



Jericho Project's Quarterly Newsletter

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Recap: Celebrate 2023! 40 Years of Hope and Homes



We are thrilled to share the tremendous success of our recent Celebrate! 2023 gala and award ceremony. This remarkable event, held just a week ago, was a testament to the collective efforts of our dedicated Jericho Staff, who tirelessly work towards making a significant impact in the lives of the

individuals we serve. The gala raised over \$500,000, funds that will be instrumental in providing hope and homes to those in need. The memories of this unforgettable evening will forever inspire us as we continue to work towards creating a better future for those facing homelessness.

We invite you to take a glimpse into the gala by browsing through the captivating photos we have included. Each image showcases the spirit of unity and compassion that filled the room, serving as a powerful reminder of the positive change we can accomplish when we come together. Thank you for your unwavering support and dedication to our mission. Only together, can we make a profound difference in the lives of individuals experiencing homelessness.

To our incredible guests at Celebrate: 2023: 40 Years of Hope and Homes, we would like to extend our heartfelt gratitude for attending the event. Your presence contributed to making it a memorable and successful event! We would now like to invite you to share your feedback by participating in our post-event survey. Please see the link below to access the survey.

[Click Here to View All Photos Here](#)

[Share Your Thoughts on Celebrate!23](#)

Logan Fountain Groundbreaking Ceremony



On December 14, Hudson Companies, Jericho Project and HELP USA joined partners and elected officials to break ground on Logan Fountain - a new mixed-use development, supportive and affordable residence and shelter, in East New York. When complete, the eastern wing will create

174 new affordable apartments, including 105 supportive housing units for formerly homeless individuals. On-site services are provided by the Jericho Project and are funded by the New York City Department of Health and Mental Hygiene's (NYC DOHMH) NYC 15/15 program. Building amenities include a fitness room, landscaped common courtyard with a children's play area, multiple terraces with a garden area, bicycle storage rooms, and laundry rooms.

Logan Fountain Press
Release

Meet Our New Chief Program Officer



We are so excited to announce the addition of our new Chief Program Officer, Kenya Evans-Pinckney. As CPO, Kenya will be overseeing Jericho's senior program staff and 600 units of supportive housing and services. Kenya has 15 years of deep expertise of mental health and non-profit management. She is trained in evidenced-based treatment models and has worked as a licensed psychotherapist providing individual and group counseling to children and adults with mental health and substance abuse diagnoses. Learn more about Kenya and her work in the press release linked below!

JPAB March Madness Turnout

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We are excited to announce that Jericho Project's Associate Board's March Madness fundraising event was a success! This year, JPAB was able to raise \$25,356 – surpassing their \$25,000 goal – making March Madness their most successful fundraiser to date! If you participated, please keep an eye out for tourney updates via email and click on the link below to follow JPAB's official Instagram page for more updates and future events!

Prizes:

- 4 Tickets to a New York Giants Football Game - **\$460 value**
- Gift Certificate for Dinner @ Odeon in TriBeCa - **\$250 value**
- Glass House New Canaan Experience - **\$270 value**
- Old School/New School Wine Package - **\$300 value**
- Rare Illegal Mezcal & Signed 'Holy Smoke, It's Mezcal' - **\$200 value**

Follow JPAB on Instagram!

Anthony Avenue Building Progress



There are some exciting news regarding the progress of the renovations at Anthony Avenue! The team working on this project is currently making significant strides in working through obtaining a Temporary Certificate of Occupation and scheduling inspections, with a target of achieving a TCO at the 1842 property by early June. During a recent punch list walk through, the units were found to be in excellent condition, which is a affirmation to the hard work and dedication of the team. Although there is still some construction work remaining in the lower level, rear yard, and exterior/interior lifts, the delivery of the DEP-approved gravel and the imminent start of the concrete pour and rubble foundation work are positive indicators that the project is on track.

Additionally, the Con Edison gas meter installation and permanent power are expected to be completed in the next two weeks, which is an excellent step forward.

We're excited to see the final product of the Anthony Avenue project!

Recent Grants Awarded to Jericho Project

Bank of America Charitable Foundation gave in support of our Workforce Opportunities Program (WfO). This grant will be used to strengthen the program, which utilizes an individualized approach in helping Jericho clients and residents achieve their professional goals. WfO programing is comprised of workshops, training, referrals to educational courses, job search assistance and much more.

BlackRock Charitable Foundation also awarded Jericho Project a grant in support of our Workforce Opportunities Program (WfO). WfO provides services to more than 60% of Jericho Project's residents. On average clients who participate in the Workforce Opportunities program have an hourly wage of \$17.25 for full-time employees.

Eugene and Theresa Lang Foundation awarded Jericho Project a grant this June. These funds will also be used for general support of Jericho Project's programs and initiatives. To read more about our programs and services, click [here](#).

TD Charitable Foundation awarded Jericho a grant in support of our Healthy Jericho Program. The Healthy Jericho Program is a vital initiative that provides our residents with healthcare workshops and connects them to quality healthcare resources. It is extremely important that our residents not only have access to housing, but programs that enable them to live healthy, fulfilling lives.

HUD Grant Press
Release

TD Bank Press
Release

Horticultural Therapy Update



We have some exciting news to share about the recent Horticultural Therapy

Update provided by Jonathan Castro and Allandra-Marie Mc Eachrane!

Just over a month ago, the team built elevated raised beds at our Walton and Kingsbridge Terrace residences, and planted a variety of vegetables, fruits, and herbs. The raised beds are designed to be accessible for tenants with physical limitations, such as those who use walkers or wheelchairs, allowing them to fully participate in the project. The team has managed to cultivate tomatoes and strawberries, as well as a variety of other fruits and vegetables. Additionally, some radishes are expected to be ready for harvest in just two short weeks.

Jonathan and Allandra have done an excellent job of bringing this project to life, and we are proud to have them on our team!

Other Ways to Give

Corporate Gift Matching

Making Your Gift Go Further

Many companies have programs through which they will “match” the charitable contributions made by their employees, doubling – or even tripling – your support to Jericho Project.

Check with your company’s Human Resources office to see if they offer gift matching. If your employer does offer this program, your Human Resources department should provide you with a matching gift form to send to Jericho Project along with your donation.

Complete your company’s form and mail it with your donation to:

Jericho Project
Attn: Development Office
245 West 29th Street, Suite 902
New York, NY 10001

Donations of Stock

Making a gift of appreciated securities to Jericho Project is simple and can offer you a number of financial benefits.

Email devcom@jerichoproject.org for instructions on how to donate stocks to Jericho Project.

Memorial Gifts

Contributions made in memory of a special person are an important way to honor loved ones. Please include the name(s) of those to be honored. Please contact our Development Office for information on the criteria to name a Jericho room, garden or residence in honor of a loved one.

Contact Us

To learn more about any of these donation options, please contact our administrative office at (646) 642-2341.

All contributions and gifts to Jericho Project, a nonprofit organization recognized as tax-exempt under Internal Revenue Code section 501 (c)(3), are tax-deductible to the extent allowed by law.
Our Tax ID number is 13-3213525.

Other Ways to Get Involved

Tailored Corporate Events

Engage your employees in meaningful corporate volunteer opportunities at Jericho residences! Some ongoing events include our Financial Literacy Workshops and a Horticultural Therapy Program. By sharing their knowledge, volunteers can empower individuals and enhance their own communication and leadership abilities through the workshops.

Individual Volunteering

Please see the Volunteer Here! button below to find our Volunteer Submission Page.

Internship Opportunities

Jericho Project welcomes interns year-round in both our administrative office and different program sites. Jericho Project internships are typically paid. Please see the Internships button be

Jericho Project Associate Board- JPAB

The Associate Board of Directors is a collection of young professionals who support Jericho's mission to end homelessness in New York City. The Associate Board contributes to Jericho's mission of ending homelessness in New York City through volunteerism, fundraising and networking.

Associate Board Members enjoy exclusive benefits including fun social opportunities with other young professionals and volunteer opportunities. Associate Board Members enjoy exclusive benefits including fun social opportunities with other young professionals and volunteer opportunities.

Learn more by clicking the JPAB button below!

Jericho Project Board of Directors

Jericho Project's Board of Directors, a 21-member body, is comprised of volunteers dedicated to our mission – many of whom have engaged with Jericho for 10+ years. They're deeply committed to raising funds and awareness for the organization. Contributing time and expertise to help lead us, our Board is critical to maintaining Jericho's forward-thinking momentum.

Learn more in the Board of Directors button below!

Job Openings

Jericho is dedicated to recruiting and retaining highly qualified and motivated employees. In calendar year 2021, after polling our staff, Jericho received the following response rates to the questions below:

1. I have positive working relationships with co-workers (strongly agree/agree)= **94.87%**
2. I make a difference (strongly agree/agree)= **92.31%**
3. I feel respected by other employees (strongly agree/agree)= **92.10%**
4. My job affects the lives or work of other people (strongly agree/agree)= **90.91%**
5. I like my job – the work that I do (strongly agree/agree)= **87.18%**
6. I feel my work/job is valued (strongly agree/ agree)= **83.11%**

See the Employment Opportunities button below to see our current job openings!

[Volunteer Here!](#)

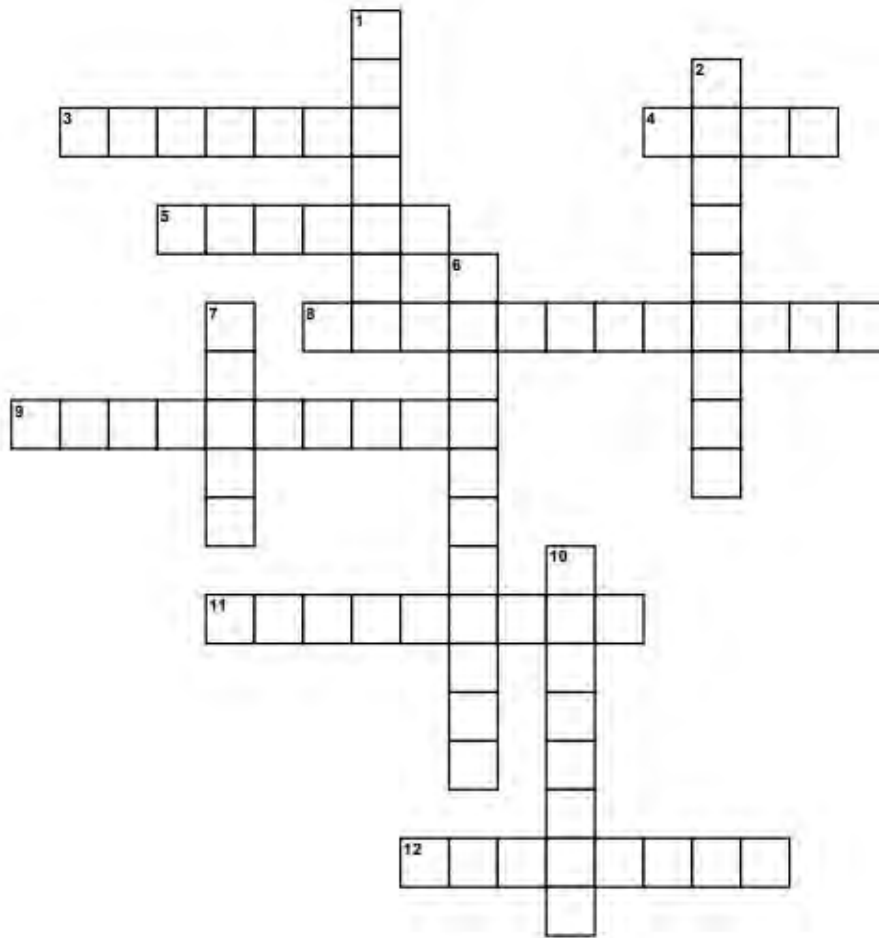
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Jericho Crossword Puzzle

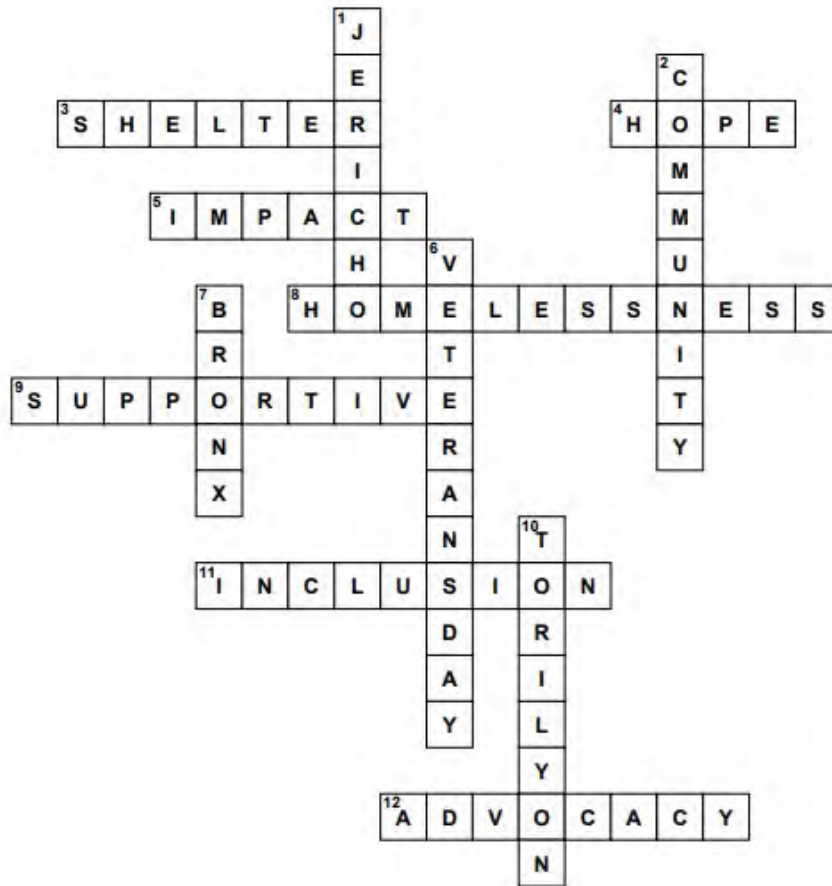


Across

- [2] A feeling of optimism and expectation for positive outcomes, especially during challenging or difficult times.
- [3] A gender-neutral name of Arabic origin. It translates from Arabic to mean “city of the moon.”
- [8] A group of people who share common interests, goals, or characteristics and come together to support and interact with one another.
- [10] The significant and lasting effect or influence that actions, efforts, or initiatives have on individuals, communities, or society as a whole.
- [11] Jericho Project's mission: Ending _____
- [12] Two words. Jericho Project's CEO


Down

- [1] A place that provides temporary housing and protection for individuals experiencing homelessness or displacement.
- [4] The practice of ensuring that all individuals are respected, valued, and provided equal opportunities to participate and contribute within a community or society.
- [5] Type of housing provided by Jericho Project
- [6] Two Words. Jericho Project participates in the celebration of this holiday in honor of some of our residents.
- [7] Active support or promotion of a cause, policy, or group to bring about social or systemic change.
- [9] Borough where most Jericho housing residences are located



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