

FORMER HEAD START STUDENT'S LIFE CELEBRATED AT FIRE SAFETY DAY

Community Action, Inc., in conjunction with the Topeka Fire Department, honored the life of Davier Holmes with a Fire Safety Day, which was held at 8 a.m. on Wednesday, April 21 at its Hudson Center, 2410 SE Highland Ave.



Topeka Mayor Bill Bunten began the day by reading a proclamation and Topeka Fire Department Public Information Officer David Banks spoke to Head Start

students about fire safety. Following the proclamation, Head Start students toured the Fire Department's "Fire Safety House," which is a trailer that contains a simulation of what happens in a house fire.

Davier Holmes died in a fire at his family's home on December 23, 2009. He was four at the time of his death. He had been a student with Community Action's Head Start program.