Press Release

You are cordially invited to attend the George Washington Carver House’s Autumn Festival and open house.

The open house will be held on Sunday, November 15, 2009 from 1 to 4 p.m. We are inviting you to be our special guest, tour the facility, meet staff volunteers and clients. You can also find out about volunteer opportunities.

Carver House was founded in 1935 as a branch of Wesley House Corporation; a 100-year old church based settlement house located in old North St. Louis, MO. In 1943, the center was renamed George Washington Carver House in honor of the famous African American scientist and inventor.

Today, we are still serving this community through our Family Support and Development program with crisis intervention, family enrichment, holiday giving and various community collaborations, for grandparents that are parenting their grandchildren there is our Grandparents As Parents program (GAP) or for Youth Development like our successful Youth Entrepreneur Program, The Foundation for Success Project, WCH Radio Program and the Keep It Real Project (an anti-tobacco program) along with after-school and recreational programs that serve approximately 500 youth.

George Washington Carver House is a small human service organization that is making a difference in the community it serves.

As part of the event Carver House will also hold a phone-a-thon on Saturday, November 21st from 9 to 1:00 p.m. If you would like to volunteer for the phone bank feel free to call us at (314) 652-8485 Donations can be made by check or money order made out to George Washington Carver House 3035 Bell Ave., St. Louis, MO 63106. All contributions are tax deductible. Please visit us at www.caverhouse.org or email us at carver2005@aol.com

Press coverage of either or both events is welcomed.