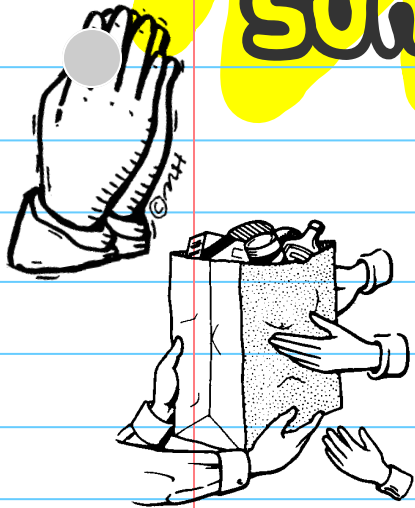


Summer Stretch 2011



Summer Stretch is a really cool way to spend your summer. You meet at church to pray, then you go do a service project and then have time to hang out with your friends. It's for teens finishing grades 5-8.*

*We need high school leaders, too! Finishing grades 9-12+

wednesdays

Jul 13 to Aug 3 . 8:30 to 4

valleyfair day on fri Aug 5

(Valleyfair is optional. It will be all day... time TBA)

cost:

Summer Stretch only = \$50

SS + Valleyfair = \$85

parent drivers and chaperones

needed!

 Please volunteer. (Pretty please!!)

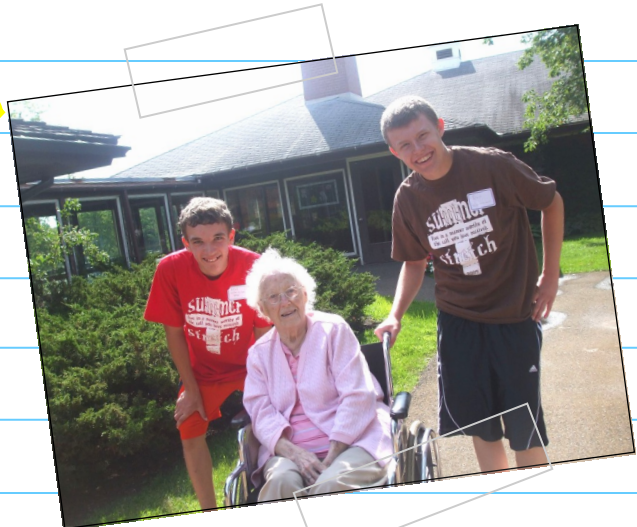
to register, return form with payment made out to St. John's by May 15th. Forms can be found at:

www.stjohnnb.com/junior_high.aspx

Questions? Call Libby 651-633-8333 x1218 or

email JohnTheBaptistYouth@yahoo.com

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frequently asked questions

What's the schedule?

Jul.13-Opening retreat
Saint Paul Saints Game
Jul.20-Service projects
Long Lake Park**
Jul.27-Service Projects
Bowling**
Aug3-FMSC (whole group)
Cascade Bay
Aug5-Optional all day
Valleyfair trip

* **Parents will need to pick up from these local venues. Directions provided.

What if I can't be there every week?

Summer is busy, so we don't expect everyone to be there every single week. However, we can't offer discounts for weeks you don't attend. You can decide if it's worth it to be part of the program based on how many weeks you plan to attend.

Can friends come?

You can invite friends even if they don't go to St. John's. However, they must register for the program (ie they can't just tag along one day).

Why do parents need to volunteer?

It simply isn't possible to get teens to service sites and insure their safety throughout the programming day without the participation of caring adults.

There are three ways you can volunteer:

- * by driving a group in your 6-8 passenger vehicle (with or without staying with the group)
- * by chaperoning a group at a project (but not driving- we need 2 adults in every vehicle. Also, some projects are on site or close enough to walk.)
- * by chaperoning an afternoon activity

If your work schedule prevents you from volunteering in one of these ways, please contact Libby for other ways you can help out with this program.

What do teens need each week?

Teens should come each week in their Summer Stretch shirt (which they will receive the first week), modest shorts and closed-toed shoes. They will need a sack lunch, and a bathing suit if the afternoon activity requires one. (One piece suits, tank-inis or an opaque tank top over two piece for ladies, please.) Entrance to all events is included, but spending money may be brought as parents see fit. Teens should NOT bring electronics (iPods, phones, etc.) as these items tend to be distracting and can get lost or stolen. Chaperones have cell phones in case of emergency.

What if we can't afford it?

We have scholarships available. Don't hesitate to call Libby for more information.

What's the deal with Valleyfair this year?

Separating Valleyfair allows us to make it a full day, but to also provide families with a choice of whether or not to attend based on schedules and cost. Students may also invite friends to attend for Valleyfair alone, as long as they fill out a permission slip with payment.

How do I register?

Printed registration forms are available in the youth room and kiosks. They can also be downloaded from: www.stjohnnb.com/junior_high.aspx

Questions?

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SS [participant] registration

Check one: SS only \$50 SS + Valleyfair \$85 Valleyfair only \$35

Name _____ CURRENT Grade _____

Address _____ City, Zip _____

Home phone (____) _____ Cell/other (____) _____

Email _____

Parent(s) _____ School _____

T-Shirt (adult size) S M L XL 2XL Friend(s) also registering for SS _____

_____ (We do our best to be sure everyone knows someone in their group).

parents

We need every parent to participate in order for SS to be a success!

Please check the option(s) that will work for your family:

Drive for a morning activity.

Circle date(s): 7/20 7/27 My vehicle can hold: # _____ Can you stay to chaperone? Yes/No

Chaperone (but not drive teens to) a morning activity.

Circle date(s): 7/20 7/27 8/3 (on 8/3 we will be going straight from FMSC to Cascade Bay If you do not want to stay for Cascade Bay, you will need to drive yourself to/from the activity).

Chaperone an afternoon activity.

Circle Date(s): 7/13 7/20 7/27 8/3 8/5 (ValleyFair)

I can't help during the day, but can help plan activities, donate items for games, make calls, etc. Elaborate if you like: _____

Would you be able to help if there was babysitting for younger siblings? Would you like to help with this?

You will be contacted in June to confirm your volunteer date/time/responsibilities.

THANK YOU! Volunteers will need to complete background checks, and Virtus training.

wait! there's more on the other side!!

emergency and medical info {participant}

Emergency contact (if parent can't be reached) Phone #1 _____ NAME _____

Emergency contact (if parent and #1 can't be reached) Phone#2 _____ NAME _____

Important Medical Information

Medical Insurance _____

Policy Number _____

Medical Concerns _____

Medications/Allergies, etc.

AUTHORIZATION MUST BE SIGNED BY THE BOTH THE PARENT/GUARDIAN AND THE LEADER!!

My son/daughter has permission to participate in the St. John's event. I understand such an event does involve some element of risk incidental to such participation, and I do release and hold harmless the Archdiocese of St. Paul/Minneapolis, St. John the Baptist Church, their employees, chaperones, leaders or drivers. Neither the Archdiocese, St. John's, nor any said persons shall be held financially responsible for any injury, illness, or death incurred as a direct or indirect result of this activity. I understand there is no medical insurance provided by the Parish or the Archdiocese. In the event of an emergency, I hereby authorize emergency treatment to be administered.

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

I, _____, WILL:
Printed Name of student

- ✦ Treat all other persons with respect and not cause any intentional harm (physically, emotionally, or spiritually) to any person in any way.
- ✦ Respect the property of others, including all program facilities and property.
- ✦ Follow all appropriate instructions of all personnel aiding in this event, including, but not limited to, chaperones, support staff, transportation personnel and administration.
- ✦ Be on time for all check-ins and departure time.

Not have in my possession any tobacco, alcohol or any controlled illegal substance

I agree that if any of these terms are violated, St. John's employees can send the participant home at the participant/guardian's expense.

Signature _____ Date _____

please return this form with payment (see other side for prices) to libby dupont

no later than may 15th. questions? need to set up a payment plan?

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SS [teen leader] registration

Check one: ___ SS only \$20 ___ SS + Valleyfair \$50

Name _____ CURRENT Grade _____

Address _____ City, Zip _____

Home phone (____) _____ Cell/other (____) _____

OK to text you? ___ Email _____

Parent(s) _____ School _____

T-Shirt (adult size) S M L XL 2XL

Mandatory Teen Leader Training: July 6, 2011 9am-12pm in the youth room.

Name on faith-building event you attended this year _____

Why do you like being Catholic? _____

What is one way you have grown in your relationship with God this year? _____

What is one leadership strength you have and one area of improvement? _____

wait! there's more on the other side!!

emergency and medical info

{teen leader}

Emergency contact (if parent can't be reached) Phone #1 _____ NAME _____

Emergency contact (if parent and #1 can't be reached) Phone#2 _____ NAME _____

Important Medical Information

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Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

I, _____, WILL:

Printed Name of teen leader

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- Not have in my possession any tobacco, alcohol or any controlled illegal substance
- * Be a good example of life, service and leadership to my younger peers.

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