The Latest In YEP

This week the crews continued working at Chanshtnu Mudoon park, laying down gravel and improving a social trail. At the beginning of the week, the teens finished the ADA path and pad, laying down mulch in the community garden, and continued improvements to a social trail. This week crews started planting trees along the Campbell Creek greenbelt to help offset some of the trees lost to the spruce beetle. Five hundred trees were generously provided through a partnership with the Arbor Day Foundation and FedEx. The teens will plant over six hundred trees throughout the summer.
Work Safety

- use your legs when lifting
- observe surroundings
- keep tools clean and sharp

Community Corner

This week we would like to highlight our partners at Northwest Archers. Northwest Archers is a local non-profit archery club. Northwest Archers generously volunteered their time to introduce our crews to archery at Kincaid Park.
Crew Member of the Week

Dicanio George

Dicanio’s favorite YEP tool is the Pulaski. In his free time, Dicanio likes working out, reading and cooking. A fun fact about Dicanio is that he can speak three different languages. Dicanio’s favorite thing about YEP is the crew members.
Education/Recreation

In place of our usual Education Recreation activities, YEP will spend the day setting up for the Anchorage Mayor’s Marathon and handing out water and medals to participants. This is a fun way for crews to participate in great community event.
The Weeks Ahead

Projects

This week we are excited to get outside and work on Anchorage’s beautiful trail system, and we are thrilled to have you working alongside us! We will be spending the upcoming week working on the Tour of Anchorage Trail. Crews will remove invasives, improve sight lines, and lay down gravel to improve drainage and cap the existing trail. Our Ed Rec days will resume next week.
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