



EMPOWERING YOUTH, MINORITIES

Shiloh Community Development, Inc.

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AND THE DISADVANTAGED

“SPEAK HOPE, SPEAK LOVE, SPEAK LIFE” (MENTORSHIP PROGRAMS LAUNCHED)
2nd ANNUAL CONFERENCE, April 24th thru April 26, 2015
Shiloh Church, 855 E. 20th Avenue
(Youth must register at scdialaska.org to participate in activities.)

CONFERENCE AGENDA

Shiloh Community Development, Incorporated’s (SCDI) 2nd annual three-day “Speak Hope, Speak Love, Speak Life” conference takes place April 24th through April 26th, 2015 in the gymnasium and conference rooms at Shiloh Church, 855 E. 20th Avenue. This year’s conference focuses on minority youth as we launch SCDI’s “Far North –My Sister’s Keeper Mentorship Program,” a comprehensive mentorship program geared especially for young girls and women of color and expand our already existing Young Lions “My Brother’s Keeper” Mentorship Program,” a comprehensive mentorship program geared especially for young boys and men of color during the conference. Both programs focus on STEM and will address persistent opportunity gaps in the areas of education, finance, economics, criminal justice and health and tear down barriers that too often prevent minority youth and other young people from realizing their potential.

FRIDAY, APRIL 24, 2015, 7 PM

The conference kicks off with the “My Brother’s Keeper” Mentorship Dinner – a powerful call to action effort on Friday, April 24th, 7 PM in the gymnasium of Shiloh. 100 minority young boys between the ages of 8-18 will be in attendance along with 100 adult male role models of color to begin the cycle of true mentorship to help young boys get and stay on track. Lt. Governor Byron Mallott will present greetings, President and CEO Jeff Kinneeveauk of ASRC Energy Services, Inc. will present the keynote and other male role models will participate.

SATURDAY, APRIL 25, 2015, 10-4 PM, Shiloh Conference Room

“The Far North My Sister’s Keeper Mentorship Program” will launch at Shiloh with workshops and activities to help address persistent opportunity gaps for girls in the areas of education, finance, economics, criminal justice and health and tear down barriers that too often prevent young girls of color and other young people from realizing their potential. A luncheon featuring various speakers including role models Senator Bettye Davis, Judge Pamela Scott Washington and other prominent women. The purpose of the luncheon is to build relationships between women of color role models and minority young girls while establishing the membership roster for the first ever mentorship program focused on girls of color ages 8-18. The “Far North My Sister’s Keeper Mentorship Program” is committed to enhancing the development of disadvantaged girls and young women of color while exposing them to the benefits and importance of leadership, college readiness, educational achievement, team-building, positive self - image, responsible personal and financial conduct, respect for self and others, cultural enrichment, forums and workshops to prevent sexual assault, and STEM education and advocacy.

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The “My Brother’s Keeper Mentorship Program,” which will join forces with the already existing Young Lions Mentorship Program with a focus on STEM will launch with workshops and activities to help address persistent opportunity gaps for

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SATURDAY, APRIL 25, 2015, 10-4 PM, Shiloh Gymnasium

COMMUNITY CONVERSATIONS: JUSTICE AND PUBLIC SAFETY; EDUCATION; HEALTH; ECONOMICS

(Check back for a complete list of presenters.)

10 AM-12PM: Justice— Police and the Minority Community –What can be done to better the relationship; Report on Crime– what’s really going on? Is Anchorage safe? What can we do to make us safer? What should our youth do if approached by law enforcement?

12-2:00 PM—Education - Where do our youth stand in the grand scheme of things? Is it time for a charter school? 90 by 2020, what does this mean and more.

2-3 PM—Health– Do you know your numbers? How to reduce your risk for cancer; health insurance—why Obama Care? Mental Health report; Suicide - recognize the signs, and more.

3-4 PM—Economics—Starting your own business; Financial stability & More!

MENTORSHIP BASKETBALL HOOP, 7 PM, Shiloh Gymnasium

MENTORSHIP BASKETBALL HOOP, 7-9 PM – Shiloh gymnasium - is an opportunity for youth to participate with role models on the same team in a “Mentorship Basketball Hoop” competition.

SUNDAY, APRIL 26, 2015, 11-3 PM

YOUTH CERTIFICATE PRESENTATIONS, Shiloh Church, 11 AM-3 PM

Special youth message delivered during service at Shiloh Baptist Church, 11 AM followed immediately by a reception recognizing youth who attended the conference. Certificates, awards and other presentations will be awarded.