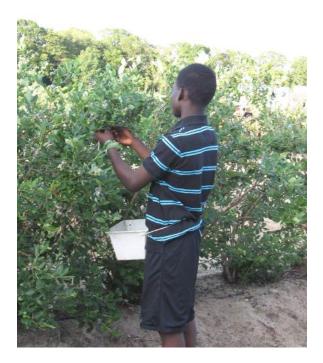


MIGRANT WORKER OUTREACH

Migrant Worker Outreach, a small organization of volunteers, was founded in 2010 with the mission of welcoming migrant workers to South Jersey. We visit 25 - 30 migrant camps in Atlantic, Burlington, and Camden Counties in June and July during the blueberry harvest.

Our work is supported by schools, colleges, organizations, businesses, churches, synagogues, groups and individuals in South Jersey, Pennsylvania, and Florida. Volunteers may join us when we visit the camps, or help us with publicizing our projects. Some volunteers help with clothing drives and fund-raising. Other volunteers help produce the Migrant Teen Journals.







Migrant Worker Outreach and Hammonton Rotary Club co-sponsor English as a Second Language (ESL) classes at migrant camps

If you're free two evenings a week, from mid-June through the end of July, you can volunteer as a teaching assistant for one of our ESL classes. You do not need to be bilingual.

Migrant Worker Outreach publishes the Migrant Teen Journals

Migrant Teen Journal (Jounal Jenn Migran Adolesan Yo) is available in separate Haitian Creole and English editions. *Latino Migrant Teen Journal (Noticias para Jovenes Migrantes)* is available in separate Spanish and English editions. These free journals are read by migrant workers of all ages. We're looking for volunteer reporters, photographers, and youth editors. To learn more about either journal, visit our website: www.MigrantWorkerOutreach.Org





What's going on at migrant camps when the day's work is finished?

Many activities are organized by the workers themselves. Take a walk around any migrant camp in the evening and you're likely to see adults playing cards, or dominoes. Teens may be playing a hard, fast game of basketball or soccer, texting on their cell phones, or sitting visiting with one another. Older children run around outdoors while helping take care of younger children. People wash their laundry by hand and hang the wet clothing on fences, clothes lines and bushes to dry. Food is prepared in communal kitchens or on an outdoor grill. At some camps there are outdoor worship services.

Migrant Worker Outreach brings activities to the camps

In addition to our ESL classes, we also organize art activities and story telling at some of the camps. When we organize activities, we bring refreshments donated by volunteers or by local organizations and businesses. We bring baskets of books for adults and children. We bring donated clothing and bedding. Volunteers are welcome to help us sort and distribute donated items and to help us with activities at the camps.





Migrant Worker Outreach invites migrant workers and their families to get to know South Jersey

In addition to bringing donated books and other items out to the camps, we bring migrant workers and their families out into the community. Recent day trips have included visits to the Family Success Center, the airport, the lake park, the library, and Stockton University's Kramer Hall, all in Hammonton and to the Simeone Automotive Museum in Philadelphia. Volunteers are welcome to join us on any of our outings and field trips. You may even want to propose and help plan an outing. Call us at (609) 969-2480 or visit our website and Facebook pages:

Website: www.MigrantWorkerOutreach.Org

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