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COA Youth & Family Centers and CDBG





PLEASE NOTE:

Adult staff and 1 youth must attend an orientation meeting at COA prior to camp Friday, October 2nd 2015
10am - 12pm @ COA
909 E North Ave.

Contact: Leslie Woodruff at COA at lwoodruff@coa-yfc.org or 263-8383 ext 126

WHO CAN PARTICIPATE?

High Schools, community-based organizations, after-school programs, and any youth-serving organization interested in encouraging and supporting youth leadership at their site are invited to send a team. Teams consist of 4-12 high school age youth and 1-2 adult staff members from the site. Adult staff members should be familiar with the youth leaders they bring and be committed to working with them at their respective site(s) after completing the YLI. YLI is ideal for Youth Leadership Councils, Student Government, Youth Advisory Boards, etc.

WHY PARTICIPATE?

- * To provide personal, team building, and leadership skills to encourage youth to become involved in the planning and decision-making process at their home site.
- * To help youth and adults learn to work together effectively and efficiently.
- * To have some fun!

COST? IT'S FREE!!!

There is a \$200 deposit to register, but it's all refunded when you attend

SHOULD WE REGISTER?

How to determine your site's interest in sending a team:

- * Do you want youth leadership at your site?
- * Do you have interested youth of high school age?
- * Will you support your team when they return?
- * Will your staff continue to work with the team after their training?

YOUTH LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE

Build Youth Leadership At Your School or Youth Agency

3-Day Youth Leadership Institute

October 9 - 11, 2015

EMPHASIS IS ON:
TEAM BUILDING

GRANT WRITING
PROJECT PLANNING
PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT
AND FUN!



Youth Leadership Institute @ Camp Helen Brachman Site Registration Form For October 9 - 11, 2015

Registration Forms Due: Friday, October 2nd, 2015

| Organization/Site Name: | |
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| Organization/Site Address: | |
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| Lead Staff Contact Name: | |
| Phone: | _ E Mail Address: |

Please print the names, age, gender, & ethnicity of all youth and staff members participating in this program. Youth participants must be of High School age (13-19). Youth participants must also return a completed Parent/Guardian and Student Consent Form. All participants (including staff) must complete a Health History Form in order to attend.

All other forms must be turned in by Friday, October 2nd, 2015 before noon. Mail, fax, or deliver forms to Leslie Woodruff at COA Youth & Family Centers at 909 E North Ave, Milwaukee, WI 53212 (Fax number 263-8386). In addition, a check for \$200, made payable to: COA Youth & Family Centers must accompany this form.

| # Names of Youth & Staff attending | Age Gender Ethnicity (Circle One) | |
|------------------------------------|---|-------|
| 1 | M / F Native American Latino Caucasian African American Asian | Other |
| 2 | M / F Native American Latino Caucasian African American Asian | Other |
| 3 | M / F Native American Latino Caucasian African American Asian | Other |
| 4 | M / F Native American Latino Caucasian African American Asian | Other |
| 5 | M / F Native American Latino Caucasian African American Asian | Other |
| 6 | M / F Native American Latino Caucasian African American Asian | Other |
| 7 | M / F Native American Latino Caucasian African American Asian | Other |
| 8 | M / F Native American Latino Caucasian African American Asian | Other |
| 9 | M / F Native American Latino Caucasian African American Asian | Other |
| 10 | M / F Native American Latino Caucasian African American Asian | Other |

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Frequently Asked Questions

How do we get there? Come to COA's Riverwest Center at 909 E Garfield Ave by 8:00 AM on the 1st day of camp. A chartered bus leaves at 8:30 AM from COA and returns to the same location at about 6:00 PM on the last day of camp. It is your responsibility to get to and from COA.

What does it cost? Participation is free. A \$200 registration deposit is required. The deposit will be returned within 2 weeks of returning from camp. If any incidentals are incurred, e.g. damage, the deposit will be less those incidentals and will be accompanied by an invoice. The deposit is forfeited if the team fails to show up and participate.

How old should students be to participate? At least 13 years of age by the 1st day of camp. Adults accompanying youth should be at least 19 years of age and should be familiar with and work with the youth they're accompanying.

What should we bring? The following items are always appropriate: clothing that's in season, i.e. coat (winter), poncho (spring), swimsuit (summer), toiletries, sleeping bags, or sheets & blankets, pillow & case.

What we should NOT bring? Expensive clothing, radios, cell phones, fireworks, games, palm pilots, money, jewelry, pagers, candy or food, (except on bus trip there), two-way radios, non-prescription drugs, or weapons.

