SOUL: STUDENT OUTREACH UNITING LOUISVILLE

Painting, composting, gardening, organizing food donations, arranging chew toys for animals, interacting with kids, and organizing emergency packs for homeless LGBT youth in conjunction with the Lost n' Found Youth Service Project (hosted by the LGBT center) is a few projects that will keep over 800 students busy this Saturday, Aug. 22, as part of U of L's annual Welcome Week. SOUL is the university’s largest community service day of the year and provides help to 26 Louisville-area nonprofits. The program begins with lunch at noon at the Swain Student Activities Center and volunteers depart on buses to the service sites at 2:30 p.m. Most field work is done from 3:00 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. Some of the largest groups of volunteers will go to Kentucky Refugee Ministries, Louisville Nature Center, and St. Joe's Picnic for the Kids.

CURRENT HAPPENINGS

FRIDAY 8/21
- New Student Convocation & CAPS Ceremony 4:30 PM, Cardinal Arena
- Free Outdoor Movie- 9:30 PM, West Plaza

SATURDAY 8/22
- CARDnival—9:00 PM, Red Barn / West Plaza

MONDAY 8/24
- Dean of Students’ Welcome Tents

TUESDAY 8/25
- RSO Fair: 11:00—1:00PM, Red Barn
- Dean of Students’ Welcome Tents

WEDNESDAY 8/26
- Involvement Fair: 11:00—1:00 PM, West Plaza

MARKETING IN THE SAC

Did you know ....
University Departments can utilize space in the Student Activities Center to market programs and events. There are several ways to have your events spotlighted in the SAC.

- Display Tables: Interact with students during our high traffic hours by reserving a table on the 1st or 2nd floor lobbies.
- Banner Space: Indoor and outdoor banner space is available.
- TV Displays: Display your flier or a short slide to promote your major programs or events.
- Bulletin Boards: There are four bulletin boards in the SAC. Fliers must be dropped off in SAC W310 and stamped prior to being hung.

To reserve the above listed spaces visit: louisville.edu/studentactivities/forms/reservation/

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

Big Brothers Big Sisters (BBBS) works to help more children achieve higher aspirations and greater confidence through one-to-one mentoring. BBBS currently has nearly 1,000 children matched with a ‘Big.’ There are, however, more than 400 children still on our waiting list.

The Academy @ Shawnee, Noe Middle, Newburg Middle, Rangeland Elementary and Slaughter Elementary are partnering with BBBS in order to provide an in-school mentoring experience for students they have identified who would benefit from spending time with a mentor who would offer friendship and encourage academic success. The ‘Bigs’ would meet each week during the school year for an hour.

U of L students or employees interested in volunteering will attend an orientation session lasting about an hour during which the program requirements will be reviewed. Once matched, the Big Brothers Big Sisters support staff will stay in touch with the mentor and student throughout the duration of the match. We ask for a commitment throughout the school year. For more information please visit, www.bbbsky.org