



Inspiring Youth To Serve

## **TMYL Mission and History**

### **Mission**

Todd Martin Youth Leadership exists to prepare young people, especially those from under-resourced families and communities, for success as individuals and as active, responsible citizens through innovative tennis, education, life skills, and leadership development programming.

### **Background**

Todd Martin Youth Leadership was founded by former professional tennis player, Todd Martin, in 1993. Todd founded the organization in Lansing, Michigan with the intention of giving back to the community where he grew up and developed as a tennis player. Over the last twenty plus years, the organization has grown and expanded programming, which now includes a summer program, a year-round tennis program, and a tutoring program. TMYL is a member of the United States Tennis Association/National Junior Tennis & Learning (USTA/NJTL).

During TMYL's 20 year + existence, approximately 300 Lansing area youth annually participate in the organization's various programs. Participation in TMYL's programs has helped these participants go on to finish high school, enroll in college (many as the first member of their family), and become successful, contributing members of their local communities.

For more information about TMYL, please visit our website: [www.tmyl.org](http://www.tmyl.org).

For updates about our programs and information about volunteer opportunities, please like us on Facebook: [www.facebook.com/toddmartinyouthleadership](https://www.facebook.com/toddmartinyouthleadership)

### **Thank you!**

As a non-profit organization, we depend heavily on volunteers to run our programs. Without your help, and the help of so many volunteers like yourself, we would not be able to run these amazing programs for Lansing's youth. So thank you for making our programming possible and for having a positive impact on the youth in Lansing.

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