## Success Story

## WESTERN YOUTH NETWORK

Boone, North Carolina / 5,000 sq. ft.

## **BRANDS INCLUDED**

Kimball National Etc. Interwoven



"We've loved the flexibility of our new space and that everyone's able to use it in their preferred way. From volunteer interviews and meetings with donors to small group collaboration and after school programs, we've already made a ton of use out of the meeting rooms and breakout areas."

- Jennifer Warren, Executive Director at Western Youth Network

Kimball International proudly partnered with Western Youth Network (WYN) of Boone, North Carolina, for a renovation project of their administrative space. WYN is a non-profit organization that offers services for children, adolescents, and teens. Through prevention and intervention programs, such as mentoring, after school courses, and summer camp, WYN provides youth with the tools they need to reach their full potential.

The goal of the renovation project was to design an inspiring and welcoming area that would serve as a hub for WYN staff to work and meet with kids, as well as offer temporary workspace for visiting employees. It was important that the new space created an environment that would support the organization's mission and facilitate their activities.

Kimball International's collaboration with WYN began through our strong partnership with WJ Office, the selected dealer for the project. As a non-profit organization, WYN relies on fundraising efforts. Understanding these financial requirements, we worked closely with WYN to develop a design plan within their budget. Our live-design process and the utilization of OMNIA allowed us to visualize and coordinate all products and finishes, ensuring they met the specific needs of the renovation.

PRODUCTS SHOWN

Fringe® Lounge / WaveWorks® Tables



"It was really nice that we all had an opportunity during the live-design process to see what options were available, give feedback, and visualize what the new space would look like before making decisions," said Jennifer Warren, Executive Director at Western Youth Network. "The final result is exactly what we hoped for."

The completed project has received overwhelming praise from the WYN organization and the surrounding community. They especially appreciate the ergonomic sit-to-stand desks in each office and the flexibility of the collaborative and meeting areas. The uplifting and vibrant atmosphere of the space perfectly complements the life-changing mission of WYN.



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Chaddy® Seating / Grin® Tables / Whimsy® Seating / Mariben® Pull-up Tables / Grin® Stools / WaveWorks® Tables / Hearth Power



Grin® Seating / Strassa® Table / Grin® Stools / Alterna® Worksurface / Fringe® Lounge / WaveWorks® Tables / Hearth Power

The Western Youth Network renovation stands as a shining example of how a well-designed space, coupled with the right products, can truly make a difference in the lives of those it serves. We are honored to have played a part in this transformation and support their mission.



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Jovalie® Lounge



Chaddy® Seating / WaveWorks® Training Tables / Mariben® Pull-up Tables / Joelle<sup>™</sup> Lounge



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Ditto<sup>™</sup> Seating ∕ Dock<sup>®</sup> Table



## Success Story Product Listing

Kimball	NATIONAL.	Etc.	interwoven
Dock®	 Chaddy®	 Lehr <sup>™</sup>	Alterna®
Joelle <sup>™</sup>	Ditto™		
	Fringe®		
	Grin®		
	Hearth		
	Jovalie®		
	Mariben <sup>®</sup>		
	Strassa <sup>®</sup>		
	WaveWorks®		
	Whimsy®		