YOUTH VOLUNTEER CORPS



14th-Annual Y-V-Canstructure Competition

Youth across Hampton Roads are combatting hunger with **big hearts** and **STEM skills!** Teams in grades K-12 have accepted the challenge to build CANstructures that will help feed vulnerable members of our community while bringing awareness to the issue of food insecurity. A CANstructure is a unique work of art that is created by collecting hundreds— sometimes thousands!—of canned food items, which are then used to design and build a 3-dimensional structure that relates to this year's theme, **Oh, the Places You'll Go!** Middle and high school students will build and present their structures at Patrick Henry Mall on Saturday, April 26th; elementary teams will present their CANstructures at their schools the week prior. Awards for all 3 competition levels (elementary, middle & high) will be announced at Center Court on 4/26 at 2:30pm at Patrick Henry Mall.

This year's goal is to collectively donate 25,000 pounds of food to the Virginia Peninsula Foodbank!

Sponsor Benefits:	Diamond $5,000+	Platinum $3,000+	Gold $1,500+	Silver $500
Your company's video ad shared at event and / or speaking rights at Center Court	✓			
Company featured on 2025 Canstructure Competition t-shirts	Large Logo	Medium Logo	Small Logo	Name
Company featured on event banner (displayed at the mall)	Logo	Logo	Logo	Name
Company logo and link on YVCHR website (through Dec. 31, 2025)	✓	✓	✓	✓
Nominate a "Community Connector" for special recognition	✓	✓	✓	✓
Your logo and website link featured in e-newsletter and on social media	✓	✓	✓	✓

YVCHR invites you to support this unique event as a sponsor. After event costs, proceeds are invested into high-quality, intentional programming that is designed to build career-readiness and life skills for our youth volunteers. YVCHR has provided thousands of young people with hands-on opportunities to make a difference in our community since 2009. It is through effective business partnerships that we are able to address local needs while engaging youth in the HARD work and the HEART work of serving others.

Join our mission and help us cultivate tomorrow's leaders!

For more information on sponsorship opportunities, contact:

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