



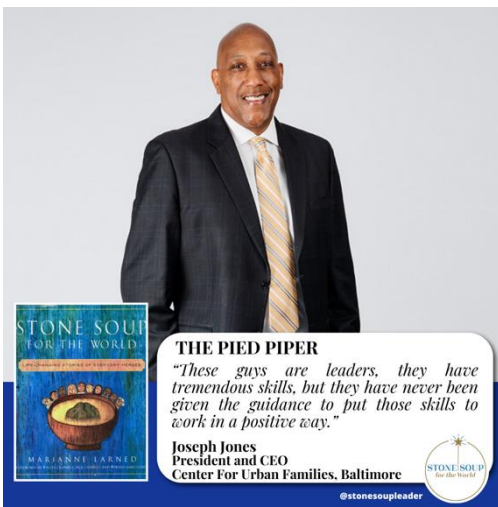
The Stone Soup
Leadership Institute's
Story of the Week: Joseph Jones
Week of March 17-23, 2024

Sunday: Story

READ how Joe Jones turned his life around at an early age and spent his life as a role model and mentor for hundreds of Black young men in Baltimore. He is featured in Stone Soup for the World and in the Stone Soup Educational Curriculum. READ his story here:

<https://stonesoupleadership.org/storage/2022/12/story-the-pied-piper.pdf> #SEL #Diversity #Addiction #Empowerment

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Sunday (March 17): St. Patrick's Day

Irish Blessing

"May love and laughter light your days and warm your hearth and home."





“Solutions don’t always cost a lot of money. Sometimes all it takes is a helping hand and the moral support to make kids feel like they’re really worth something.”

Joseph Jones
President & CEO
Center For Urban Families
Baltimore

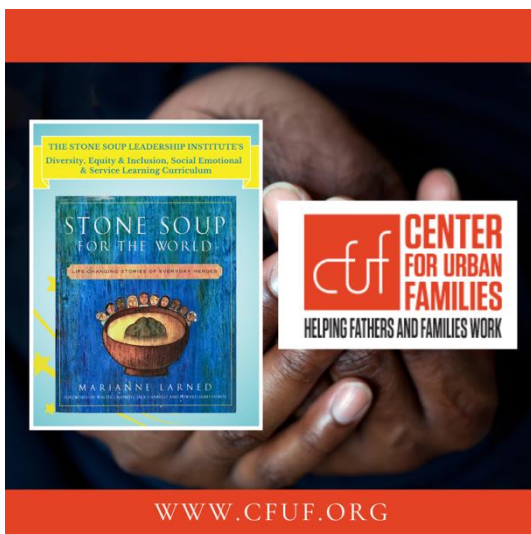
Monday: Joseph Jones founded Baltimore’s Center for Urban Families to strengthen urban communities by helping Black fathers and families achieve stability and economic success. He has served as a role model to the hundreds of young men he has mentored, and his story is featured in Stone Soup for the World and the Stone Soup Educational Curriculum. #Diversity #Empowerment #Families #Fathers #Jobs #Mentors #SEL @CFUF_Baltimore



Tuesday: Hero Report

“We cast a net throughout Baltimore...to catch people in our most vulnerable communities. We accept them how they are and for who they are when they cross the threshold.” Joseph Jones’s story is featured in Stone Soup for the World and in the Stone Soup Educational Curriculum. #SEL #Diversity #Poverty #Empowerment #Jobs #Families @CFUF_Baltimore

<https://youtu.be/xNMVKZiy2Mg>



Wednesday: Honor Roll

Baltimore’s Center for Urban Families has been dismantling poverty by seeding legacies for the future for the past 25 years.

LEARN about their Impact Report here:

<https://issuu.com/cfuf/docs/cfuf-2023-annual-impact-report-web>

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The Institute's Leadership Program
with LEADERshipBaltimore & YMCA Baltimore
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Thursday

In 1999, The Institute conducted a year-long planning process with business and community leaders in Baltimore to develop the next generation of leaders. LEARN MORE here:

<https://stonesoupleadership.org/baltimore/> #Leadership #SEL
#Diversity #Health #Children #CommunityService
#StoneSoupEducationalCurriculum

Friday: Lesson Plan

TEACHERS use this FREE Lesson Plan to expand your students understanding of responsible parenting, community policing, and other social issues. #StoneSoupEducationalCurriculum #SEL #Diversity #Parenting #Community @CFUF_Baltimore

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Saturday: Press

“While working for the Baltimore City Health Department in the early 1990s, Joseph Jones Jr. noticed something was missing from a program designed to help pregnant women in underserved communities prepare a safe and stable home for their child – there were no support systems for the expectant fathers...”

LEARN how he created the Center for Urban Families, an initiative that successfully fights poverty by empowering families. #Diversity #Poverty #Parenting #SEL #Mentors #Jobs #Addiction #StoneSoupEducationalCurriculum @CFUF_Baltimore

<https://stonesoupleadership.org/storage/2024/03/bbj-press-joe-jones.pdf>