

THE SCOOP

FAMILY PROMISE OF WAKE COUNTY'S MONTHLY NEWSLETTER



TAKE A PEEK!

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DIRECTOR'S CORNER

SCOTT FERRIS



CELEBRATING PREVENTION PROGRAMMING SUCCESS!

Family Promise of Wake County's 'A Hand Up' program began in April 2022 in association with Help Us Move In (HUMI) in partnership with Family Promise National. Family Promise of Wake County was awarded a \$10k grant with a local match requirement to help prevent families from experiencing homelessness.. A Hand Up provides families in our community with one-time financial assistance with rent/mortgage and utilities (gas, water, electric).

FPWC has assisted 12 families over the last two months - referrals for A Hand Up come from Wake County Public School System McKenny-Vento Liaisons. Coordination with local emergency assistance providers maximizes community resources available to help families and avoids resource duplication.

FOR MORE INFORMATION OR TO DONATE TO THIS PROGRAM: devvolmgr@familypromisewake.org

AFFORDABLE RECIPE OF THE MONTH

MEXICAN STREET CORN



INGREDIENTS:

- Butter
- Ears of corn or corn kernels
- Mayo
- Cotija cheese (or try queso fresco if you can't find cotija cheese)
- Green onion
- Parsley or fresh cilantro
- Salt and pepper, to taste

DIRECTIONS:

- Prepare the corn kernels. You'll want to either grill the ears of corn or cut off the corn kernels and char it in the skillet with some butter. They kind of spit and pop at you when they get hot (kind of like popcorn!) so just be careful.
- Combine ingredients in a large/small bowl. Once the corn kernels are cooked/charred, add them to a bowl and mix in the mayo, cotija cheese, smoked paprika, green onion, and parsley (or fresh cilantro). Don't forget salt and pepper, to taste! Stir together to incorporate everything.
- Enjoy. Divide and enjoy your street corn...in a bowl!

PROGRAM UPDATES

NATIONAL VOLUNTEER TRAINING MANAGEMENT SYSTEM:

WE ARE EXCITED TO ANNOUNCE THAT FAMILY PROMISE HAS LAUNCHED A NEW ONLINE TRAINING PLATFORM. THE FAMILY PROMISE NATIONAL VOLUNTEER TRAINING PLATFORM IS BUILT ON COASSEMBLE, A POWERFUL ONLINE LEARNING MANAGEMENT SYSTEM (LMS) THAT WILL FACILITATE THE VOLUNTEER TRAINING PROCESS WHILE ALSO MAKING IT INTERACTIVE AND ENGAGING.

USE THE LINK BELOW TO START YOUR ONLINE TRAINING JOURNEY
[HTTPS://FAMILY-PROMISE.COASSEMBLE.COM/UNLOCK/QQTIKHB](https://family-promise.coassemble.com/unlock/QQTIKHB)

MONTHLY PHOTO FOCUS:



JUNE 2022 YARD SALE



MAY MULCHING PROJECT

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES:

- LANDSCAPE NEEDS - WEEDING, GENERAL LAWN CARE
- MAINTENANCE - PAINT TRANSITIONAL APARTMENTS
- STATIC SITE HOSTS

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