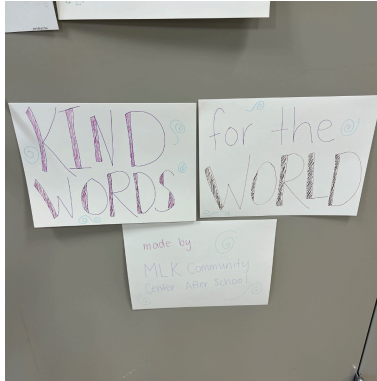




DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. COMMUNITY CENTER

January 24, 2025

After School Kids Use Kind Words to Inspire Community



Last week our kids in After School worked on a project to empower our community. "Kind Words for the World" celebrates Dr. Martin Luther King's Legacy. They chose a powerful word and created a piece of art to hang in our community room.

Their projects came out beautifully! They are on display for those who participate in our Warming Center, Breakfast programs, and all other programs taking place in our community room.



Thank You Sardella's and Imbriglio's ... and you!

We were thrilled to see so many of you dined at [Sardella's](#) and [Imbriglio's](#) for Cuisine for a Cause last weekend. Your support made it possible for the restaurants to donate . \$12,565!

We are so grateful to restaurateurs Richard Sardella, shown here presenting the donation, and Patrick Fitzgerald for their generosity.



AARP Tax Aide at the MLK

Tax season is upon us again and so is AARP's free tax prep services at the MLK! **Tax Aide will be available from 10:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. every Friday from February 7 to April 4.**

These services are **appointment only**, so please contact our community programs manager, Erin Patel, to register.

Email: epatel@mlkcenter.org

Phone: 401.846.4828 ext. 124




FREE DROP OFF TAX PREPARATION SERVICE


AARP Foundation Tax-Aide offers free tax preparation to anyone of any age - especially if you are 50 or older or can't afford paid tax preparation

Fridays 10:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
February 7 - April 4
Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Community Center
Edward St. Entrance

Appointment Required

Contact Erin Patel

 (401) 846-4828, ext. 124

 epatel@mlkccenter.org

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Food Shack Will Sponsor Next MLK Friends Dinner

Join us at the Center on **Wednesday, January 29 from 5:30 - 6:30 p.m.** for our monthly MLK Friends Dinner. Food Shack is sponsoring a delicious meal and we are so excited for the menu!

Food Shack will be making their classic rice bowls with your choice of black beans, grilled chicken, or Kalua pulled pork with BBQ, teriyaki, or sweet chili sauce.

We hope to see you for a fun evening and a fantastic meal!



MLK Friends Dinner

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Enjoy a sit down meal with friends and neighbors. First come, first served.

Le invitamos a que se sienten con nosotros y disfrute de una cena entre amigos. Por orden de llegada.

For more information, email Erin Patel at epatel@mlkccenter.org or call 401-846-4828 x124

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You're Pasta-tively Amazing!

Thank you so much to everyone who's donated to the pantry! It's been such a big help.

One last call for Pasta! **We receive donations Monday – Friday 8:30 – 5:00 at the Loading Dock. Ring the bell at the Donations and Deliveries door and we'll be glad to receive your donation.** Thank you! Every box is needed and welcome!

Remember, if you don't have time to shop or stop by, you can give to the food pantry and we will go out and do the shopping for you! **There's always a way for you to make a difference here at the MLK. [Just click here!](#)**



Give to the Food Pantry

Join Our Team!

We are hiring in our education programs! We are looking for an Assistant Preschool Teacher and a Summer Camp Counselor.

[Click here](#) for Preschool Assistant Teacher job description details.

[Click here](#) for Summer Camp Counselor job description details.

Email jobs@mlkcenter.org to apply!



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WE ARE HIRING!

**OPEN
POSITIONS:**

- PRESCHOOL ASSISTANT TEACHER
- SUMMER CAMP COUNSELOR

*email us your cv at
jobs@mlkcenter.org*

Learn 365 Educators Coming Together at the MLK

The MLK hosted Newport’s Learn 365 Professional Development for partner agencies on Saturday, January 11. MLK, Newport School’s Child Opportunity Zone, and the Boys & Girls Club staff participated in the four-hour program. Newport Councilor Xay and Newport Public Schools Superintendent Colleen Burns Jermain attended.



Beep! Beep! Here Comes the Mobile Food Pantry!



Here's next week's Mobile Food Pantry Locations:

Tuesday 1/28/25:

West House, 417 Forest Ave, Middletown, RI 12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Thursday 1/30/25:

Apple Creek Apartments, 700 Windwood Dr., Tiverton, RI 12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m.

All are welcome. You do not need to reside in the neighborhood to use the Mobile Food Pantry. Please remember to bring your reusable bags

PROGRAM CALENDAR

[Download January calendar Here](#)

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