



# Agape Community Center

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*Your Neighborhood Community Center*

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### Contact Us

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## What are your kids doing this summer?



Why not create some great summer memories for them? Agape Community Center is planning for an exciting, fun-filled Summer Youth Program! We offer 119 children, ages 4-12, an opportunity to participate in seven weeks of non-stop fun at our "day camp" program, provided right on site at Agape Community Center. Summer Youth Program starts June 30 and goes until August 15. This is a great way for your

child or grandchild to have a fun and safe summer!

Participants enjoy a wide variety of field trips, weekly swimming trips, daily arts and crafts, games and sports, song and dance, and exciting activities during each "themed" week of camp. They receive a delicious and nutritious lunch each day. Trained camp counselors work in small groups on activities based on age and ability. Agape Community Center is a licensed day care provider for Summer Youth Programming. Agape Community Center's Summer Youth Program is so popular, it generally has a waiting list.

That's why we are offering an "early bird" sign up opportunity for parents on **April 26, 2008, 10 am-1 pm**. Bring a copy of immunization records and proof of income.

You can help create memories that last a life time for your children or grand children. Sign up for wonderful summer opportunities

available, right here in our neighborhood. Summer Youth Program fees are based on a sliding fee scale, so it's affordable to everyone! Our May sign up date will be **May 14th from 10:00am to 1:00pm**. Bring a copy of your child's/children's immunization records and proof of income. You can also call our Summer Youth Program coordinator, Ms. Janeen, at 464-4440 ext. 225, for more information.



## Women's Day Celebration Honors Local Women



A crowd of neighbors and friends joined us at Agape Community Center on Friday, March 28 for our annual Women's Day celebration. This year, Agape Community Center honored (l to r with certificates) Tamara Grisby (serving in Wisconsin's state legislature for Assembly District 18), Brandie Wilks (Wilks Property Management, Inc.), and

Kimberly Motley (attorney-at-law, Wisconsin State Public Defenders Office). They are shown here with Agape Community Center staff.

Each of these 2008 honorees was selected because they reflect the energy, abilities, and impact of young women in our community. The event also honored the Sisters of the Sorrowful Mother on their 125<sup>th</sup> anniversary. They founded Agape Community Center more than twenty years ago as a way to help support the neighborhood and create a strong and vibrant community here.

### Book Clubs

Adults Tuesdays 6-7pm  
Teens Tuesdays 7-8pm  
Youth (7-10) & Preteens  
(11-13) Tuesdays &  
Wednesdays 4:30-5pm

Make this YOUR month to try something new! Call 464-4440 for more info.

April 9: Landlord Association Meeting 6 pm

April 11: 6-8 PM Movie Night- Free

April 12: Neighborhood Clean up 10-2 at Agape

(Participants can win a free trip to Music Festival in Chicago by registering at Agape!)

April 18: 6-8 pm GAME NIGHT (free): Old School VS New School Games

April 18: New class: *Club Success: Job Success for Adults* 10-11:30 am six Fridays, free

April 21: New class: *Club Success: Job Success for Adults* 6-7:30 pm five Mondays, free

April 24: New class: *Learn Excel 2003* 10:30-11:30 am six Wednesdays \$10

April 25: Karaoke Night! 6-8 pm, free

April 26: Early Bird Sign up for Summer Youth Program and/or Broncos Football 10 am-2 pm; bring immunization record and proof of income. Sliding fee scale for Summer Program.

April 29: First Aid Certification course 9am-1 pm \$25 ; call August 464-4440 ext 232

April 30: CPR Certification course 9 am-1 pm \$25; call August 464-4440 ext 232

May 6: New class: *Computer Basics* 2-3 pm four Tuesdays, \$10

May 14: Sign up for Summer Youth Program and/or Broncos Football 10 am- 1 pm; bring immunization record and proof of income. Sliding fee scale for Summer Program

Like to **WALK**? Join Agape Community Center's new **WALKING CLUB!** Get motivated. Get prizes. Get fit. Starting in mid-April and going through summer. Shannon 464-4440 x 222

## Join in the Fun!

We currently have openings in:

- Ages 7-13 After School Program (Mon-Fri 3:00-6:00, with meal included)
- Young Adult Activities (Schedule varies. Ages 19-25. Call Mr. JC at 464-4440 ext. 234)
- Teen Scene (Mon-Fri, 6:00-9:00, ages 14-19)

Come in and complete a registration packet! Annual membership for ages 7-25: \$5.00

### PARENTS ONLY!

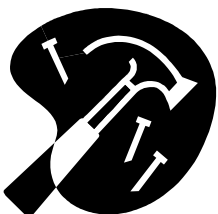
Parents' Survival Guide:  
Classes for New Parents  
Sessions for Parents of  
School Age Children  
FREE- Call Kas- 464-4440  
ext 227



SIGN UPS are COMING!

Ages 6-12  
Agape Broncos Youth  
Football Team/  
Cheerleaders

Call Coach Lane  
750-1356



**Spring is here!** Money is now available to paint and fix-up the exterior of your home through Agape Community Center's **PAINT AND FIX UP PROGRAM**. This program targets homeowners living in Thurston Woods neighborhood (Douglas/Teutonia/Silver Spring/ Sherman). Call Claudiare at 464-4440 ext. 239 for qualifications and to find out about the Orientation Meeting that's planned. First come-first served.