

## DID YOU KNOW?

100% of students enrolled in After-3 had better attendance than the other students at the school – across all grades.



## QUOTE WORTHY

“After-3 gives us the opportunity to help each and every child meet their potential!”



PRINCIPAL BRIDGET WRIGHTSON  
George Washington Elementary School

## CHECK OUT VOLUNTEERHUB

a new online tool to sign up for volunteer opportunities at Paul's Place. Check it out here:

[paulsplaceoutreach.volunteerhub.com](http://paulsplaceoutreach.volunteerhub.com)



## EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S LETTER

Thank you for your generous support of Paul's Place! Your consistent giving allows us to continue helping Southwest Baltimore residents improve the quality of their life.

Your support also allows us to innovate so we can meet guests' needs effectively. This year, our case management team is implementing a new model of service that will focus our intensive case management services on guests who are homeless, facing eviction or utility shut-off, or interested in employment or training programs. Guests will work with case managers on specific goals to increase their self-sufficiency and security.

Consider a visit to see the great things happening at Paul's Place.



William J. McLennan, Executive Director



## HELPING STUDENTS THRIVE:

### After-school Program Expands

While students in Southwest Baltimore are enjoying the summer, Principal Bridget Wrightson and her team at nearby George Washington Elementary School (GWES) are getting ready for the upcoming school year – and the second year of Paul's Place's After-3 program held at the school.

In Fall 2018, Paul's Place expanded their elementary after-school program, After-3, to serve 125 students on-site at GWES with a strong academic focus and diverse enrichment activities. Students in Pre-K through 5th grade receive homework assistance and academic support from GWES teachers, a hot meal, and an hour of self-selected activities ranging from basketball to theatre.

Principal Wrightson says the program benefited the students as well as their families. Students explored new skills through enrichment activities such as competing in a robotics league with kids from other schools. Students' families gained access to the comprehensive menu of resources and programs available at Paul's Place.

The additional academic instruction students received made a difference – 90% of students in K-2nd grades achieved one year of growth in their reading level, exceeding our goal of 80%.

**The partnership between Paul's Place and the school is strong, and we look forward to many more years of working together.**



# DO GOOD WITH EVERY PAYCHECK.

## Support Paul's Place Through Your Workplace Giving Campaign

#3017 United Way and Combined Charity Campaign

#52-1372359 Maryland Charity Campaign



If your employer does not offer workplace giving, you can still give to Paul's Place regularly. Make a monthly donation online at [www.paulsplaceoutreach.org/givemonthly](http://www.paulsplaceoutreach.org/givemonthly)

\$5 x 26 paychecks = \$130

Showers, laundry, and free clothing for one adult experiencing homelessness



\$10 x 26 paychecks = \$260

Emergency assistance to prevent food insecurity, utility shut-offs, or other one-time expenses for one family in financial crisis



\$20 x 26 paychecks = \$520

Health screenings and medical case management for one adult with a chronic health condition



\$40 x 26 paychecks = \$1,040

Job search and career development support for one unemployed adult



\$50 x 26 paychecks = \$1,300

After-school academic support and mentoring for one elementary student reading below grade level

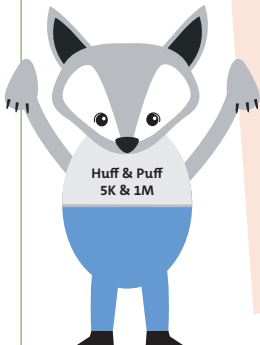


## WHO CAN OUTRUN THE BIG BAD WOLF?

Register to run, walk, and fundraise for Paul's Place at [www.paulsplaceoutreach.org/2019huffpuff](http://www.paulsplaceoutreach.org/2019huffpuff). Register before August 31st to get the early bird rate.

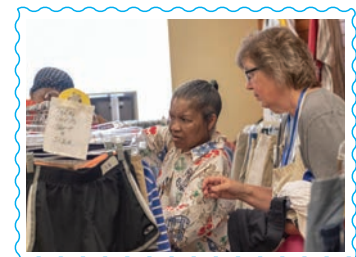
Saturday  
November 9, 2019  
at noon  
Carroll Park Golf Course  
2100 Washington Blvd.  
Baltimore, MD  
21230

- Participants registered prior to October 28th will receive a gender-specific long-sleeved tech shirt (for 5K) or short-sleeved cotton t-shirt (for 1M).
- All 5K participants will be chip timed.
- The after-party includes food, music, fun, and festivities.
- Pig and wolf costumes are encouraged.
- Free Parking.
- No dogs or strollers please.



To learn about sponsorship opportunities or corporate teams, contact Gina Clark at 410-625-0775 x122 or [gclark@paulsplaceoutreach.org](mailto:gclark@paulsplaceoutreach.org).

## FROM PAUL'S PLACE'S PHOTO ALBUM



**The Marketplace is open with new shopping times.** Everyone — men, women, and children — can shop on Fridays. Guests can sign up 8 am to 11:30 am for shopping Wednesday (women), Thursday (men), or Friday (everyone).

**The computer lab has new hours,** Monday through Thursday, 9:45 am to 1:45 pm. Guests can check out postings for jobs, hiring events, and training opportunities.



Fifth grader, Kylan, enjoyed **Lego Robotics**, one of the **STEM activities** offered to students in After-3.