

September Council Newsletter

We hope you had a wonderful summer with your friends and family. From this month, BFC council wants to share what's going on in our community. This month, we want to zoom into BCSF, our big annual youth event that took place in UTS and share the experiences by our youth and parents. Since the humble beginning at public middle school in NJ, it expanded to interstate events and some of teams come from far away states like Texas and California, also some participants are from overseas. Our New York team went through stages, also. There's a behind the scene effort made by parents to support this event. So we want to have a few interviews with parent and participants. First one is Yiru Sugihara who took the challenge of supporting NY team and brought to new level. Also she is a director of Sunday School in Belvedere Family Community (BFC) Go to (website) to read about this article.



Small Group Awareness Month

We'd like to ask you a big favour. Could you give us the information about your activities, events, small group, and etc., if you are part of it? We really want to recognize your existence, know what you are doing and let other people know wonderful things you are doing. Imagine that there are people who feel frustrated, left out, or disconnected because they just can't find support they need, likely minded people, or share joy and friendship. This is the effort to provide information for our community to connect to one another.

Please contact Kimiyo Matthews at kimiymatthews@gmail.com

We need

- Name of Group (Event/activities)
- Description of Group (Event/activities)
- Name(s) of person who are in charge
- Contact information (email and/or phone number)
- Schedule

Council Schedule

Upcoming Meetings (Location: the White House)

September 23rd from 9 am to 11 pm

October 21st from 9 am to 11 pm (tentative)

Council Retreat

September 29th to 30th at Stony Point Center

We're looking forward to sharing the experiences in Council Retreat in next council newsletter!

Note for visitors: If you have questions, feedback, or interest in attending one of council meetings, please contact us at bfc-council@googlegroups.com