

2012 Events

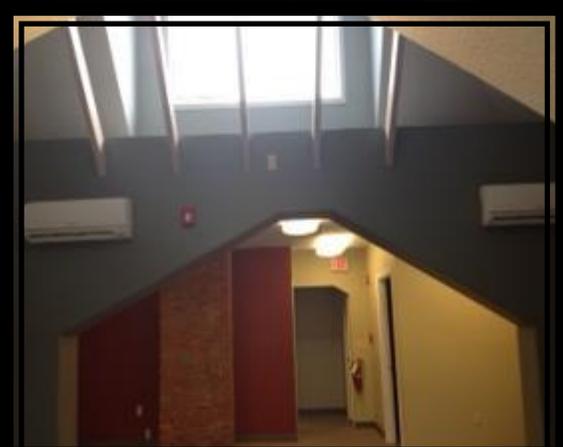
Third Floor Capital Campaign

We are very excited and happy to unveil the results of the first phase of our capital campaign. With the help of many donors and the McMillen Foundation, we raised funds to renovate the third floor of our lovely home which is inside this 1893 Victorian style home. WJ Carey of Columbia City and Steven Park of Moake Park Architecture spearheaded the planning and implementation of the renovation while maintaining the historical authenticity of the building.

Insulation was added to the walls and roof on the third floor, heating and air conditioning was totally revamped, (much more energy efficient) and leaky windows were sealed. The project took a little over 9 months to complete.

Staff moved back in to the third floor offices in September, with the help of “Two Men and a Truck.” With staff out of group rooms, we are breathing a bit easier and have more room to work with our clients.

We are incredibly grateful for this gift and are indebted to those who have made this possible!!



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Tea House

The Center held its annual Tea House December 3rd and 4th during the Woodland Williams Home Tour. More than 1200 visitors enjoyed the tour this year. Many stopped in to enjoy a cup of hot tea or coffee and freshly made cakes and cookies while touring our historical building and hear the inspiration of our work.

This year we want to thank A Perfect Pear and Bruce Ewing Landscaping, Cookie Cottage, The Bagel Station, Indiana Mexican Bakery, The Friendly Fox, Lopshire Flowers and McNemara Flowers for their fabulous donations and for all staff and panel members who made this event happen.



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El Día de los Muertos “The Day of the Dead”
Women from our Latina support group collaborated with the Fort Wayne Museum of Art to display an altar in honor of Amanda Todd. Amanda was a fifteen year old female who committed suicide after being bullied at school.



The altars are decorated in memory and in honor of the lives of loved ones who have passed. Many of the women in our Latina group cannot travel home to be with families in their time of grief; this holiday is extra special for them. El Día de los Muertos is held on November 1st.

