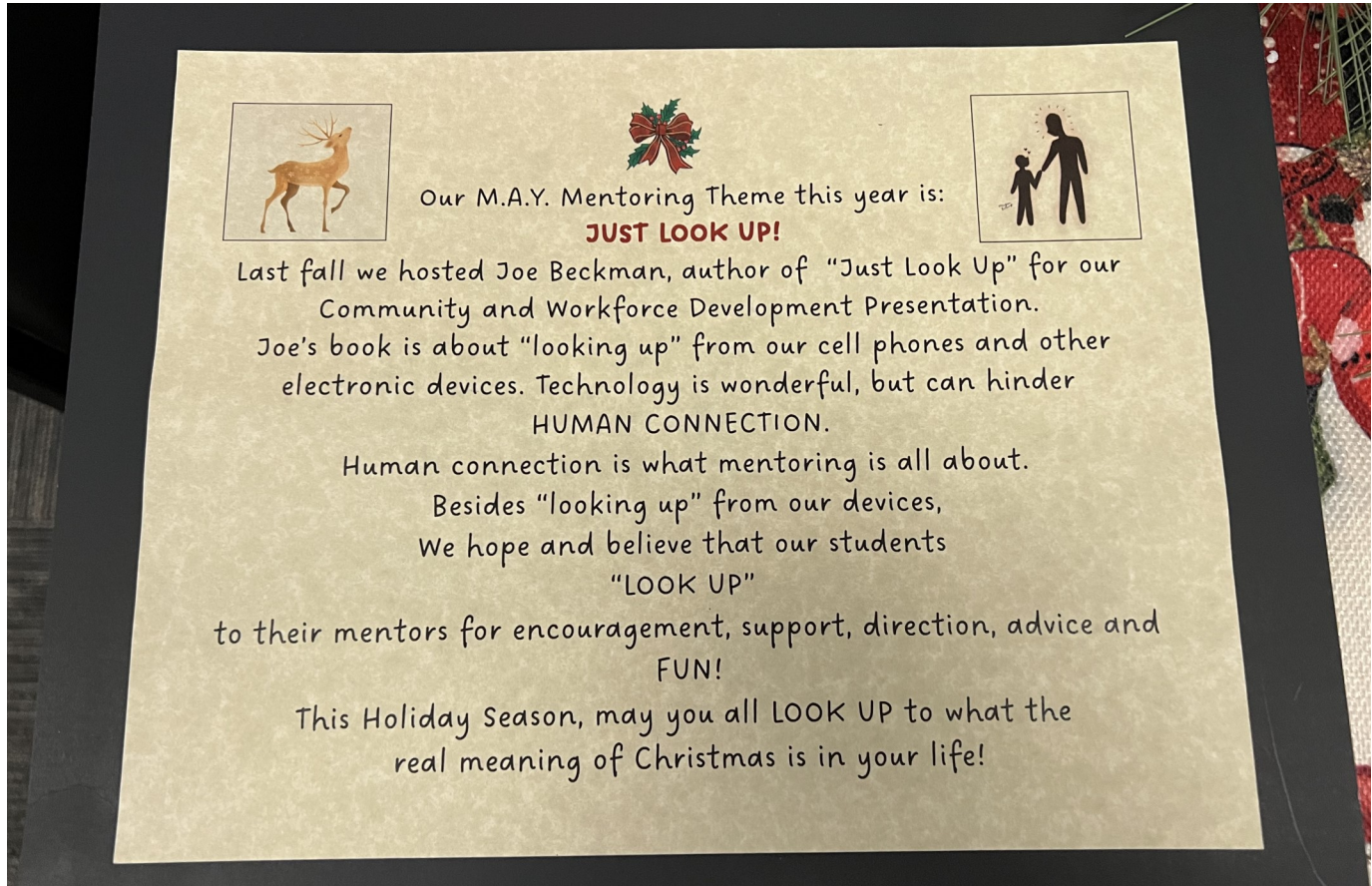


Holiday Party Pics



M.A.Y. Table at Tannenbaum Tea

You may notice the pictures at the Holiday Party were of mentees “looking up” at their mentors. This was the theme of our table at the Tannenbaum Tea along with deer “looking up” at the Christmas Tree!



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Links to LNX
e-mentoring
MC2
Mustang Mentors**

A wonderful NEW YEAR's Resolution would be to give of your time and attention to a young person!

You may be surprised what a difference an hour a week can make!

Right now we have 9 young men and 6 young women on a priority list for a mentor (more beyond that).

These students are great young people who could use, and benefit from, some a new friendship with a safe, caring adult.

It could be YOU!

WHAT WILL MATTER

by Michael Josephson

Ready or not, some day it will all come to an end.

There will be no more sunrises, no minutes, hours or days.

All the things you collected, whether treasured or forgotten, will pass to someone else.

Your wealth, fame and temporal power will shrivel to irrelevance.

It will not matter what you owned or what you were owed.

Your grudges, resentments, frustrations and jealousies will finally disappear.

So too, your hopes, ambitions, plans and to-do lists will expire.

The wins and losses that once seemed so important will fade away.

It won't matter where you came from or what side of the tracks you lived on at the end.

It won't matter whether you were beautiful or brilliant.

Even your gender and skin color will be irrelevant.

So what will matter? How will the value of your days be measured?

What will matter is not what you bought but what you built,
not what you got but what you gave.

What will matter is not your success but your significance.

What will matter is not what you learned but what you taught.

What will matter is every act of integrity, compassion, courage or sacrifice that enriched,
empowered or encouraged others to emulate your example.

What will matter is not your competence but your character.

What will matter is not how many people you knew,
but how many will feel a lasting loss when you're gone.

What will matter is not your memories but the memories of those who loved you.

What will matter is how long you will be remembered, by whom and for what.

Living a life that matters doesn't happen by accident.

It's not a matter of circumstance but of choice.

Choose to live a life that matters.

