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Latest News and Bulletin Updates

Ke-Ron J. White, Sr. | Founder - CEO

New Program Launches

Painting A Brighter Future

"Strong Castle Outreach Brings Color and Joy to the Community with New Paint Program - "Painting A Brighter Future!"

"Painting a Brighter Future Program" is a community house painting program aimed at revitalizing and beautifying homes in our target neighborhoods.

This program brings together volunteers, community members, and local organizations to provide free house painting services to eligible homeowners.

Our goal is to not only beautify our community, but also promote unity, creativity, and pride among residents.

We believe that the "Painting A Brighter Future Program" has the power to bring people together and make a positive impact on our surroundings.

Join us in this exciting initiative and let's paint a brighter future together!

To learn more or get involved, email us at office@mysco.org or call 817. 840. 5103

Follow us on Facebook, Instagram, and subscribe to MySCO.TV on YouTube to stay updated on our latest projects and events! #StrongCastleOutreach #PaintProgram #MySCO #



"Painting the community one day at a time" – KeRon White, SCO Founder / CEO $\,$



Shown In Picture Above: Strong Castle Oureach's Founder and Co-Founder and volunteers along side Citizens On Patrol "Code Blue", Fort Worth Police Officers, and Fort Worth District 11 City Councilmember - Jeanette Martinez

Myeisha Ross | Co-Founder

Local Heroes Luncheon

Support for Our First Responders

Despite a rainy afternoon, Strong Castle Outreach hosted its inaugural Local Heroes Luncheon, a heartwarming event that brought together volunteers, local businesses, and city officials to show appreciation for the dedicated men and women of the Fort Worth Police Department.

Held at the Fort Worth Police Department, the luncheon was a collaborative effort between Strong Castle Outreach, Cold Blue, Fort Worth 5 Loaves and 2 Fish Outreach, and City Council Member Jeanette Martinez of District 11. Withe over 25 volunteers came together to prepare and serve a delicious meal to our police officers, showcasing the community's gratitude for their tireless service. A special thanks goes also to member of Grace Metropolitan Church for providing necessary cutlery, plates, and food pans.

"We wanted to take a moment to express our gratitude and appreciation for all that the Fort Worth Police Department and Officers do to keep our community safe. With the hope that this small gesture brought a smile to the faces and a moment of comfort during their busy day.

We understand the sacrifices and challenges that come with serving in law enforcement, and we wanted to make sure our Officers knew that we value and respect their bravery and hard work.," said KeRon White, Executive Director of Strong Castle Outreach. "Our police officers put their lives on the line every day to keep us safe, and it's our privilege to show them how much we appreciate their dedication."

The event featured a buffet-style lunch, complete with a variety of dishes prepared by the Founders of Strong Castle Outreach. City Council Member Jeanette Martinez was in attendance, addressing the officers and expressing her support for their vital work.

"I am proud to be a part of this event and show my appreciation for the brave men and women of the Fort Worth Police Department," said Council Member Martinez. "Their commitment to our community is unwavering, and we are grateful for their service."

The Local Heroes Luncheon marks the beginning of Strong Castle Outreach's efforts to recognize and support local heroes throughout the year. The organization plans to host similar events, highlighting the important work of firefighters, emergency medical technicians, and other first responders.

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KeRon White

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KeRon J. White, SCO Founder / CEO

Strong Castle Outreach's G.I.F.T. Program

Bringing Joy and Support to Local Families in Need

Fort Worth, TX - Strong Castle Outreach's G.I.F.T. (Give. Impact. Family. Thrive) Program aims to demonstrate its commitment to supporting local families in need, distributing over 500 essential care packages and allocated recourses to those who need it most.

The G.I.F.T. Program, launched in late 2023, aims to provide critical resources and support to families struggling to make ends meet. Through generous donations and volunteer efforts, the program will be able to distribute care packages containing essential items such as food, toiletries, clothing, and household goods.

"We are thrilled to see the impact of the G.I.F.T. Program in our community," said KeRon White, Founder and Executive Director of Strong Castle Outreach. "Our goal is to not only provide temporary support, but also empower families to thrive and break the cycle of poverty."

Recipients of the care packages include families facing financial hardship, homelessness, and other challenges. The program's focus on providing both physical and emotional support has made a tangible difference in the lives of those served.

"I was struggling to make ends meet and provide for my family," said Maria, a single mother of three who received a care package. "The G.I.F.T. Program's support has been a blessing, helping us get back on our feet and giving us hope for a brighter future."

Strong Castle Outreach relies on donations and volunteer support to continue the G.I.F.T. Program's vital work. Those interested in contributing can visit the organization's website or social media channels for more information.

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Shown In Picture Above: SCO Board Member, Co-Founder, and Volunteers with homless mother.



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KeRon White, SCO Founder / CEO

The Power of Volunteering

Making A Difference in Our Community

Volunteering is a selfless act that not only benefits those in need, but also has a profound impact on the volunteers themselves. By dedicating their time and energy, volunteers can make a significant difference in their communities, and in return, experience personal growth and fulfillment.

Benefits of Volunteering:

- Giving Back: Volunteering provides an opportunity to give back to the community, helping those who are less fortunate or in need.
- Personal Growth: Volunteering can help build confidence, develop new skills, and foster empathy and compassion.
- Networking: Volunteering offers a chance to meet like-minded individuals, make new connections, and expand social networks.
- Health Benefits: Studies have shown that volunteering can have a positive impact on mental and physical health, reducing stress and increasing overall well-being.
- Fun and Rewarding: Volunteering can be a fun and rewarding experience, providing a sense of purpose and fulfillment.

Stacy White, SCO Board Member

The Power of Volunteering cont....

Making A Difference...

Volunteering is a powerful way to make a positive impact in our communities, while also experiencing personal growth and fulfillment. By dedicating our time and energy, we can help create a ripple effect of kindness and compassion, making the world a better place for everyone.

So, find a cause that resonates with you and get involved – volunteer today!



Shown in Above Picture: Co-Founder Myeisha Ross and SCO volunteer Alex Zubia standing together making a difference

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Romona Ross, SCO Volunteer

Partnerships With SCO

Building the Community Together



Shown in Above Picture: Founder and Co-Founder of SCO and Fort Worth District 11 City Councilmember - Jeanette Martinez

"Building Bridges Through Community Partnerships"

Strong Castle Outreach, a non-profit organization dedicated to empowering families and strengthening neighborhoods, has been making waves in the community through its innovative approach to partnerships.

By collaborating with local businesses, organizations, and individuals, Strong Castle Outreach is tackling social issues and creating positive change in the lives of those they serve.

The Power of Partnerships:

Strong Castle Outreach understands that no one organization can do it alone. That's why they've made partnerships a cornerstone of their approach. By working together with others, they're able to leverage resources, expertise, and networks to achieve far more than they could alone.

"We believe that partnerships are the key to unlocking real change in our community," said KeRon White, Executive Director of Strong Castle Outreach. "By working together, we can pool our resources and expertise to make a much greater impact than we could alone."

Partnership Highlights:

- Food for Thought: Strong Castle Outreach has partnered with local food banks and pantries to provide essential groceries to families in need.
- Housing Support: They've teamed up with local housing organizations to offer assistance with rent, utilities, and other essential services.

- Education and Job Training: Strong Castle Outreach has partnered with local educational institutions and job training programs to provide opportunities for skill-building and employment.
- Health and Wellness: They've collaborated with healthcare providers to offer access to medical care, mental health services, and wellness programs.

Through their partnerships, Strong Castle Outreach is building a brighter future for families and neighborhoods in need. By working together, they're creating a web of support and resources that will have a lasting impact on the community.

Visit www.mysco.org to learn more.



Shown in Above Picture: Co-Founder of SCO and Founder of Fort Worth 5 Loaves and 2 Fish Outreach



Shown in Above Picture: Community guest attending an Easter event with the Fort Worth Police Department and Strong Castle Outreach. Stephanie Roberson, SCO Board

The Power of Giving

Why Donating Matters

Donating to charitable causes is a selfless act that can have a profound impact on individuals, communities, and society. By giving our time, resources, and energy, we can help create positive change and make a difference in the lives of those who need it most.

Why Donate?

- 1. Support a Cause You Care About: Donating allows you to support causes that align with your values and passions, helping to address social issues and promote positive change.
- 2. Help Those in Need: Donating provides essential support to individuals and families facing challenges such as poverty, hunger, and homelessness.
- 3. Strengthen Communities: Donating helps build stronger, more resilient communities by supporting local organizations and initiatives.
- 4. Personal Growth: Donating can foster a sense of purpose, empathy, and compassion, leading to personal growth and development.
- 5. Tax Benefits: Donations to eligible organizations can provide tax deductions, reducing your taxable income.

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Shown in Picture Above: Strong Castle Outreach Masquereade Gala Invitation Art.

Unmasking Hope

SCO Masquerade Gala Fundraiser Shines Bright



Ke-Ron J. White, Sr Founder and CEO Strong Castle Outreach

"Empowering other isn't just another a mission, it's a movement. So, join us in breaking down barriers and building bridges to a brighter future.

Together we can create a world where every individual has the strength to rise and courage to thrive." Funds raised from the Masquerade Gala will directly support Strong Castle Outreach's programs, including:

- G.I.F.T Program
- Painting A Brighter Future
- Youth Summer Camps
- Community Development Projects

On a night filled with mystery and enchantment, Strong Castle Outreach's Masquerade Gala Fundraiser will bring together a sea of masked supporters, united in their quest to empower families and strengthen neighborhoods. The highly anticipated event, to be held on November 16th, 2024, will be a resounding success, raising crucial funds for the organization's vital programs and services.

As guests arrive, they will be transported to a world of elegance and intrigue, donning elaborate masks and formal attire. The atmosphere to be electric, with anticipation building as attendees mingle and bid on exclusive auction items. The evening's program is set to kick off with a warm welcome from Executive Director, KeRon White, who will emphasize the significance of the event in supporting the organization's mission.

Highlights of the evening will include:

- A sumptuous dinner, expertly prepared by the founders and caterers.
- A live auction, featuring unique experiences and luxury items
- A raffle, with prizes
- Musical entertainment, provided by SCO
- A photo booth, where guests could capture memories of their masquerade moments

Throughout the night, attendees will show their generosity, bidding enthusiastically on auction items and donating to support Strong Castle Outreach's initiatives. The event's success will be a testament to the power of community and the organization's dedication to creating positive change.

As the night drews to a close, guests depart, their masks removed, but their commitment to the cause will still shine bright. The Masquerade Gala Fundraiser shall be a triumph, and Strong Castle Outreach will extend its heartfelt gratitude to all who plan to attend, donate, and support this unforgettable event.

Together, we can continue to unmask hope and build a brighter future for our communities.

Upcoming Events for 2024

Saturday, May 18th - Annual Community Food and Clothing Giveaway

Saturday, June 22nd - Community Movie Night

Saturday, July 20th - Annual Back to School Bash

Saturday, October 19th - SCO Community Fun Festival

Saturday, December 21st - Children's Toy Giveaway

Ways to Donate

- 1. Financial Donations: Monetary gifts to charitable organizations, supporting their programs and services.
- 2. In-Kind Donations: Donating goods, services, or expertise to support causes and organizations.
- 3. Volunteerism: Donating time and energy to help organizations and individuals in need.