

# West Side Y Teen Center December NEWSLETTER:

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Leaders Club Teens serving their peers at the  
Gingerbread house party.

## WHAT'S GOING ON?

### December Recap:

As the year comes to a close, our teen programs wrapped up December with a festive bang! The Gingerbread House Party was a sweet success, drawing in an incredible turnout and offering our teens the chance to connect with peers from across the city. Meanwhile, Rowe hit a milestone with their second career event of the year, hosted at Morgan Stanley. Our Leaders and Scholars enjoyed a fun filled day at the bowling alley bonding with their peers. Additionally, the spirit of giving was in full swing with multiple volunteer projects at YMCA afterschool programs for elementary school students. From family showcases to the Y shop and heartwarming holiday parties, our teens also dedicated their time to a soup kitchen, spreading joy and making a positive impact in our community. Cheers to a memorable December filled with growth, connections, and acts of kindness!

### Reminders

The teen center will be on Winter break from December 25th—January 1st. Program will resume on Tuesday January 2nd

### January Plans:

We have a super jam packed start to the new year with a ton of class, service opportunities and teen events. We have our annual MLK day of service coming up on January 15th. Our teens have been working hard to collect items that they will use to make care packages for those in need. We will also be kicking off our FASFA assistance hours on January 18th. Where seniors will have the ability to start and complete their FASFA applications with our advisors.

### Important Dates:

[Rowe Scholars](#) | 1/2, 1/9, 1/16, 1/23, 1/30

[Leaders Club](#) 1/4, 1/11, 1/18, 1/25

[MLK Day of Service](#) | 1/15

[Community Service](#) | 1/17, 1/18, 1/31

[Resume Workshop](#) | 1/19

[FASFA Application Support](#)

1/16 - 1/18, 1/22 - 1/25, 1/30 - 1/31

[Ceramics For Teens](#) | 1/17, 1/24

[Movie Night](#) | 1/26

### Program Schedule:

Tuesday : Rowe Scholars

Wednesday : Teen Center | Gym

Thursday : Leaders Club

Friday : Teen Center | Gym

Please go to the next page to see photos of all of the Teen Center's teens in action at all of the December events,



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