



# Catholic Youth Organization

of Mercer County

## 2017 ANNUAL REPORT

**Catholic Youth Organization (CYO) of Mercer County** is an independently incorporated 501(c) (3), community organization, whose mission is to enhance the lives of Greater Mercer County youth and their families, by providing affordable, quality educational and recreational services, which include pre-schools, before and after school programs, summer camps, swim lessons, and youth athletic leagues. Rooted in Catholic Tradition, CYO provides services in an inclusive, non-discriminatory manner, respecting the culture and faith of all. Initiated in 1952 primarily to provide recreational activities for Catholic youth, CYO was formally incorporated in 1961, and has evolved into a full service childcare, youth development program provider, and social service agency.



**S. Broad Street Center**  
920 S Broad St., Trenton  
(609) 396-8383



**Yardville Branch**  
453 Yardville-Allentown Rd., Hamilton  
(609) 585-4280



**Ewing CYO**  
320 Hollowbrook Dr., Ewing  
(609) 883-1560



**East State Street Center**  
794 East State St., Trenton  
(609) 989-8143



**CYO Bromley Center**  
1801 East State St., Hamilton  
(609) 587-8100

Before & After School Programs located at four Hamilton Township Schools: Klockner, Greenwood, Wilson & Lalor.

The CYO has over 65 years experience in childcare and youth programs and serves almost 1,200 children daily during the school year and more than 1,300 daily during the summer! The CYO also serves approximately 1,200 children (ages 8-14), from Catholic schools and parishes, in seasonal athletic leagues. The CYO is led by a dynamic volunteer Board of Trustees which includes professional and community members with experience in diverse areas. The CYO currently has 40 full-time, 90 part-time and 100+ seasonal employees. Volunteers play vital roles at CYO, from sports coaches to students acting as aides in our childcare programs, to employee groups who help us maintain and beautify our facilities and grounds.



***THANKS FOR YOUR SUPPORT OF THE CYO!***

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**Yardville Program Coordinator**  
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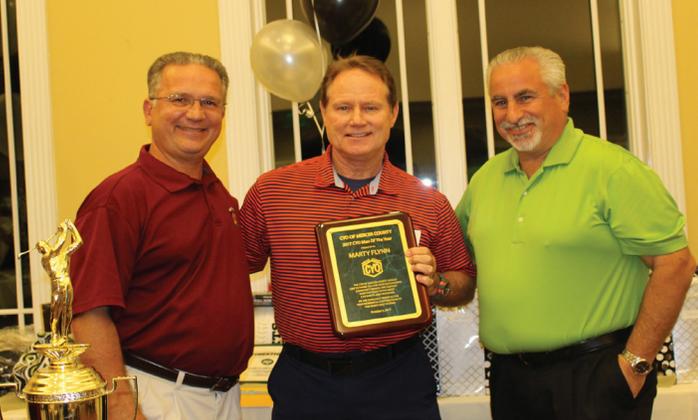
**East State Street Program Director**  
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**2017 HIGHLIGHTS**



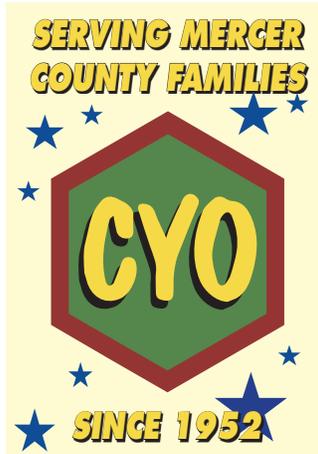
- *The CYO purchased a new 29 passenger school bus and a 15 passenger van. The total cost of these two vehicles was nearly \$100,000. This is a tremendous upgrade to our transportation fleet.*
- *After 16 months of extensive renovations done by Ewing Township to the Hollowbrook Community Center, the Ewing CYO Pre-School finally reopened in mid-September. Initially we are only operating two classrooms (over 30 children now enrolled), but former CYO families are returning along with new ones as well. After being closed for two summers, the Ewing CYO camp is excited to be back in 2018 with a renovated pool complex including a new splash pad!*
- *Hamilton Township Mayor Kelly Yaede along with other Township officials joined the grand reopening celebration of the Bromley CYO Food Pantry, This important service at the Bromley Center helps about 50-60 Hamilton families each month*
- *The CYO entered into a new partnership with Jazzercise! This popular exercise program is now offered four times per week at our Yardville location in the new Monsignor Toomey Annex.*
- *The 21<sup>st</sup> CYO Golf Classic was a highly successful fundraiser at the Mountain View Golf Course. Over 100 golfers enjoyed a perfect Fall day and another 30 guests joined us for the awards dinner in honor of CYO Man of the Year, Marty Flynn. Kevin Tylus was this year's Fahey Cup champion.*
- *A few changes took place on the CYO Board of Trustees. Joining the Board were Brenda Rascher, MSW, JD (the new Executive Director of Catholic Social Services) and Dr. Ellieen Ancrum Ingbritsen. Leaving the Board were Sister Joanne Dress, DC (transferred to St. Louis) and Capt. Ed Gonzalez (retired to Florida).*
- *The Hamilton Township Economic Development Advisory Commission, recently honored the CYO with a distinguished achievement award for dedication to community service. This banquet was held at The Stone Terrace where Mayor Yaede and Economic Development Director Marty Flynn presented the award to CYO Executive Director Tom Mladenetz. Several CYO Board members joined in the celebration.*
- *2017 was the 65<sup>th</sup> anniversary year of the CYO here in Mercer County. Our founder and first director, the late Monsignor Leonard Toomey launched the CYO movement in Trenton in 1952 with the support of the Catholic Diocese of Trenton and the late Bishop George Ahr.*
- *The CYO implemented a new look to their website with easier navigation and other changes making it more user friendly. A new color scheme and our fresh look has received much positive feedback. Check us out at [www.cyomercer.org](http://www.cyomercer.org)!*
- *The CYO awarded Certificates of Appreciation to 90 individual volunteers and 18 group volunteers that assisted us in some way during the previous year. The CYO is blessed to have such a strong core of volunteers to help us carry out our mission of serving the community.*





**INDIVIDUAL DONORS**

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- Val Ackerman
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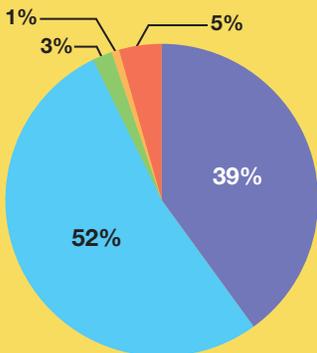
- Michael McCaffrey
- George & Ilona Mladenetz
- In memory of Sophie Mladenetz
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- Most Rev. David M. O'Connell, C.M.
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- In memory of Anne Zamonski
- Robert Zola

**GOVERNMENT PARTNERS**

- Ewing Township
- Hamilton Township
- Hamilton Township School District
- Hamilton Township Health Department
- Mercer County Department of Human Services
- Mercer County Division of Public Health
- Mercer County Library
- Mercer County Park Commission
- Mercer County Prosecutor's Office
- Mercer County Senior Nutrition Program
- Mercer County Sheriff's Office
- Mercer County's Tulpehaking Nature Center
- NJ Department of Agriculture
- NJ Department of Children & Families
- NJ State Museum
- Trenton Board of Education
- Trenton Community Development Block Grant Program
- Trenton Fire Department
- US Department of Health & Human Services
- US Department of Labor, Senior Community Service Employment Program



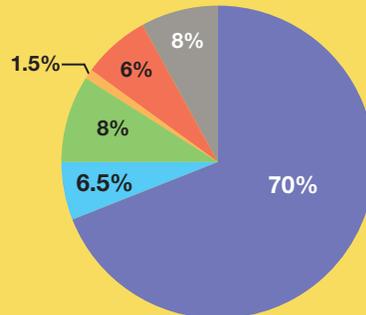
**REVENUE**



Service Fees	\$1,736,092 (39%)
Public Contracts	2,286,791 (52%)
Foundation/Corporate Grants	125,266 (3%)
Contributions	63,085 (1%)
Spec. Events, Rental & Investment	209,856 (5%)

Total: \$4,421,090 (100%)

**EXPENSES**



Personnel	\$3,099,076 (70%)
Equipment & Supplies	282,973 (6.5%)
Facility	358,801 (8%)
Transportation Program	58,836 (1.5%)
Food Program	264,992 (6%)
Administration	360,174 (8%)

Total: \$4,424,852 (100%)

**Organizations, Foundations and Corporations supporting CYO in 2017**

All Clean  
 Alliance Bus Group  
 AmazonSmile  
 American Association of University Women, Trenton College Club Chapter  
 AmeriCorps NJ Watershed Ambassadors Program  
 AmeriHealth  
 Andrew Jarzyk Foundation  
 Anita Marie Peterman Memorial Fund of the Community  
 Foundation of NJ  
 Anonymous  
 AR & C Self-Storage  
 Aramark  
 Artworks  
 Arvesen Fund of Community Foundation of NJ  
 Auletta Realty  
 Aunt Kookies Ballers  
 Backes & Hill  
 Beast Barber Shop  
 Berkshire Bank Foundation  
 Better Community Housing of Trenton  
 Bishop Ahr Endowment Fund  
 Bob Hope's Auto Service  
 Mary Owen Borden Foundation  
 Bristol-Myers Squibb  
 Bristol-Myers Squibb Foundation  
 Bristol-Myers Squibb Helping Hands employees  
 Bryn Mawr Trust  
 Camp Fire USA, NJ Council  
 Capital City Vending  
 Cathedral Alumni Association  
 Catholic Campaign for Human Development of Trenton  
 Diocese  
 Catholic Charities  
 Center for Faith Justice  
 Child Care Connection  
 Children's Futures  
 Children's Home Society, Trenton Head Start  
 Christine's Hope For Kids  
 Church & Dwight  
 Church of St. David the King Social Concerns Committee  
 The Council of Compulsive Gambling of NJ  
 Crockett Middle School, Hamilton  
 Cross & Shamrock  
 CWA Local 1042  
 Deloitte Touche LLP  
 Diocese of Trenton  
 DiPaolo Turkey Farm  
 Divine Mercy Parish, Trenton  
 Divine Mercy Parish Holy Name Society, Trenton  
 DJ Nebbs Entertainment  
 Doctor's Express  
 Dollars & Cents Production  
 Dombal-Vogel Foundation  
 Doug's All-Stars  
 Economy Bicycle & Skateboard Shop  
 Elite Rams  
 Ewing Senior Citizens Dance Group  
 EY  
 Fathers & Men United for a Better Trenton  
 Fernandez Supermarket  
 Fife & Drum Corps of Trenton  
 First Presbyterian Church, Hamilton Square  
 Foundation Collegiate Academy High School, Trenton  
 Friendship Baptist Church, Trenton  
 Furlong and Krasny  
 Game Time Cutz  
 Garden State Land Design

Girard Design  
 Girl Scouts of Central & Southern NJ  
 Good Sports  
 Greater Mercer TMA  
 Greenwood Elementary School, Hamilton  
 Haldeman Ford & Subaru  
 Halo Branded Solutions  
 Hamilton Dental Associates  
 Hamilton PAL  
 Home Depot, Hamilton  
 Honor Yoga of Hamilton  
 Hopewell Valley High School students  
 Iccara  
 Investors Bank, Hamilton  
 Investors Foundation  
 Italian Peoples Bakery  
 Janssen Pharmaceuticals  
 Kiddie Academy Hamilton  
 Kidsbridge  
 Kiwanis Club of Trenton  
 Knights of Columbus, Trenton Council No. 355  
 Lakeside Auto Service  
 Lawrence Toyota  
 Lawrenceville Ford & Lincoln  
 The Lawrenceville School students  
 The Lawrenceville School  
 LCOR Building residents, Philadelphia  
 LifeBridge Technology & Enrichment Centers  
 Mastori's Catering  
 Mercer County 4-H  
 Mercer Fund of Community Foundation of NJ  
 Mercer Street Friends  
 Mercerville Elementary School PTA, Hamilton  
 Millhill Child & Family Development Center  
 Mission & Ministry, Inc., a Ministry of the Daughters of Charity St. Louise Province  
 Mixbin Electronics  
 N.E.T.S. Entertainment  
 National Association for the Education of Young Children (NAEYC)  
 NJ Early Childhood & Education Alliance  
 NJ Law & Public Safety Credit Union employees  
 NJ State Employees Charitable Campaign  
 NJ State Golf Association  
 NJM Insurance Group  
 Notre Dame High School students  
 Notre Dame High School, Lawrence  
 Nottingham High School students, Hamilton  
 Nottingham High School, Hamilton  
 One Simple Wish  
 Our Lady of Sorrows-St. Anthony Parish, Hamilton  
 Passage Theatre  
 PathStone  
 Pennington Road Fire Company  
 Perritt Laboratories, Inc.  
 PNC employee volunteers  
 PNC Foundation  
 PNC's Grow Up Great Program  
 Princeton Mercedes Benz  
 Princeton University Pace Center for Civic Engagement  
 Princeton University students  
 Princeton University's Learning Enrichment through the Arts (LEAP)  
 Prior & Nami Business Systems  
 Professional Women's Business Network, Hamilton  
 PSE&G  
 PSEG Foundation  
 Pump It Up

Razor Sharp  
 Reaching Out to our Young Amazing Ladies (ROYAL)  
 Mentoring  
 Rick Bus Company  
 Rits' Water Ice, Sewell  
 Fred C. Rummel Foundation  
 Rutgers Cooperative Extension of Mercer County  
 Rutgers Master Gardeners of Mercer County  
 Rutgers School of Nursing - Camden, NJ  
 Ryan's Commercial Maintenance  
 George H. & Estelle M. Sands Foundation  
 Scotto & Crimani Pizza  
 Security Dynamics  
 Selecto Supermarket  
 Selmon's Shell  
 Senior Corps Foster Grandparent Program  
 Shine & Inspire  
 Shop Hamilton  
 Sordoni Construction  
 St Hedwig Church, Trenton  
 St. Alphonsus Church Social Concerns Committee, Hopewell  
 St. David the King Parish volunteers, West Windsor  
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 St. Gregory the Great Parish, Hamilton  
 St. Gregory the Great Social Concerns Ministry  
 St. Joseph's Parish, Trenton  
 St. Mark's United Methodist Church, Hamilton  
 St. Raphael-Holy Angels Parish, Hamilton  
 St. Vincent de Paul Church, Yardville  
 St. Vincent de Paul Society of St. Vincent de Paul Church, Yardville  
 Strahles Paving  
 Stuart Country Day School of the Sacred Heart, Princeton  
 Stuart Country Day School students  
 Sun National Bank Center, Trenton  
 TCNJ Music Dept. & students  
 TD Bank  
 Team Green 4 Life  
 The College of New Jersey students  
 The Max Challenge, Hamilton  
 Thomasena's Restaurant  
 Town Center Elementary School, Plainsboro  
 Traditions at Hamilton  
 Tree King  
 William Trent House Museum  
 Trenton Catholic Academy students  
 Trenton Central High School student  
 Trenton Circus Squad  
 Trenton Community Music School  
 Trenton Makes Words  
 Trenton Music Makers  
 Trenton PBA Local 11  
 Trenton Police Superior Officers  
 Trenton Thunder  
 City of Trenton employees  
 United Moms Charity Association  
 Vitale Inspection Services  
 Walmart, Hamilton #2518  
 Walmart, Hamilton #5012  
 Wawa Foundation  
 Wawa store #349, Hamilton  
 Wawa store #8342, Hamilton  
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 Wells Fargo Bank, Hamilton  
 Wells Fargo Foundation  
 West Windsor Plainsboro High School students  
 Woman with a Sword Ministries  
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