Pertinent Info for Quest 2017

Dear Quest attenders and Parents,

Quest is just around the corner so we need to make sure you all have the info you need to have a super trip. We need to arrive at FBC Columbus at 6 AM on Sunday, June 25th. We will need parents to drive us from Columbus to Westport. Please let me know if you are willing. A packing list is available here on the website as well which I'm sure will come in handy. Below is some information about events happening during the week that the youth need to prepare for.

Just to be clear, the cell phone policy on the trip is that we don't want to see them at all during organized activities. The only time they are allowed is during free time and if they are causing someone to isolate themselves then this is a problem as well. Rebecca, Bob and I reserve the right to confiscate a phone or any type of electronic device, if it becomes an issue.

I also want to note that I will be driving to Green Lake this year for two reasons. One, in the past Jessica has driven so that we can have vehicle up there in case of emergencies so I am taking the emergency vehicle this year since Jessica isn't going. And, two, I will be driving to my in laws following Quest to drop off Hannah so she can celebrate Fourth of July with family. I will be returning then to Columbus as Dan will be on vacation.

Below is info regarding theme night, plus info on a new wrinkle they are doing in the schedule this year called "next level," followed by the schedule for the week. It sounds like once again they've got a seriously fun week planned for us.

Theme Night:

We are super excited for you and your group to come to Quest. As usual one night for games is theme night, where staff and students and even youth leaders dress up for the theme. This year theme night is 80s night, so think video games, movies, and the classic 80s style (shoulder pads, exercise gear, etc.). Games for theme night this year will be active games based on video games and popular movies from the 80s. Closed toe shoes will be needed for theme night (as they will for any other game nights). We are excited to see what you and your group come up with!

Go 80s!

The Quest Staff

Afternoon Activities: Next Level Afternoon Activities

What are Next Level Afternoon Activities?

Every youth group will be given two Quest Staff members who will partner with them every afternoon from 1:15 – 2:30 on a journey to take Quest to the Next Level. Because of the varying size of each youth

group, some youth groups will be partnered together and other youth groups will not. During these afternoon activities your youth group will be participating in one of the follow activities each afternoon:

- Climbing Tower and Zip Line
- High Ropes and Team Building Exercises
- Two workshops designed to help students connect as a youth group and explore how this week's theme connects in their lives back home.
- A Free Afternoon***

What is the goal of Next Level Afternoon Activities?

Our hope is that your youth group will have a greater afternoon experience because they are traveling together through these activities. We are also looking to create a more cohesive program by interweaving our theme each year into the afternoon.

Quest 2017 Daily Schedule

(Please note: Schedule is subject to change)

Sunday:

3 – 4:30 pm: Church Check-in at CYC

5:30 pm: Cook Out at CYC

6:30 pm: Group Photo (Please Wear Quest Shirts and Meet at Basket Ball Hoop at CYC)

6:45 pm: Group Games 7:45 pm: Snack Bar Open

8:30 pm: Worship 9:30 pm: Small Groups 10:00 pm: Back Home Time 11:00 pm: Lights Out

Monday - Friday:

7:30 am: Breakfast CYC

8:30 am: Morning Devotions 9:10 am: Morning Worship

9:50 am: Small Groups (1 hour low ropes/1 hour bible study)

12:00 pm: Lunch at Bauer (small groups will walk down together and pray together before meal)

1:15 pm: Next Level (In Youth Groups)

2:45 pm – 5:15 pm: Free Time

4:55 pm: Prayer at Dancing Children Statue (Some weeks this will be at 4:45)

5:00 pm: Dinner

6:30 pm: Large Group Games – meet in the Worship Room

7:45 pm: Snack Bar 8:30 pm: Worship

9:30 pm: Back Home Connection Time

11:00 pm: Lights Out

Saturday Morning:

7:00 – 8:00 am: Breakfast* at CYC (Breakfast will not extend past 8 am.)

7:00 - 9:00 am: Check Out*