Huckleberry's 50th Anniversary: Summer of Love Edition

(Big Brother and the Holding Company)

Huckleberry's 50th Anniversary Benefit Concert....Still Jamming after all these Years!
With close to 200 guests in the audience and an amazing line-up of Bay Area artists, Huckleberry proved that it can still get down with the best of them! Headlined by Big Brother and the Holding Company, Rozzi Crane, Krystle Warren and Call Me Ace, performed an incredible musical tribute to the young people we served during the Summer of Love and those we continue to support today.

We were thrilled to honor changemaker from the Summer of Love, David E. Smith, MD, Founder of the Haight Ashbury Free Medical Clinic. We also heard powerful prose from Youth Speaks poet, Caitlyn Clark, and premiered our new Huckleberry Youth Programs video (link also below). This event was a wonderful way to kick off our Summer of Love celebration, and all of the activities that we have planned for the rest of the year! We look forward to continuing the festivities and sharing these moments with all of our staff, community partners, clients, long-time supporters and individuals like YOU!
Check out more photos from the event here!

Next Up - Huckleberry House Block Party

HUCKLEBERRY YOUTH PROGRAMS
50TH ANNIVERSARY
Block Party
COME AND CELEBRATE 50 YEARS WITH US!!
On Sunday, June 18, Huckleberry will be hosting a Summer of Love, Old-School, Family-Friendly, Page Street Block Party!!! From 11:00 am - 5:00 pm Huckleberry staff, board members and supporters will fill the streets with live music, djs, food trucks, face-painting, button-making, tie-dye dipping and a Paint-In Mural. 

Huckleberry House, our 24-hour crisis shelter, will also be open for tours. We hope that you decide to spend part of your Sunday with us, as we celebrate the actual day that Huckleberry House opened 50 years ago, and honor the thousands upon thousands of youth who have found safety, solace and support within the walls of Huckleberry House.

Huckleberry Wellness Academy-Class of 2017!

In the upcoming weeks, we will be hosting celebrations to honor the amazing accomplishments of this year's Huckleberry Wellness Academy (HWA) graduates! Through years of hard work and dedication, our HWA seniors are off to the next chapter in their lives! Huckleberry Wellness Academy graduates are attending the following schools next academic year: UC Berkeley, College of Marin, University of Southern California, UC San Diego, Gettysburg College, Sacramento State University, UC Santa Cruz, Community College San Francisco, Sonoma State University, UC Merced, Santa Rosa Junior College, UCLA, San Jose State University, CSU Stanislaus, Cabrillo College, San Francisco State University. Congratulations Class of 2017!

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Couldn't make it to the concert but want to show some love to Huckleberry?
For 50 years, Huckleberry Youth Programs has partnered with teens and families to overcome adversity. Huckleberry strengthens families and empowers young people with services that promote safety in times of crisis, physical and emotional health and well-being, social justice in communities facing inequality, and educational success.

When ALL youth succeed, the entire community is stronger.