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UPCOMING EVENTS

Tue, May 9 - [National Fentanyl Awareness Day](#)

Fri, May 12th, 3PM - 6PM - [William Mead Job and Resource Fair](#), 1300 Cardinal St. LA, 90012

"PAWSITIVE CHANGE" AT CAMPUS KILPATRICK

On May 3rd, the Los Angeles County Probation Department graduated its first class from the "Pawsitive Change" program at Campus Kilpatrick.

In February, the Los Angeles County Probation Department's Campus Kilpatrick partnered with Marley's Mutts' "Pawsitive Change", a program in which detained individuals are selected and partnered with shelter dogs. Participants complete approximately three months of course curriculum, including weekly interactive dog training sessions, homework assignments, and personal goal setting.

The program began at Campus Kilpatrick when a youth expressed interest and submitted a proposal. Campus Kilpatrick staff coordinated efforts to host the program, which was funded as a one-year pilot.

Participants began the training with three weeks of theory curriculum. In the fourth week, two K-9 friends were introduced to participants and began residing with the young men in two separate living units at Campus Kilpatrick. The young men are responsible for the dog's daily care and training needs.

Watch the video of the Pawsitive Change program [HERE](#).



Judicial partners, with Marley's Mutts and Campus Kilpatrick staff at the graduation



Pawsitive Change Dog Trainers Didontae and Max



Blanco and Socks



JUVENILE CORRECTIONS OFFICER CORE ACADEMY CLASS 2023-02 GRADUATION

On Friday, May 5th, the Probation Training Center Auditorium was home to the Juvenile Corrections Officer Core Academy Class 2023-02 graduation ceremony. Eighteen graduates walked with pride through a room filled with family members and well-wishers.

Interim Chief Probation Officer Karen Fletcher delivered the oath as well as a stirring commencement address.

Congratulations to the JCOC Academy 2023-02 graduates!



JCOC Class 2023-02

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