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WHO ARE WE?

Founded in 1992, Kids On Track is a local Christian community-building organization that provides hope, direction and ongoing support for children, youth, and their parents. Educational, social, spiritual and recreational elements are combined to deliver well rounded programs.

We cultivate relationships with participants encouraging their faith, character and leadership development, social skills, and a healthy lifestyle. We strive to support families that have limited opportunities due to various challenges.

WHY PARTNER WITH US?

When we were thinking about what our Church Partnership Package was going to look like, we wanted to make sure that it was clear that partnering with Kids On Track is a benefit for local churches. We want this to be a win-win.

We can't do this alone.

We see Kids On Track as an arm of the local Church; of *your* local church.

Partner with us to further God's work in Edmonton and give kids, youth, and their parents an opportunity to encounter Jesus.

Here are the ways your church can get involved.

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VOLUNTEERING

We have always been a volunteer-driven organization. It's a wonderful experience to see other members of the Body of Christ engaging in our work and investing in the lives of our kids, youth, and parents. Volunteer with us as partners in the work of the Church.

Special Events: Come serve at one of our six different Family Celebrations throughout the year!

Kids, Youth, and Family Programs: Come volunteer in one of our various programs! Contact us at josh@kidsontrack.org and we'll figure out the perfect match for you or your church team.

LOCAL MISSIONS

Are you tired of trying to figure out ways to get your church thinking about being outwardly focused? Send a team of 4-10 individuals to our Summer Day Camp on a short-term local missions trip. Your team can support our local Summer Day Camp by acting as a support team for the week as we minister to kids and youth in our city.

Summer Day Camp operates during July and August, Monday through Thursday. This is an incredibly affordable and accessible for congregants who otherwise would not be able to participate in missions through your church.

For more details on what supporting our Summer Day Camp looks like, email Josh at josh@kidsontrack.org



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PRAYER

As a Christian charity, we know that God is in control, that He provides, and that He knows our needs. Our hope is that through prayer, our most involved Christian supporters can petition for the needs of Kids On Track while also celebrating the faithfulness of God. Every week, we gather as a staff to pray. This is the single most impactful and transformational thing we can do as a team. When we pray, God listens. We consistently pray that God would use us to carry out His will.

Partner with us through prayer. We send out periodic Prayer Team newsletters that remind you to keep Kids On Track in your prayers. [Click here to sign up!](#)

SUNDAY SERVICE

We know that the Sunday morning church service is an important time of the week. Invite Kids On Track to your church to speak about what God is doing in our community and through our partnership. We love to encourage congregations to pursue the mission of God and to live a life of compassion for the lost.

Whether you're looking for an interview, sermon, or video presentation, we can make it happen! We can't wait to talk to your church about the different opportunities there are for your church to support us and the families we serve. Contact Josh at josh@kidsontack.org to start this discussion!



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FINANCES

We rely on the generosity of individuals, businesses, and churches like yours to help us further our work and support kids, youth, and parents in our city. We make sure that every program is low-cost or no-cost. Finances will never be a barrier that prevents a child from attending Kids On Track. Because of this, we need financial support to help staff programs and make them affordable and accessible for everyone, regardless of their ability to pay a registration fee. Any and all amounts make a difference. Contact Josh at josh@kidsontack.org to talk about partnering with us financially.

TRAINING

For the past 30 years, we've worked directly with families with a wide variety of needs and socio-economic barriers. Bring us in to train your staff and volunteers on the most effective methods of engaging with kids, youth, and parents from the community.

We can tailor our workshops to meet the individuals needs of your church team. Reach out to Josh at josh@kidsontack.org to start the conversation.



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HomeBUILDERS

Our world continues to become increasingly broken. Families break apart and people lose loved ones. It's hard for families to process traumatic experiences and find the necessary supports and skills to cope. HomeBuilders is an 11-week grief, divorce and separation support program written and developed by Kids On Track. This program is developed with the entire family in mind. Both kids and their parents attend the program, and your skilled volunteers facilitate conversations and activities that help kids and parents develop skills to walk through their family crisis.

To learn about HomeBuilders and how to offer it to your church, contact Kristy at kristy@kidsontrack.org.

LET'S DO THIS

If you want to connect about any of these opportunities, or are dreaming of doing something different with Kids On Track, let's connect! We're praying for the right partners to come alongside us in our ministry and want to be a supporter of your ministry as you reach your local context too.

Send Josh an email at josh@kidsontrack.org or gives him a call at 587-412-5554.

