

Mid-Ohio Valley Work Camp June 19-23, 2011



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Dear Youth Worker:

It is my prayer that everything is going well with you as you seek to serve the Lord. We have received your registration information for Work Camp 2011, and I am very excited that you will be participating.

Enclosed you will find several pieces of information that you will need in order to be prepared for Work Camp. Included are housing information, schedules, rules and guidelines. Be sure that each teen and adult in your group receives a copy of the rules and guidelines. Please take the time to go over these with them so that they will know what's expected of them while they are here. Please emphasize the dress code guidelines.

As adult leaders you will also be responsible for administering any medications to your teens. This will help cut down on the amount of time our nurse spends searching for teens. We will have a nurse on staff to administer any medications that need to be done so by a registered nurse. Please just let us know when you register at the nurse's station.

Please take note of the daily schedule. The daytime activities are basically the same each day. Please stress to your group that breakfast is mandatory. Therefore, it is important that you make sure ALL OF YOUR TEENS are up before you come to breakfast. Breakfast will be served in the chapel area this year in order to make it more convenient for everyone to quickly freshen up afterwards. We will leave for the work sites promptly at 8:30 from the alcove area by the gym. Please also emphasize the importance of drinking lots of fluids during the day. Water coolers will be provided at each site.

Registration fees will pay for all meals except for dinner on Tuesday evening. We are sending everyone out-on-the-town to show our support to our area businesses that support work camp. You might also want to bring some money for spending at the canteen each evening.

Our Monday night activities will include a mud slide. Please bring old clothes for this event. It will be imperative that everyone that participates in the mud slide be hosed off before returning to the dorms. There are washers and dryers available in the dorms for 50 cents each, for your convenience, if you do not want to return with wet, muddy clothes

Everyone will be housed in the dorms at OVU. In order to accommodate our large numbers this year, there could be five people assigned to each room. There are two twin beds in each room; so, some might want to bring air mattresses. There will be a refundable \$10 room deposit paid per person. We would like for the congregation to write a check for the total amount; you will get this back at the end of the week if there is no damage in your rooms or the facilities caused by your group.

We would like everyone to plan to remain on campus until Friday morning in order to help with the clean-up of the campus. Breakfast will be available on Friday morning, and it is expected that no one will need to remain past 11:00 a.m.. If you absolutely must leave early Friday morning, you will need to see me to make arrangements for cleaning up on Thursday night.

I would like to emphasize that registration begins at 5:00 on Sunday evening, and we are asking that you try not to arrive earlier than that. You will not be able to get into the dorm rooms until you have registered. It is imperative that only the adult leader enter the registration area. Your teens need to wait at the fountain until you have gone through the registration process. I know that there are a few groups who are traveling a great distance who will arrive on Saturday evening. Please make sure you e-mail or call with this information. Also, if you expect to arrive later than 7:00, please stop and eat on the way as the dinner hour will end at 7:00. Please let me know if you will be arriving later than 7:00 as there will be important teen and adult meetings on Sunday evening after worship services.

Please keep Work Camp in your prayers, asking God's blessings on our efforts, that He will give us good weather during the week, and for safe travels to all who are coming as well as safety at the sites as we work.

Again, we are excited about your decision to be a part of Work Camp 2010. I can assure you that you and your group will not be the same after this week of service. If you need directions to the campus, please call or e-mail me at 304-295-5116 or ryanandjessieice@hotmail.com. If you have any further questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to call.

In His Service,

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Enclosures