Media Alerts for Goodwill Beginning August 5th (opportunities in the Roanoke Valley).

Included in this edition:

- YouthHQ@Goodwill Science Camp Continues Through Friday!
- Public Classes, Workshops, Job Fairs, and More Throughout the Month

Looking for a special or last-minute story? Contact us today!
We would love to brainstorm potential story ideas with you, including personal interest stories of the people we serve.

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YouthHQ@Goodwill Science Camp Continues Through Friday!

Science Camp
When: July 29 – August 9 (weekdays only) | Camp 9am – 12pm
Breakfast 8:30am | Lunch 12pm
Following camp stay for YouthHQ@Goodwill programming - Open until 6pm
Where: YouthHQ@Goodwill - 2502 Melrose Avenue, NW, Roanoke

Each day is filled with activities that will spark interest in math and science for the youth attending. The hands-on experiments and field trips are visual and provide for great photo and video opportunities.

Science Camp daily event schedule for this week is listed below.

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<td>Field Trip: VA Transformer&lt;br&gt;Hand On: What STEM Field will you choose?</td>
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Last week, students enjoyed getting to know one another, took a Field Trip to WFXR, learned about weather, and started building boats. Below are a few photos from the first week’s fun!
This year’s Science Camp is possible because of the generous support of Virginia Transformer Corp, Plastics One, and Harris Corporation. Science Camp began as a result of the vision of Virginia Transformer Corp President, Prabhat Jain. He was seeking a way to help middle school aged children living in disadvantaged areas of the City of Roanoke to develop a deep interest in math and science, resulting in improved performance in school and a desire to pursue STEM related occupations.

For more information on Science Camp, click here.

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August 7th  GoodCare Information Session  11am  Roanoke Jobs Campus
Beginner Computer Class  1pm – 3pm  Roanoke Jobs Campus
August 9th  Keyboarding Computer Class  10am – 12pm  Roanoke Jobs Campus
August 10th  Back 2 School Block Party  11am – 2pm  YouthHQ@Goodwill
August 12th  NorthStar Computer Assessment  10am – 12pm  Roanoke Jobs Campus
August 14th  Beginner Computer Class  1pm – 3pm  Roanoke Jobs Campus
GoodCare Information Session  3pm  Roanoke Jobs Campus
August 15th  Real Goodwill Tour  8:30am – 9:30am  Roanoke Jobs Campus
August 16th  Keyboarding Computer Class  10am – 12pm  Roanoke Jobs Campus
Resume Building Workshop  1pm – 3pm  Roanoke Jobs Campus

*Goodwill operates Workforce Centers for various Workforce Investment Boards in Virginia. The centers offer workshops, job fairs, and other trainings as part of the basic services provided through the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act program.

**Youth must be registered to receive programming at YouthHQ@Goodwill to attend events. Click here for more information.

About Goodwill

Goodwill Industries of the Valleys serves 31 counties and 13 cities in the New River, Roanoke, and Shenandoah Valleys. Its mission is to help people and families in our community achieve a better life through work and independence. In 2018, Goodwill assisted more than 47,000 individuals with barriers to success, helped 3,300 people find jobs in our community, and provided training opportunities that resulted in more than 1,400 credentials being earned by individuals participating in Goodwill programs. Through the end of June, Goodwill has helped more than 23,500 people in 2019. Visit www.goodwillvalleys.com for more information.