

10-10-10 March for Minnesota's Children and Youth!

On October 10, 2010 Youth Community Connections (YCC) will join the Young Leaders of Children's Defense Fund-Minnesota, along with other key youth organizations, in a march and rally for Minnesota's youth. The event will take place from 2:00 PM to 5:00 PM at the Minnesota State Capitol. Attendees will converge on the state capitol delivering ten specific messages to civic leaders, policy makers, and candidates running in the upcoming state elections. There will be justice music by locally known groups, a celebrity keynote address, short speeches by civic leaders, clergy and youth. Gubernatorial candidates have been invited and will be given a few minutes to say how they would address the ten focus issues.

The rally will end with a challenge for change to give all Minnesota youth a fair start at life. Please consider joining YCC under the out-of-school time tent as we highlight the benefits of out-of-school time learning opportunities for Minnesota's youth.

Tentative Schedule

- 1:00 PM to 2:00 PM- Press Conference
- 2:00 PM to 3:00 PM- March to Capitol
- 3:00 PM to 3:05 PM- Welcome from (10-10-10 Committee Members) and (Mayor Coleman)
- 3:35 PM to 3:45 PM- Maria Isa/DJ Snuggles (Social Justice Rappers)
- 3:45 PM to 3:50 PM Guest Speaker (Senator Franken and/or Senator Klobucher)
- 3:50 PM to 4:00 PM- DFY (Deliverance for Youth Choir)
- 4:00 PM to 4:05 PM- Call to Action to Political Candidates
- 4:05 PM to 4:25 PM- Garrison Keillor
- 4:25 PM to 4:35 PM- DFY (Deliverance for Youth Choir)
- 4:35 PM to 4:40 PM- Closing Prayer for all Children

How to get Involved?

Please check all that apply below.

- I will volunteer with YCC to help make the 10-10-10 event a success.
- I would like my organization to join YCC under the out-of-school time tent to promote the importance of after school and summer learning opportunities.
- I will recruit youth and their families to march for on October 10, 2010.

Name _____ **Organization** _____

PHONE _____ **E-mail** _____

Please contact Matt Steele at Steel246@umn.edu or 612.627.0157 with any questions or if you want to sign up after the meeting.