



Young Man with a Plan Newsletter

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“The best part of the program is connecting with others and having the mentors prepare us for the real world.”

WE ARE GRATEFUL! YMWAP appreciates the generous support we’ve received this year as we continue to grow our organization and pursue our mission *to help young men “in the middle” build brotherhood, make academic and social-emotional gains, and create success plans for sustainable futures.*



8th Grade Pilot

YMWAP has launched a hybrid in-school/after-school pilot for 8th grade students. We are extending our mentoring program into middle school to meet the needs of younger students who are experiencing more post-Covid challenges. Pictured here are some of our 8th grade students visiting YMWAP’s space for the first time.

Wakanda Forever Private Screening

Thanks to a partnership of YMWAP, Omega Psi Phi Fraternity Inc, Gamma Chapter and Omega Psi Phi, Eta Phi Chapter, YMWAP students attended a private screening of Wakanda Forever! Fundraising enabled our students to get free admission and YMWAP received a donation as well. Our young men really enjoyed this excellent film and the shared experience.



Erika Sidor Photography

NH Brotherhood Weekend

On December 2-4 YMWAP 11th and 12th graders and staff will travel to Warren N.H. for our annual brotherhood weekend. There we will enjoy the outdoors, cook meals together, play games, talk about life, and relax outside of Boston.

Please reach out with any questions. Respectfully, Jaykyri Simpson, Ed.D., Executive Director