

JA NEPA News

It's Back to School Time!

As schools kick off the new school year, Junior Achievement will be piloting the new College Connection Program and several YES! (Your Economic Success) programs that will run in Luzerne and Lackawanna County school districts this fall. Read on to see what we have accomplished this summer and what we're looking forward to this school year!

JA College Connection Program

This fall Junior Achievement is launching the new College Connection Program! Local college students will deliver JA programs to middle and elementary school students for credit, service hours, or other requirements they need to complete their degree! Thank you to King's College and University of Scranton students for volunteering to deliver the YES! Program to students this fall!



American Rescue Plan Funding

We are extremely grateful to be one of the recipients of American Rescue Plan funding! This will help broaden our efforts to re-engage students with the learning process post-pandemic and connect what they are learning in schools with their future success. Thank you to the Luzerne County Council for your support! We look forward to bringing impactful learning experiences to the students at



YES! (Your Economic Success) Programs

We are excited to launch our YES! programs for the 2023-24 school year! We already have five schools scheduled and are looking for volunteers! If you would like to help shape young minds and deliver this one-day, morning program to middle school students, please sign up below!

G.A.R Memorial Middle School:

October 11th

Wyoming Valley West Middle School:**October 18th**

West Scranton Intermediate School: **November 15th**

Dunmore Middle School: **December 15th**

Old Forge Junior High School: **February 9th**

Hazleton Area and all districts in Luzerne County!

Click on the link below to learn more.



Learn More

Sponsor Spotlight



We would like to extend a heartfelt THANK YOU to Williams Energy Company for their generous support of JA programs like the Inspire Career Discovery Experience and the YES! (Your Economic Success) Program! This investment in Junior Achievement will help us bring these immersive learning experiences to more middle and high school students in our region!

News story on YES!

Volunteer Sign-Up Form

Inspire Career Discovery Event



Mark your calendars for April 16th and 17th, 2024!

We are very excited to hold our 2nd annual Inspire Career Discovery Event on April 16th and 17th! We have expanded to a two-day event to engage even more high school students in hands-on, experiential exhibits with local companies to expose them to career opportunities, create connections, and help inspire them toward a pathway for future success.

Day with JA SCPA

In August, we visited our friends from Junior Achievement of South Central PA to build kits for our upcoming YES! programs. We were blown away by how much time and effort JA SCPA spent to help us prepare for this school year. We are truly grateful for their support and guidance!



Interested in Volunteering?

Volunteer for our Upcoming YES! Programs

Are you, or anyone you know, interested in



volunteering with JA this upcoming school year? Click the link below to fill out our Volunteer Sign-Up Form. Select a school and date that works for you and join us to bring this immersive learning experience to young people! For any questions, contact Ariah Saeed ariah.saeed@ja.org

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