

Peaceful Times

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Two Races This Spring!



New York

Get ready for round 2!

Our 2nd Annual Choose Peace 5k - Rockland Lake will be held **Saturday, May 13th**. We are looking forward to returning to where it all began with our very first race in a great community! The lovely 3 mile run/walk around this peaceful man-made lake will renew your spirit. Join us at Rockland Lake State Park in Valley Cottage, New York.

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Illinois

Coming for the first time!

The Choose Peace 5k - Allerton will be held **Saturday, June 17th**. Come help us promote "Peace in the Heartland." We will enjoy learning together and racing or walking through amazing gardens and statuary at the beautiful Robert Allerton Park in Monticello, Illinois. Let's put some heart in America's Heartland!

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Find Out More About Races for Peace

You can keep track of all of our programs and events at www.racesforpeace.org. Find us on [Instagram](#) and [Twitter](#)@racesforpeace and "like us" on [Facebook](#).

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Atlanta Grant to Camp Peace

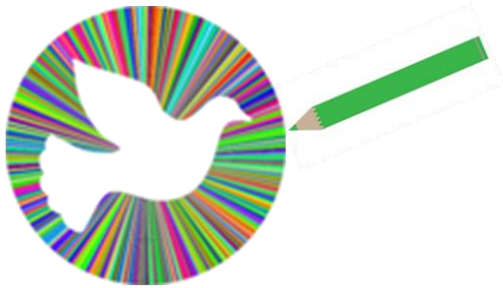
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Races for Peace is excited to announce our 2nd grant made possible by the generosity of our November 2016 Choose Peace 5k – Atlanta race participants! The grant was awarded to the Women's Resource Center to End Domestic Violence in support of their Camp Peace program.

Races for Peace offers charitable grants to local nonprofits in every location where we hold a race. According to their website at www.camppeaceatl.org, "The mission of Camp PEACE is to bring children exposed to domestic violence together for a summer of activities that facilitate Peace Education, Action, Compassion, and Empathy." The program operates out of the greater Atlanta, GA area.

We look forward to returning to Atlanta in Fall 2017!

If **PEACE** were a color, what would it be?



THE ART OF PEACE COLORING BOOK PROJECT

Aaaahhhh...what calming pleasure a coloring book brings! Imagine one devoted to PEACE! The goal of this project is to publish a peace-themed coloring book featuring donated works from artists like you who are committed to promoting peace.

A WORK OF HEART

The coloring book will be sold to raise funds for Races for Peace, a nonprofit 501(c)(3) dedicated to fostering peace in communities across the U.S. Our mission is to promote the conscious choice to act in peace, acknowledge the connectedness of all people, and value all human life equally regardless of differences. We accomplish this in three key ways: through community building 5k race events, through charitable grants to other nonprofits providing services that promote peace or that help victims of violence, and through our peace education programs. We see The Art of Peace Coloring Book Project as a creative way for people to interact with and internalize peace.

YOUR PUBLISHED WORK

If you choose to support us, your coloring page will be published along with your photo and a brief biography. This allows us to give credit to you...our supporter...as a recognizable resource for those interested in the art community.

SPECIFICATIONS

- Artwork should be black and white ink on white paper to facilitate coloring
- Submission must be your original work with a positive peace theme
- Artwork should be no larger than 8 x 10" so it will fit on the final bound pages
- Submit a Microsoft Word document with a grayscale photo of the artist and a short biography
- All artist contributors must sign an unlimited license agreement giving permission to use and sell donated artwork for this project
- **SUBMISSION DEADLINE: June 30, 2017**

CONTACT US

We would love to feature your work in The Art of Peace Coloring Book! For more information feel free to contact our founder Leigh Giles-Brown at lgilesbrown@racesforpeace.org or on 202-854-1430 for more information. Also, check out our website at www.racesforpeace.org. Thank you for choosing peace with us!

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