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## National Safe Place Week

Join us as we celebrate National Safe Place Week, March 16-22. Safe Place is a collaborative program between Friends of Youth, YouthCare and Auburn Youth Resources funded through a generous grant from United Way of King County. Help us kick off the celebration at our Awareness Concert from 7-9pm Friday March 14 at the Den Coffeehouse and Café in Bothell. We'll have music from The Union Street Orchestra, Dani Hobbs, the Brazilian Jazz Ensemble and more.

There will also be an art contest for youth ages 12-17 exploring the themes:

- Where do you feel safe?
- What does it mean to be in a crisis?

Submit poetry, prose, photography, video, music, a drawing or any other type of artwork by March 17 for a chance to win gift cards, movie tickets, Pearl Jam t-shirts and Seahawks swag. Email [kingcountysafeplace@gmail.com](mailto:kingcountysafeplace@gmail.com) to learn how to share your talent, educate the community about Safe Place and celebrate National Safe Place Week.



## Celebration of Youth is Friday

There are still a few seats left for our ninth-annual Celebration of Youth luncheon Friday,

March 7 at the Bellevue Westin Hotel. This year we're celebrating 63 years of serving youth while raising funds to ensure that every young person has the support they need to succeed. Registration begins at 11:30am with lunch and the program to follow from 12-1pm.

Reserve one of the few remaining seats, and if you cannot join us, you can still help by making a donation. KIRO Radio's Dave Ross will be our emcee this year, and King County Department of Human Services Director Adrienne Quinn will be our keynote speaker. We'll also raffle two free tickets from Alaska Airlines.

**April 17th**

**SAVE THE DATE**

**Please Join Us**  
as we celebrate the creation  
of four new homes for  
**Young Adults and Foster Youth**  
April 17, 2014 | **12 PM**

**Ribbon Cutting**  
Transitional Housing  
for Homeless Young Adults  
&  
**Ground Breaking**  
Extended Foster Care Homes

*Beverages and light refreshments will be provided.*

Please RSVP to [info@friendsofyouth.org](mailto:info@friendsofyouth.org)

**Friends of Youth**

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FRONT ELEVATION

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Join us on our Kirkland campus, 13116 NE 132<sup>nd</sup> Street, as we celebrate the completion of two homes for homeless young adults and break ground on two extended foster care homes. Beverages and light refreshments will be provided. RSVP to [info@friendsofyouth.org](mailto:info@friendsofyouth.org).

## Keep In Touch with Friends of Youth

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With so much happening at Friends of Youth, we have many ways for you to keep up with the latest news:

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[Mailing list](#) – sign up for our quarterly newsletter

[Blog](#) – get in-depth blog posts delivered directly to your inbox

[Facebook](#) – find us and "like" us

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