

MEET THE DIRECTOR



My name is Amy Martel and I have been passionate about youth, especially youth that come from hard places, for most of my life. My husband and I have fostered over 30 children, adopted 5 out of the foster care system, and have been part of the foster care community for twelve years. Our goal as a family has always been to serve others to the best of our ability, but especially to take care of kids.

My passion for youth has developed into different jobs throughout my life including serving as a home parent at the local foster community Coyote Hill, serving my church, living on site and serving at a youth camp, to my current desire which is to provide a community space with resources and a safe space to help kids grow. I have always had a heart specifically for teens and a desire to help them bridge from adolescence to adulthood successfully. This community resource center will equip both adults serving the youth in our community as well as the youth themselves.

I not only have the desire to create a community space, but I have the qualifications to back it up. I have a bachelor's degree in christian leadership from Central Christian College of the Bible. I have worked in and around restaurants most of my life, including helping to run a commercial kitchen at CONNECT Christian Camp and Retreat Center in which we would serve and cater to retreat groups with 100+ guests. I am educated in adolescent and educational psychology and have extensive training specific to how to handle relationships with children from trauma backgrounds, including my certification to train on trauma informed parenting. My qualifications will continue to grow as I continue my education and certifications.

OUR TEAM

Amy Martel

Daniel martel

Bethany Hart

Stephanne Stover

Teresa Clouse

April Moran

OUR PROJECTS

- PHASE 1 ——— Building purchase, exterior structure renovation, interior cafe renovation, kitchen installation
- PHASE 2 ——— Resource room renovation, supervised visit room build, 2 bathroom additions
- PHASE 3 ——— Renovate upstairs space and create apartment living spaces

HOW CAN I PARTNER?

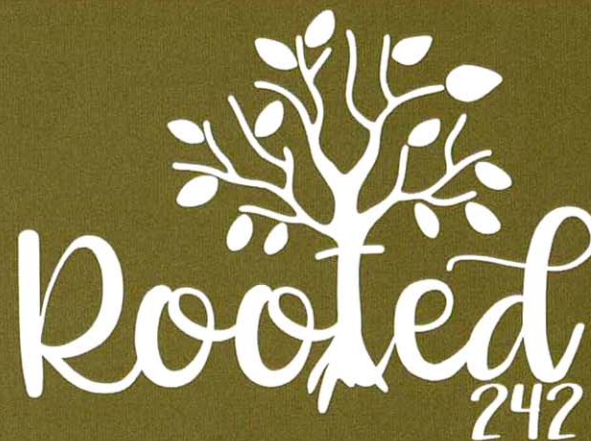
- PRAYER ——— We ask that you join us in praying for the teens and the community that are being impacted.
- SKILLED LABOR/VOLUNTEER ——— We have many projects, some that require specific skills such as electricians, masonry, hvac, etc .
- ONE TIME FINANCIAL GIFT ——— We have some big needs and cannot do it without you!
- MONTHLY FINANCIAL PARTNER ——— As we continue to grow our monthly supporters will help offset operating expenses and give back to the young adults.



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