



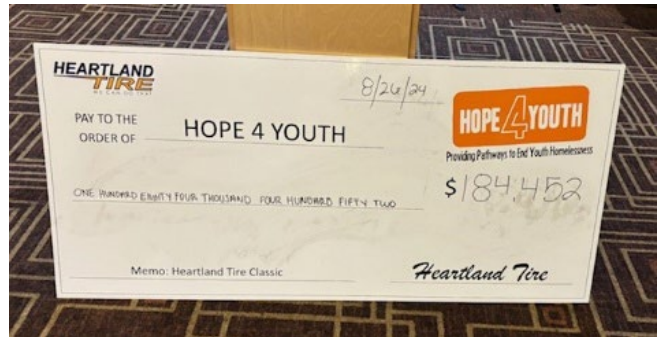
Providing Pathways to End Youth Homelessness

LaChelle's ED Update

HOPE 4 Youth August Board Update

September 1, 2024

Good-bye summer, welcome Fall! Wow what a month of momentum, events, and youth success! We saw over 100 additional youth visits in July 2024 than we saw in 2023. We have a transition of youth graduating from HOPE Place and new youth joining our program family. Things are BUSY. This was an amazing week! The Heartland Tire Golf Classic was INCREDIBLE. They raised over \$184,000 for HOPE 4 Youth. They are still tallying the exact total, but we feel so grateful for their connection to our mission. The opportunity for us to thank over 160 individuals in the room was incredible.



We are thrilled to share we received news this week regarding another gift to go toward our building fund. We plan to share details at our upcoming board meeting, but suffice it to say, it helps to close our building fund gap! How is that for a hook to tune in?

Here are a couple plugs for upcoming events, please join us where you can:

UPCOMING EVENTS

September

SEP. 15 Carlson Toyota Sunday Funday
11 AM - Food Trucks & Lots of FUN!

SEP. 20 Hunt 4 HOPE
9 AM - 9th Annual Pheasant Hunt

October

OCT. 4 The Darkest Night 4K
5:30 PM - H4Y Annual walk or run 4K!

OCT. 22 Clays 4 Youth
12 PM - Annual Sporting Clays Event

Our Open House was incredible! We welcomed nearly 20 people to our August 24th gathering to learn more about H4Y. Everyone coming through our doors continues to be inspired by the work we are doing. Keep in mind, we are happy to host personalized tours with anyone you believe would be interested in learning more; simply reach out.

Remember to order your H4Y logo clothing. We are keeping the link open until August 31st. Please see the [Link for HOPE 4 Youth clothing](#). Browse the options and order a H4Y polo, vest, or top of your choosing. The prices are at cost, so it isn't too much out of pocket if you want H4Y logoed clothing. Reach out with questions.

Other HOT topics on the horizon...

- Risk Management progress – we are ready to share our recap at the September board meeting and share our critical areas of focus as we move into mitigation.
- Building HOPE Project – We continue to explore property opportunities. We had a good meeting with Blaine economic development. More to come.
- 2025 Board Committee planning – we are underway in preparation for our 2025 committee vision. We will be bringing initial ideas for focuses to each September committee meeting. Stay tuned.
- Board 1:1 meetings – I will be setting up connections for us to talk about 2025 and how you would like to be engaged. THANKS in advance for your time.

We are focused on empowering the lives of those we serve; thank you for supporting us in the way you do. Together we are creating change – one youth at a time!