



2016 Annual Summary

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Kaleidoscope Youth Center works in partnership with young people in central Ohio to create safer and more empowering spaces for LGBTQ+ and ally youth in our Center, in schools, and throughout the community.

THE CENTER

KYC distributed over 2,100 bus passes and served youth from 56 zip codes.



456
Unique
Youth

Over 3,500
Visits



THE GSA NETWORK

Genders and Sexualities Alliances (GSAs) are student-led groups that provide safe space to meet, support each other, discuss sexuality and gender identity, and work to end homophobia and transphobia.

The Youth Leadership Council holds 2 Summits each year as an opportunity for GSA members to collaborate, educate, and share strategies.



300 school community members from 19 schools received site visit support from KYC's GSA Network Coordinator.

THE COMMUNITY

KYC offers community training on many topics including basic terminology about LGBTQ+ experience, recognizing risk factors, promoting success, and creating safe and affirming environments.

KYC staff provided training to over 180 youth-serving professionals.

OUR NEW HOME



Due to the generous response to Operation: Home Is Where the Heart Is, our move into 603 E. Town Street in February 2016 was a dream come true!

With twice the amount of space, we have expanded programming and possibilities for youth.

Features include the Tom W. Davis Family Room, the David Bohnett Cyber Center, the Virginia and Nina West Performance Space, the KYC Cafe, a Resource Room, a full kitchen, and The Kiwanis Club of Columbus Multipurpose Room.

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Genderscope

KYC's most attended weekly program is Genderscope, for gender nonconforming, trans identified, genderqueer, and questioning youth.



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REVENUE



The biggest source of income for KYC is our annual Garden Party. In 2016, The Garden Party brought in a record of \$120K in combined revenue and in-kind donations!

