



2008 LYO CONVENTION YOUTH REGISTRATION

Sponsored by

The West Virginia-Western Maryland Synod LYO

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Friday-Sunday, July 18-20, 2008

Camp Minco, Keyser, WV

Youth must be supervised during this event by chaperone from home church.

Name: _____

Email Address: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ **State:** _____ **Zip Code:** _____

Telephone: _____ **Cell Phone:** _____

Sex: _____ **Age:** _____ **Birth Date** _____ **T-Shirt Size** _____

Grade: _____ **Chaperone's Name:** _____

MUST have a chaperone.

Home Congregation: _____

MEDICAL RELEASE

In the event of a medical emergency, I hereby authorize competent medical authorities to render such aid as deemed necessary and/or appropriate for the applicant listed on this application.

Please list any medical or special problems of which the staff should be aware. Please include a copy of both sides of your insurance card. **List medicines, doses, and reason taking.**

Signature of Parent or Guardian

DEADLINE: July 1, 2008. Registration fee \$30. (After deadline registration is \$50.) Remember, space is limited and will be filled in the order registrations are received. You are not guaranteed a t-shirt if registration is late.

Complete and mail this form, the signed Community Covenant, Liability Release, Nomination Form if applicable, and payment for your registration. (Checks should be made out to WV-W MD Synod LYO.)

MAIL TO: Marcie Woloshan, RD 2, Box 334, Triadelphia, WV 26059



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YOUTH COMMUNITY COVENANT

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As we form a community for this activity, we adhere to guidelines for personal conduct. To insure the maximum fellowship, learning and spiritual growth of all participants, the staff expects all participants to abide by the following guidelines. Please sign below and have your parent/guardian sign to indicate that you agree to follow these guidelines.

I agree to behave myself in a manner that follows the Ten Commandments (Deuteronomy 5:6-22) and the rules for this weekend as listed below.

1. You will attend and fully participate in all of the scheduled events for the weekend.
2. You will be on time for all meals and events.
3. **Drug and alcohol use is strictly prohibited.** Anyone using drugs or alcohol will be sent home immediately. Your parents or guardian will be called to pick you up regardless of time, day or night. The LYO assumes no responsibility for persons under the influence of drugs or alcohol.
4. No tobacco usage.
5. You will be in your assigned sleeping area at all scheduled bed times. Proper rest is essential for your full participation in this event. You will be up and ready for the day each morning at the scheduled times.
6. Guys will not be allowed in girls' sleeping areas, and girls will not be allowed in guys' sleeping areas without the presence of one of the official conference chaperones.
7. You will stay in the area(s) designated for the event. The staff needs to know where you are in case of an emergency. If you drive a car to the event, you are asked to turn in your keys when you arrive. If you need to leave the retreat area or any other designated area for any reason, you must get permission from the adult in charge.
8. You will respect all property. The person(s) responsible will pay for any damage done to any property. Willfully causing damage to property or injury to someone else will result in your being sent home immediately. Do not litter. Put all trash in proper receptacles.
9. No sexual conduct.
10. Cell phone use is restricted to free time.

I have read these rules, and make a covenant with all others attending this event that I will abide by them.

Participant

Date

Parent/Guardian



LIABILITY RELEASE

For the West Virginia-Western Maryland Synod
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RELEASE OF ALL CLAIMS

In consideration for being accepted by the West Virginia-Western Maryland Synod LYO for participation in the 2008 LYO Convention being held at locations in Keyser, WV, on July 18-20, 2008, we (I) being 21 years of age or older, do for ourselves (myself) (and for and on behalf of my child-participant if said child is not 21 years of age or older) do hereby release, forever discharge and agree to hold harmless West Virginia-Western Maryland Synod LYO and the directors thereof from any and all liability, claims or demands for personal injury, sickness and death, as well as property damage and expenses, of any nature whatsoever which may be incurred by the undersigned and the child-participant that occur while said child is participating in the above-described activity or event.

Furthermore, we (I) (and on behalf of our (my) child-participant if under the age of 21 years) hereby assume all risk of personal injury, sickness, death, damage and expense as a result of participation in recreation and work activities involved therein.

Further, authorization and permission is hereby given to said church to furnish any necessary transportation, food and lodging for this participant.

The undersigned further hereby agree to hold harmless and indemnify said church, its directors, employees and agents, for any liability sustained by said church as the result of the negligent, willful or intentional acts of said participant, including expenses incurred attendant thereto.

If the participant has not attained the age of 21 years:

We (I) are the parents(s) or legal guardian(s) of this participant, and hereby grant our (my) permission for him (her) to participate fully in said event, and hereby give our (my) permission to take said participant to a doctor or hospital and hereby authorize medical treatment, including but not in limitation to emergency surgery or medical treatment, and assume the responsibility of all medical bills, if any.

Further, should it be necessary for the participant to return home due to medical reasons, disciplinary action or otherwise, we (I) hereby assume all transportation costs.

Type or print name of participant

Cell: _____

Parent(s) or guardian(s) Telephone

Pastor's or council chair's printed name and signature

Hospital Insurance ___Yes ___No
Insurance Company _____

Policy Number _____

Physician _____

Physician's Phone _____

Emergency Phone Numbers—any-hour contact information _____

(Only participant need sign if 21 years or older. If under 21, *both* parents must sign, Unless parents are separated or divorced in which case the custodial parent must sign.)

Father _____ Date

Mother _____ Date

Legal Guardian _____ Date

Participant, if age 21 _____ Date

EVENT PARTICIPANT ONLY

I have read the foregoing and understand the rules of conduct for participants and will abide by them as well as the directions of the leadership of the event.

Participant



2008-2009 LYO NOMINATION FORM

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There will be NO nominations from the floor. Nomination Form must be completed and mailed in if you desire to run for office. **Elections will be held at the LYO Convention.**

Six total LYO Board Members-at-Large will be elected from those nominated. Individual offices will not be held, nor specific officers elected. You must be entering grades 9 through 12 to be elected to the LYO Board. **By running for office, you are making a commitment to attend the 3-4 meetings per year that are the active planning sessions for LYO activities. You will be a member of the Synod Committee for Youth.**

I wish to be an active member of the WV-WMd Synod Committee for Youth, and if elected pledge to my peers and the adults on the Committee that I will attend all meetings as scheduled for the purpose of planning and impacting the future of the LYO in the Synod.

Signature of Candidate _____ Date _____

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone _____ Cell Phone _____

E-mail _____ Academic Grade Level Fall, 2008 _____

Congregation of which you are a member _____

Briefly list offices previously held, or other experience in LYO on the congregational or synodical level:

Briefly state your own reasons for seeking membership to the board (use back of paper if necessary):

The above named candidate is an active member of a WV-WMd ELCA congregation, and if elected, we will sustain this youth in his/her ministry to the Synod by supporting and encouraging attendance at the All Committee Days and other meetings.

Signature of Pastor (or Church Council Officer) of congregation

Date _____