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Omaha High School Junior or Senior Workcamp 2011

About Our Summer Trips

Medical Treatment Release Form

Each participant attending a summer trip must have a Medical Treatment Release Form on file with the parish. Each form is good for a year and expire in August.

Age Requirement

Each camp and trip has different age requirements. Each participant must make the minimum age requirement and be no older than the maximum age. When grade levels are specified use the grade the participant will be in the fall of 2011.

Trips Fees

All trips have fee deadlines. Failure to follow a deadline jeopardizes the spot for the participant. Most sponsoring organization require non-refundable deposits along with registration fees that are paid in installments. If a spot in not fully paid sponsoring organizations will cancel that spot. Most registration fees are refundable up to a point (minus the deposit). All deposits are transferable. That means if you drop and the spot is filled you can get a full refund. If the spot is not filled you will not get back the deposit. If the drop is less then a month from the trip you will likely get no money back.

Scholarships

Scholarship money may become available. Cost should not be the reason why you are unable to attend a camp.

Serve, Grow, Bond, Laugh

Omaha Workcamp



Cost: \$475

Dates: July 10—16

Type: Service Camp

Age: HS junior or senior or college freshmen

Date and Price will be locked in on Sept. 1

The tribe has a reservation in northeastern Nebraska and western Iowa. The Winnebago Indian Reservation lies primarily in the northern part of Thurston County, but small parts extend into southeastern Dixon County and Woodbury County, Iowa. The 2000 census reported a population of 2,588 persons living on these lands. The largest community is the village of Winnebago, with other communities in Emerson and Thurston, Nebraska.

At this camp we will work on this reservation doing a wide range of service projects and learning specifically about Catholic Social Teaching.

Important Dates

- *October 4 **Deposit** due (saves your spot) (\$50)
- *February 1 **Half trip cost due.** (\$215)
- March 20 Parent/Participant Meeting
11:30 AM **Mandatory**
- *April 18 **Remainder of balance due.** (\$210)

July 10- July 16 Workcamp

***Failure to adhere to a due date jeopardizes your secured spot for Workcamp.**

Total Cost will be \$475

All registration forms and fees must be turned in by the **deadline**. St. John Vianney Church cannot afford to “float” the balance of **ANY** unpaid spots. If money is not turned in to St. John Vianney for a spot prior to the date that those funds are due to Young Neighbors in Action St. John Vianney **will NOT** pay for the balance of that spot. According to the policy of Young Neighbors in Action unpaid spots will be dropped. These spots can be lost

You will be expected to participate in all scheduled events on the calendar and the week schedule during the week of camp.

Cancellation Policy: In order to get a full refund less the deposit drops must be made by March 1. To get a partial refund drops must be made by June 1.

Further Details

- This workcamp will work with a Native American reservation along the Mississippi River
- Cost \$475
- Fundraisers are set up through out the year to help everyone go to workcamp.
- The cost of the trip should not worry you, as long as you are committed.
- In the past participants have raised a significant amount of money through sponsors.
- We travel during the week in rental vans.
- We sleep in a school and eat large community meals
- Anyone Class of 2011-2013 is invited to join us.
- We also need two chaperones.

Service learning moves beyond just doing service. When we are engaged in service learning we learn to look beyond the immediate needs that we see and look at the structures and systems that have created those needs. Our faith challenges us to do both: direct service and advocate for social change. Doing direct service includes helping out at a meal program or visiting a nursing home. Doing advocacy means speaking for those who are victims of injustice and making changes in the system. So, while serving in a meal program, we are challenged to uncover why people are hungry in the first place and to try to fix the problem.

Check out youngneighbors.org

To save your spot complete the form on the reverse side and send or deliver to the youth ministry office with your deposit.

For more information about this and other camps, trips, or youth events contact Ken Sokolowski at the parish office.

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