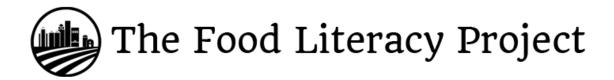
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## The Food Literacy Project Grows One Step Closer to Our Forever Home



After a thorough land search, we've moved our farming operation and been welcomed by the Dohn family to their land in southwest Louisville. **We are working with the family to purchase the property later this year to develop** 

common vision – a healthy and equitable community where people and places thrive.





The Youth Community Agriculture Program (YCAP) crew has been hard at work tilling the land, transplanting seedlings, building a temporary greenhouse to protect from the cold, and planning exciting ways to activate the new space.

The crew needs your help while they plant their roots. It will take the work of everyone to fully realize the dream of the Forever Home for the Food Literacy Project. Any gift you make is an investment in the power of youth. You can find more information about unique ways to support at the end of this email. However you choose to show up for the Food Literacy Project, the crew is grateful to know that you believe in their work.

Thank you for all of the well-wishes to the crew as they embark on this new journey in southwest Louisville! Please stay tuned for new opportunities to volunteer or visit the farm as they are announced.





Make a gift



Field-to-Fork Club is growing great things!

And not just in the ground — the club itself is growing as more and more families hear how impactful a field-to-fork experience can be. This year's recruitment event at Jacob Elementary was was packed with fun as the students learned the Plant Parts Dance from Family Engagement Coordinator Hunter "Hibiscus."

We are welcoming 55 students to the spring Field-to-Fork Clubs between Jacob and Hazelwood Elementary Schools and cannot wait to <a href="mailto:share what's cooking">share what's cooking</a> on our <a href="mailto:Facebook">Facebook</a> and <a href="mailto:Instagram">Instagram</a>. In addition, we are planning more Sun Sprouts and Cooking Together series events for the whole family this spring, from pre-K to adult.

Our clubs are made possible through the generosity of our supporters, including community partner Rainbow Blossom. Rainbow Blossom provides essential pantry supplies that go home as part of club members' produce share. The best part of club is sharing what you learn with your family members, and Rainbow makes it possible with the supplies to gather everyone around the dinner table. Thank you, Rainbow Blossom!

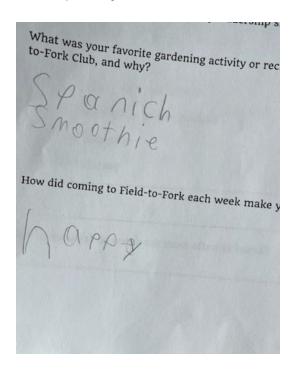




Winter clubs wrapped up at Bloom and Kenwood Elementary Schools, with students saying that <u>chickpea chocolate chip cookie dough</u> was one of the top recipes. That didn't stop them showing their love for <u>spinach smoothies</u> and <u>fresh salsa</u> too!

The best feedback was knowing that club members felt happy when they left with fresh veggies and new recipes. That is a recipe we just can't teach!





## Amplify Your Impact with Sustaining and Legacy Giving



The work of the Food Literacy Project is made possible through contributions from the community as well as corporate, foundation, and government grants. However, there are additional ways to support that can help amplify your generosity.

<u>Legacy Giving</u> is a simple way to make sure that your money will impact causes close to your heart. Legacy Giving can also have tax benefits, as well as giving you peace of mind knowing that causes that are important to you continue to be supported. Visit the link above or click on the button below to learn more about Legacy Giving.

Monthly planned gifts are another tool you can use to impact our work. By becoming a sustaining donor, you are ensuring consistent support that enables youth transforming their communities through food, farming, and the land while they learn through the joy of discovery. Simply select "Show my support by making this a recurring donation" when making a contribution on our website.

Thank you for your belief in and desire to get involved with the work of food justice and urban agriculture. We are so happy to call you a part of the Food Literacy Project family!

Learn more about ways to give

The Food Literacy Project invites young people to leverage their power to cultivate health, justice, and sovereignty through a sustainable community food system.

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