

# River Fields

Future  
Neurosurgeon.  
Co-Founder.  
Coder.

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## Skills

Leadership and Mentorship, Public Speaking, Fundraising, Volunteer Management, Community Outreach, Event Planning, Social Networking, Social Media, Research. Coding experience in HTML, CSS, and Javascript. Has worked with p5.js, Bootstrap, and JQuery.

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## Education

Home School /  
Sophomore

August 2015- Present

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## Awards

Citation from Brooklyn Borough President Eric L. Adams, President's Volunteer Service Award, Ronald Reagan Student Leadership Award, President's Award for Educational Excellence

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## Experience

### The Rusty & River Fields Foundation / Co-Founder

June 2016 - Present

Raised \$15,000 in three weeks to sponsor 40 urban Brooklyn teens to attend the Harvard Mock Trial High School Seminar Program, a dynamic experience they ordinarily would not have access to.

Held year-round three hour Weekly Saturday Literacy and Math Tutorial Program for academically marginal African American youths living in Brooklyn, impacting over 500 students.

Sponsored Holiday Toy Drive for families in crisis in conjunction with the United States Marine Corps Toys for Tots Program, impacting over 200 families.

Fundraised and Sponsored neighborhood Halloween Party supporting over 100 children.

### Neighborhood Block Association / Co-President

August 2016 - Present

Liaison between local elected officials and community residents.

Spearheaded the formal organization of the 400 Bainbridge Street Block Association, drafted by-laws, established bank account, and currently processing 501(c) 3 non profit status.

Initiated and led membership drive and fundraiser, raising over \$3000, and increasing membership over 1000%

Applied for and received two NYC Grants totaling \$2500 for Community Beautification and Enrichment Projects

Galvanized multigenerational volunteer effort to initiate community beautification projects, transforming debris ridden streets and tree pits into beautiful streetscapes with large flower filled planters and manicured tree beds.

Entered Block (first time ever) in the 2017 Greenest Block In Brooklyn Contest (Receiving two awards; overall Honorable Mention & Honorable Mention for Best Tree Beds).

### All Star Code / Scholar

July 2017 - Present

Accepted into All Star Code's 2017 Summer Intensive Coding and Entrepreneurship program. Learned to build fully functional appealing websites and video games, while simultaneously learning networking and entrepreneurial skills.

