

COH Youth Program: June 2022

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				<p>Case Management Appointments</p> <p>Need help with housing? Getting your SNAP benefits? Finding a job? Filling out your FAFSA? Do you have goals related to housing, employment, education, or health for which you could use some support or resources?</p> <p>If so, Alton Dueks, COH's Youth Case Manager is the person you need to see! Alton is available for case management appointments at these days/times. Contact adueks@centeronhalsted.org or 773.472.6469 ext. 459</p> <p>Mondays & Fridays: 1 pm – 3 pm Tuesdays: 3 pm – 5 pm</p>		
			<p>1</p> <p>Breakfast Drop-In & Housing Assessment CCH Outreach 10am-1pm</p>	<p>2</p> <p>Open Art & Dinner 5pm- 7pm</p>	<p>3</p> <p>Netz 1 pm – 3 pm</p>	<p>4</p> <p>Youth Pride Drumline 10 am – 2 pm</p>
5	6	<p>7</p> <p>Q Chat 6pm – 7:30pm</p>	<p>8</p> <p>Breakfast Drop-In 10am-1pm</p>	<p>9</p> <p>Youth Pride Drumline 5pm-7pm</p>	<p>10</p> <p>Netz 1 pm – 3pm</p>	<p>11</p> <p>Youth Pride Drumline 10am – 2pm</p>
12	13	<p>14</p> <p>Q Chat 6pm – 7:30pm</p>	<p>15</p> <p>Breakfast Drop-In & Legal Clinic 10am-1pm</p>	<p>16</p> <p>Video Games & Dinner 5pm-7pm</p>	<p>17</p> <p>Netz 1 pm – 3 pm</p>	<p>18</p> <p>Youth Pride Drumline 10am – 2pm</p> <p>Youth Pride Fest 12pm-6pm</p>
19	<p>20</p> <p>Closed in Observation of Juneteenth</p>	<p>21</p> <p>Q Chat 6pm – 7:30pm</p>	<p>22</p> <p>Breakfast Drop-In 10am-1pm</p>	<p>23</p> <p>Sox Pride Night 6pm-Until</p>	<p>24</p> <p>Netz 1 pm – 3pm</p>	<p>25</p> <p>Youth Pride Drumline 10am – 2pm</p>
26	27	<p>28</p> <p>Q Chat 6pm – 7:30pm</p>	<p>29</p> <p>Breakfast Drop-In 10am-1pm</p>	<p>30</p> <p>Netflix & Dinner 5pm-7pm</p>	<p>31</p> <p>Netz 1 pm – 3 pm</p>	

Workshop Descriptions

Breakfast Drop-In: Casual time to hang out, rest, and relax in the Youth Space. Get clothing items, backpacks, socks, hygiene items, snacks, hot meals, bus cards, & HIV testing too! **You can also participate in our free laundry program (email youthsvp@centeronhalsted.org for details!)**

Dinner: Come attend programming from 5 pm-7 pm and enjoy dinner with us!

Netz: It's Volleyball. We're in the Center's 3rd floor gymnasium. Socially distant fun. 8 youth max in the gym at one time!

Open Art: Use the Youth Program's button maker, jewelry making, collage materials, paint, color pencils and markers, or just color and relax!

Q Chat: Q Chat Space online discussion groups give you a safer space to meet other LGBTQ+ and questioning teens (13 to 19 years old) and discuss topics relevant to your identities and experiences. It is not a forum. It is a live chat; there is no video or audio. Everyone is chatting at the same time. It's safer because there is always a facilitator present, someone who works at an LGBTQ+ center.

When you join a Q Chat Space discussion, a facilitator will greet you. There will be some time to informally meet others who are joining the discussion. After introductions and a review of group agreements, there will be an open discussion on a designated topic and sometimes it is just open discussion. You are free to share as much or as little as you like.

Check it out and see the schedule for upcoming groups here: <https://www.qchatspace.org/>

COH Youth Program hosts QChats every Tuesday from 6 pm– 7:30. May Topics are:

- **June 7th:** Self-Care: Mindful Meditation
- **June 14th:** For Youth of Color: Being Latinx and Queer: Pulse Night of Remembrance
- **June 21st:** Self-Care: Mental Well Being
- **June 28th:** Anniversary of Stone Wall Riots

Sox Pride Night at the Ballpark: The group will enjoy the game from one of the ballpark's suites and be joined by teens from Howard Brown, players' wives and a local artist to paint/design sneakers in preparation for the upcoming Pride Parade that weekend – amongst other fun enhancements!

Video Games: Come practice your skills in Mario Kart, Super Smash Brothers, Mortal Combat, or Need for Speed! Great for first-time players to learn too!

Youth Pride Drum Line: Join Center on Halsted's Youth Drum Line, prepare to march in Chicago's Pride Parade in June, or come drum for your first time ever!

Youth Pride Fest: A new free space for LGBTQ+ you ages 13-18, socialize, food and drinks, music, dancing, giveaways counseling support and resources. Sat 6/18 Waveland & Broadway 12pm-6pm

