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STRONGER FAMILIES, BRIGHTER FUTURES

Pictured: Volunteers from EDA Contractors and Philadelphia Eagles player, Jordan Davis

The Power of a Promise

The power of a promise for the youth in our programs lies in the ability to shift the focus from "**at-risk**" to "**at-promise**," by providing them with structured opportunities, life skills, emotional regulation, and safe spaces. Safe places that programs like ReUp215 and BIPS provide for youth in Philadelphia.

When the caring Turning Points' staff members asked the young people in our ReUp215 and BIPS programs to fill out a "wish-list" for the holidays, they thought it was just an exercise that would not mean anything. They had yet to find out that some compassionate and generous volunteers were working to plan a very special day for them.

Then, last Tuesday evening, longtime Turning Points' friends and Corporate Holiday Heroes, **EDA Contractors** showed up with gifts, food, and fun activities, for the unsuspecting youth, and much to their surprise, **Philadelphia Eagles NFL player, Jordan Davis, made a special Holiday Hero appearance!** Our youth had the opportunity to meet, take pictures and get autographs from Jordan Davis, making it more than an event—it was a powerful reminder that these young people are seen, valued, and worthy of joy.



Chris Kanyugi, Program Director of BIPS shared, “A lot of the youth in our programs are used to broken promises, so for Jordan Davis and EDA Contractors to show up tonight, that was huge for them.”

Thank you Jordan Davis, EDA Contractors, and Turning Points staff for creating a brighter holiday and brighter futures for the youth in Philadelphia!

Shoutout to NBC10 News for covering this heartwarming story!
Check out the video below.



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