



Kids Off the Block, Brady Campaign and Million Mom March Vigil

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Chicago Takes Stand Against Violence

Who: Kids Off the Block

What: With recent shootings that have claimed the lives of more than 20 Chicago Public School students and countless others in Chicago, Kids Off the Block, the Brady Campaign and Million Mom March will join forces for an **Antiviolence Prayer Vigil**.

Where: 11621 S. Michigan Avenue, Chicago

When: Saturday, April 12, 4-6 p.m.

Why: The purposed of this event is to gather Kids Off the Block, the Brady Campaign, Million Mom March and other concerned members of the community to remember those who have lost their lives to violence, to protest the weak gun laws that currently exist in hopes of stronger laws being passed and to protest further acts of violence.

About the organizations

Kids Off the Block provides positive change by maintaining an environment where youth can feel safe and secure, creating opportunities for youth to work with and gain access to governmental operations, explore entrepreneurship training, learn proper emergency techniques (i.e. CPR, Fire Safety), and live healthy lifestyles

As the nation's largest, non-partisan, grassroots organization leading the fight to prevent gun violence, the Brady Campaign, with its dedicated network of Million Mom March Chapters, works to enact and enforce sensible gun laws, regulations and public policies. The Brady Campaign is devoted to creating an America free from gun violence, where all Americans are safe at home, at school, at work, and in our communities.