

YOUTH FILM PRODUCTIONS



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Started in 2014 Youth Film Productions is a non-profit multi-disciplinary arts and Education program which offer a variety of inventive programs that provide under-resourced students, ages 14-18, with opportunities to explore their creativity through, producing original films, video, music, photography, multimedia, and print publications "The Lincoln Star Newspaper" to improve their writing skills. It's so much more than that though – if you want to be truly inspired – check out our site mvpchannel.net and the inventive ways we are getting kids to engage.



BUILDING LIFE SKILLS IN COMMUNICATION



Youth on Screen

We offer youth the opportunity to collaborate and cultivate ideas around many topics through the medium of film and print.

Get Involved

With your help we will hopefully see a group of newly inspired youth who will grow into young professionals in the arts.

Problem and Solution

Youth Film Productions provides the space, resources, and support students need to succeed in high school and beyond.



PROJECTS

We service the under served communities. Strategic partnerships with schools, churches, non-profits. In addition, local government offers Youth Film Productions improved outreach that enhances our programs, services and improves our efficacy, impact, and sustainability.

Youth Film Productions has become a valued resource for individuals and families looking to experience outstanding films and media together. You won't find programming like ours anywhere else in East Los Angeles.

Youth Film Productions has helped improve the quality of life in our community. The programs presence has helped assure the high school years can be a bridge to lifelong success and we are proud to play a small role in supporting young adolescents in building strong foundational and successful academic skills, personal behaviors, and in the identification areas of interest and strength. After school programs have a vital role to play in this process.



VIDEO PRODUCTION

Our video production program is an after school program designed to provide students with artistic, creative and historical background in the fields of video, broadcasting, and film production.

In addition, this program provides instruction and training in pre-production, production and post production phases of project development.

Students who are interested in a career in entertainment production have opportunities to explore the many jobs involved in the making of such productions. Those who achieve competency in this program will be prepared to enter a film or broadcast journalism course at the college level.



THE LINCOLN STAR NEWSPAPER

Distribution - 20,000 units bi-monthly

THE LINCOLN STAR STUDENT JOURNALIST

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Thank you: Ms. Boykins and Mr. Skramstad

Our students are writing real-world newspaper stories. The purpose of the Lincoln Star Newspaper is to see, know, care about and understand our community in ways your neighbors don't and then share what you find. The Lincoln Star is like public libraries and local museums in that it preserves culture, educates and engages youth in order to build understanding on important issues and empowers them to stand up for justice where there is none. . Imagine students working cooperatively, motivated and staying focused on the task at hand. They're hooked on writing!



Covering - Cypress Park, El Sereno, Glassell Park, Highland Park, Lincoln Heights, Montecito Heights, Monterey Hills, Mt. Washington, Rose Hills, University Hills

THE 1ST ANNUAL EAGLE ROCK FILM FESTIVAL

High school student filmmakers of all ages will again get a taste of the red-carpet life during the Youth Film Production's 1st annual Eagle Rock Student Film Festival and Awards, being held Saturday, May 21, 2022 at the Eagle Rock HS Auditorium 1750 Yosemite Dr, Los Angeles, CA 90041

The Eagle Rock Film Festival is a free event where everyone is welcomed. Even on a budget, the whole family can experience great entertainment. Our Festival celebrates entire families coming together to share the moviegoing experience, and this upcoming year, the lineup features some of the best student shorts from around Los Angeles County.

It is sponsored by local and corporate businesses who every year gives back to the community, with your help we will hopefully see a group of newly inspired youth who will grow into young professionals in the arts.



FILM FESTIVAL TALENT POOL

Through the Eagle Rock Film Festival Youth Film Productions allows youth to collaborate and cultivate ideas and continue to strive to give the community the best programs they deserve.

LA County student filmmakers of all ages will get a taste of the red-carpet life during our 1st annual Eagle Rock Student Film Festival and Awards, being held May 21, 2022 at the Eagle Rock HS Auditorium 1750 Yosemite Dr, Los Angeles, CA 90041



COMMUNITY

We would like to service the under served communities. Hollywood's enduring failure to correct the gender and ethnic disparities are well chronicled in many reports. The industry has locked many women and minorities out of influential roles and entrenched a patriarchal occupational culture within the entertainment industry.

But this project as many of your other projects, we can continue to mark a potential turning point for minorities and women in Hollywood. We can also help break down the barriers to women and minorities entry into the mobility within entertainment careers.

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INTERACTIVE ELEMENTS

Because of the many new technologies that are now available, it is easier to create environments in which students and viewers can watch the series online, for example, on Facebook, Twitter, YouTube mvpchannel.net and other platforms, where we can receive feedback, and continually take on the challenges of exploiting the promise of computer-based technologies for improving viewer interaction.



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There are plenty of ways to help young people we work with looking for opportunities or who are or have found themselves in a difficult position. By making a donation either in cash* or goods/ production equipment you no longer use, you will be making a real difference to their life. We are always looking at ways to pay for things such as production cost, equipment, student stipends, training costs or marketing cost as a few examples.

*Please note - tax deductions only apply to cash donations, not goods and equipment donations.

Youth Film Productions is also looking to partner with companies and organizations through our Corporate Sponsorship Program. These partnerships offer benefits such as links from our website, banners promoting their business at our live events our Annual Film Festival and particular sponsored events.

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Public Charity Status:
170(b)(1)(A)(vi)
Form 990/990-EZ/990-N Required:
Yes
Effective Date of Exemption:
August 4, 2017
Contribution Deductibility:
Yes
Addendum Applies:
No

Dear Applicant:

We're pleased to tell you we determined you're exempt from federal income tax under Internal Revenue Code (IRC) Section 501(c)(3). Donors can deduct contributions they make to you under IRC Section 170. You're also qualified to receive tax deductible bequests, devises, transfers or gifts under Section 2055, 2106, or 2522. This letter could help resolve questions on your exempt status. Please keep it for your records.

Organizations exempt under IRC Section 501(c)(3) are further classified as either public charities or private foundations. We determined you're a public charity under the IRC Section listed at the top of this letter.

If we indicated at the top of this letter that you're required to file Form 990/990-EZ/990-N, our records show you're required to file an annual information return (Form 990 or Form 990-EZ) or electronic notice (Form 990-N, the e-Postcard). If you don't file a required return or notice for three consecutive years, your exempt status will be automatically revoked.

If we indicated at the top of this letter that an addendum applies, the enclosed addendum is an integral part of this letter.

For important information about your responsibilities as a tax-exempt organization, go to www.irs.gov/charities. Enter "4221-PC" in the search bar to view Publication 4221-PC, Compliance Guide for 501(c)(3) Public Charities, which describes your recordkeeping, reporting, and disclosure requirements.

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Sincerely,

Stephen A. Martin

Director, Exempt Organizations
Rulings and Agreements