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PRESS RELEASE

27th Annual 2022 Hoops for Peace Community Violence Intervention Youth Summit & 3 on 3 Basketball Tournament

TO: Elected Officials
Community Leaders
Local & National Media

Community Kinship Coalition, Inc. (CKC) announces the 27th Annual “Hoops 4 Peace” (In Our Streets) Community Violence Intervention Youth Summit & 3 on 3 Basketball Tournament, presented and hosted by Bowie State University Department of Athletics and Recreation in the Theodore McKeldin Gymnasium, 14000 Jericho Park Rd, Bowie, MD 20715-9465 on August 6, 2022, from 9:00 am to 5:00 pm.

The primary objective of this event is to promote public awareness and institute changes in the area of youth violence in the community. This annual event provides education and outreach to low-income, at-risk youth and their families. This year’s event will strategically focus on Community Violence Interventions (CVI) with expert guest panelists, community leaders, activists, and most importantly, 200-400 youth ages 8-18, as well as their family members.

CKC created the Annual Hoops 4 Peace (In Our Streets) Community Violence Intervention Youth Summit and 3 on 3 Basketball Tournament because it recognized the need for Youth, Parents and Community Leaders to identify and discuss effective alternative solutions to the destruction and devastation in which violence has paralyzed the institution of Family.

Our keynote speaker will be *Clyde Doughty, Jr., Vice President for Intercollegiate Athletics and Recreation at Bowie State University.*

Online registration begins on July 5, 2022 at https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1ITrtLCdF7M5f9EXGwVkYrG_Gpmg6urTmhPrIMqGqIOw/e or by scanning the QR code below.

