

STL Story Stitchers Celebrates Juneteenth With Public Health Message

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ST. LOUIS - Saint Louis Story Stitchers youth artists will perform at 4 local Juneteenth events with messages about public health and safety—boosting vaccine confidence and encouraging their peers to take the lead on gun violence prevention.

JUNETEENTH EVENTS:

June 11, 2022

Juneteenth Celebration

East Delmar Loop

Delmar at Hamilton

1:00-1:30 Performance

12:00-5:00 Booth

June 18, 2022

Juneteenth Celebration Maker District Craft Alliance 5080 Delmar Blvd, St. Louis, MO 63108 12:30-1:00 Performance June 18, 2022 Juneteenth Celebration Old North St. Louis 1307 Montgomery, 63106 2:30-3:00 Performance June 26, 2022 Juneteenth Celebration Ferguson True Vine Missionary Baptist Church 8420 Hill Ave, 63121 1:00-1:30 Performance 11:00-2:00 Booth

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About Saint Louis Story Stitchers Artists Collective:

Saint Louis Story Stitchers Artists Collective is a non-profit organization engaged in urban storytelling. The mission of Saint Louis Story Stitchers is to document St. Louis through art and word to promote understanding, civic pride, intergenerational relationships and literacy.

Collective artists work alongside 16-24-year-old urban youth to collect stories, reframe and retell them using the arts to promote a better educated, more peaceful and caring society. Saint Louis Story Stitchers are a resident organization at Kranzberg Arts Foundation where members rehearse, present and perform in the Foundation's first-class spaces. The Collective also maintains the Stitchers Storefront Studio in the historic Loop District for recording, editing and publishing. Current projects focus on public health issues including gun violence. Learn more at storystitchers.org/