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Youth Uniting Through Service

Global Youth Service Day 2010
April 23-25

Global Youth Service Day (GYSD) is the largest service event in the world. Each year, millions of youth (ages 5 to 25) come together to better their communities through service activities. Last year in El Paso, more than 1,200 youth served their communities by recycling e-waste, planting trees, giving food to the homeless, and cleaning up parks and graffiti around town.

This year GYSD will be held April 23-25. The theme for this year's event is **Come Together Right Now! Youth Uniting Through Service**. To support this year's GYSD, several organizations have already committed to participate. Participating organizations include, El Paso County 4-H, Boy Scouts of America Yucca Council, Boys & Girls Club of El Paso, Cathedral Project 2011, Girls Scouts of the Desert Southwest, Mayor's Top 100 Teens, University of Texas at El Paso - Medical Professions Organization, Omega Delta Phi Fraternity, Theta Nu Xi Multicultural Sorority Incorporated, Temple Mount Sinai Youth Program, and the YMCA of El Paso.

In addition, to recognize the weekend of service by so many young people, a large celebration event with live entertainment and guest speakers will be held during the GYSD weekend. The celebration event will also promote and raise community awareness of youth and youth organizations, who work to better their communities through year-round service.

We invite your club or organization to participate in GYSD 2010 by conducting a community service project or by providing entertainment for the celebration event.

If you are interested in participating in GYSD 2010, or for more information, please contact **Nicholas Fernandez** at gyzd@unitedwayelpaso.org or at (915) 999-1468.