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#### **Mission Statement**

"The purpose of OMI is to instill resiliency skills through education and developing life skills to "at-risk" youth in hopes that they will become productive members of society.

To provide opportunities that will focus on the entire mind, body, soul and spirit."

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**Celebrate Youth!** 

Do you know an outstanding youth in your community? Are they innovative? Do they make a difference in their community? Nominate them for our spotlight section. Go to our website at <a href="nywusa.com">nywusa.com</a>, email us at <a href="info@nywusa.com">info@nywusa.com</a>, or post a photo or video on instagram @nywusa.

### National Youth Week Visits Austin!

Last month some of the team came to Austin to attend the

Outlier Podcast
Festival. We had
young people
travel from
Atlanta to
Dallas to
represent
National Youth
Week and our
mission to
reduce youth
homicide and



suicide. The conference lasted for two days and the team got to meet podcasters from all over the country and share the mission of National Youth Week with them. Zech from New Jersey said he "felt very honored to be given this opportunity and to be able to be apart of something so prominent in society today and to have the ability to meet the mayor." Zoey from Dallas said "we were the only vendor there so we were definitely the center of attention. Our mission was surely achieved. We also got to have a day of fun seeing the beautiful city of Dallas." "There are so many things that made this trip one of the best weeks of my life", said Paris from Atlanta. Also from Atlanta, Maddie said "this trip gave me the opportunity to enhance my communication skills and help me to connect with others while talking about National Youth Week."

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#### **Achieve Water!**

We are excited to announce we are making history once again by launching our own water line. Achieve Water! Under our pillar achievement we believe small steps lead to great things so we are excited to have the Achieve Water. This will be used to sell in stores, at events, and all proceeds will go to our brand new scholarship fund we like to call "Achieve". We will be giving our five \$1,000 scholarships next year on June 20, 2020 and the end of National Youth Week 2020!

#### **Note From President**

If you suffered a loss or someone has hurt you, you are only free to fulfill your destiny by staying in a state of forgiveness.



## National Youth Week Kickoff!

Today kicks off National youth Week! We have four pillars. Teamwork,

Community
Service,
Achievement, and
Innovation. There
are so many ways
to get involved.
For example, you
could host an
innovation lab, or
an achievement
celebration, ask an
adult what
Teamwork means

to them, get

involved with



community service, and volunteer by going to a local food pantry and supporting them.

### **Project Amazon**

Did you know you could be making a difference in the lives of our youth while you shop? Amazon has a program that will support our mission. Go to <a href="mailto:smile.amazon.com/ch/223728215">smile.amazon.com/ch/223728215</a> and Amazon will donate a portion of your purchase to National Youth Week!

### Make this Father's Day extra special

Find the perfect gift at **smile.amazon.com** and Amazon donates.

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