

Youth Summer Mission Project 2008

Registration Information

1. Registration is open to all adults and to youth in the 9th grade and above, except those who are accompanied by their parents or guardians.
2. There must be at least one (1) adult for every six (6) youth participants of the same gender.
3. The cost for registration is \$70 per person, which includes food, accommodation, VBS and work project materials. There is no refund after the deadline of registration. Each church is responsible for her own arrangement and expenses of traveling for the entire trip.
4. Please send (i) a completed Youth Summer Mission Project 2008 Application Form for each participant, (ii) one completed Church Registration Form for your church, and (iii) a check for the total registration fees for your church, made payable to ***Tucson Chinese Baptist Church***. They should be sent to:

Joe Chan
7400 N. Cobblestone Road
Tucson, AZ 85718

5. **Registration deadline** - For all projects, the deadline is **May 19th, 2008**.
6. I will try to accommodate your request as to site and ministry assignment preferences; however, I cannot guarantee that you will get your assignment preferences. We need to be flexible as we strive to serve the churches on the reservations.
7. If you have any questions, please contact Joe Chan at ysmpaz@hotmail.com or 520.323.9920.
8. Items included here:
 - Application Form (6 pages)
 - Church Registration Form (2 pages)
 - YSMP Conduct Covenant
 - Description of Responsibilities

YOUTH SUMMER MISSION PROJECT 2008
APPLICATION FORM

Please type or print. Fill out all pages.

(Name of church)

SECTION I - GENERAL INFORMATION

Name _____ Birthday ____/____/____ Age _____ Sex _____
Last Name First Name

Address _____
Number & Street City State Zip

E-mail address _____ Phone No. () _____

Year in school this fall 2008 (please circle):

High School: 9 / 10 / 11 / 12; College: Freshman / Sophomore / Junior / Senior / Graduate School
Children / Adult Chaperon;

Parent / Guardian Name: _____ Work Phone () _____
Home Phone () _____

Alternate Contact _____ Work Phone () _____
Home Phone () _____

Insurance Carrier _____ Policy No. _____

First YSMP? Yes / No; if "No", year(s) attended: 92 / 93 / 94 / 95 / 96 / 97 / 98 / 99 / 00 / 01 / 02 / 03 / 04 / 05 / 06 / 07

SECTION II - PARTICIPANT'S COVENANT

I have read the YSMP Conduct Covenant and understand them fully. I promise to abide by this covenant and accept the consequences for breaking any part of it. Moreover, in order to fully participate in and prepare for this year's mission project, I covenant myself to the following spiritual commitments:

1. *Pray and read the Scriptures daily,*
2. *Attend all Mission Education Training sessions prior to the Project, and*
3. *Serve cooperatively with others.*

X _____
(Applicant's Signature) (Date)

All participants must be recommended by local church pastor.

X _____
(Signature of local church pastor) (Date)

**SECTION V - MEDICAL TREATMENT AUTHORIZATION
AND LIABILITY RELEASE FORM
FOR MINOR PARTICIPANT**

I (We), _____, being the parent(s)/legal guardian(s) of _____ (name of Minor) hereby give our approval for the said minor to attend the Youth Summer Mission Project 2008 through _____ Church, as described in this Application Form.

The above health information is correct, so far as I know, and the person herein described has permission to engage in the Mission Project except as noted. In the event I cannot be reached in an emergency during the mission project dates noted on this form, I hereby give permission to the physician selected by the site pastor or site director of the site at which my child serves to provide the necessary medical treatment. I also give permission to the site pastor and site director to provide for my child a certified First Aid provider to administer First Aid and over the counter medication as needed for illness or injury as well as the medication noted above.

I (We) assume all risks and hazards incidental to the conduct of the activities and transportation in connection with the Mission Project. I (We) do hereby release, absolve, indemnify and hold harmless the said church, the organizers, sponsors, and supervisors associated with the Mission Project from any and all loss, injury, or other damage to us or the above-named youth arising out of the trip. In case of injury to my (our) child, I (we) hereby waive all claims against said church, said organizers, sponsors, or any of the supervisors appointed by them in connection with the Mission Project. I (we) likewise release from responsibility any person transporting our child to and from the activities in connection with the Mission Project.

This authorization and form shall remain effective until the earlier of (i) the date my child returns to my home from the Mission Project or (ii) August 5, 2008, unless sooner revoked in writing delivered to the Coordinator of the Mission Project.

CAUTION: READ ALL THE ABOVE DETAILS BEFORE YOU SIGN.

X _____
(Signature of Parent/Guardian) (Date)

X _____
(Signature of Witness) (Date)

Name of Witness (Please print)

SECTION VI - MINISTRY INVOLVEMENT INFORMATION

Name of Participant: _____

1. Why are you interested in going on this mission project?

2. List five words that describe you.

3. List any activities and organizations with which you are involved in your school or your church.

4. List any ministry experience in working with children, youth or adults.

5. If you have participated in the mission project in previous years, please answer the followings:
 - A. In the training sessions, what areas of preparation do you feel need to be covered that were not given last year?

 - B. What are your expectations of the mission project this year?
 - a. For you?

 - b. For the group?

6. After some thought, comment on the following subjects with a total of no less than 200 words:
 - A. Your life before knowing Christ.
 - B. How you saw a need for Christ and received Him.
 - C. How Christ is changing and influencing your life.

SECTION VII - Ministry Assignments Preference (you may indicate more than one)

_____ **Site Pastor**

_____ **Site Director** – must be at least a junior in college and have a recommendation letter from your pastor, Chairman of the Deacons or of the church council. For information about the responsibilities of a site director, see the attached Description of Responsibilities.

_____ **Head of Food Service Team** – must know how to prepare meals for at least 30 people.

_____ **Food Service Team** – must be an adult who has some knowledge of cooking.

_____ **Prayer Team** – team of 2 or more persons assigned to lead groups in praying on site.

_____ **Work Project leader** – must know about carpentry, electrical or plumbing.

_____ **Beautician** – must be a woman who knows how to cut and style hair for women.

_____ **Adult Bible Study Leader** – must be an adult who is able to lead small groups of older adults in a discussion and application of Biblical concepts.

_____ Vacation Bible School Lead Teacher – what grade : pre-k / 1-2 / 3-4 / 5-6 / youth

_____ Vacation Bible School Assistant Teacher – what grade : pre-k / 1-2 / 3-4 / 5-6 / youth

_____ Backyard Bible Club Lead Teacher (pre-k / 1-2 / 3-4 / 5-6 / youth)

_____ Music Leader – VBS

_____ Music Leader – revival services

_____ Music Team Member (do you play an instrument yes / no. If yes what, _____)

2008 YSMP Sites and Projects

Please check the project date for which you are registering.

1. _____ **July 11-19, 2008, White Mountain Apache Baptist Church, Whiteriver**

Participants will assist the Pastor and members of the Church in conducting their annual Vacation Bible School and other projects to be determined by the church. Team size is 15-20. Depending on the make-up of the teams, participants may meet at Whiteriver instead of Phoenix; in that case, the date will be from June 23-30.

2. _____ **July 11-19, 2008, First Papago Baptist Church, Sells, AZ (Tohono O'odham Reservation)**

Sells is located about 60 miles SW of Tucson, and 130 miles SW of Phx. Last year was the first year Sells was included as part of YSMP. Tucson Chinese Baptist Church has also done missions projects there over the winter break in 2006 and 2007. Vacation Bible School, youth activities in the community recreation center (full size gym), & community work projects. Team size is 25-30.

3. _____ **July 11-19, 2008, McNary Apache Baptist Church**

Vacation Bible School, Backyard Bible Club, and evangelistic services (adults & youths) in the evening. Team size is 25-35.

4. _____ **July 11-19, 2008, Klagetoh (Navajo Reservation)**

Vacation Bible School, youth activities and revival services. The team will also need adults to lead craft or other special interest and Bible Study for adults. Team size is 25-30.

5. _____ **July 11-19, 2008, Rocky Ridge (about 100 miles NW of Winslow in the Navajo Reservation)**

Participants will camp in tents and use a portable camp shower and outhouse facilities during the week. The team will conduct a Vacation Bible School in the morning, a craft class outreach to adults in the afternoon, and revival services at night. All meetings are held outdoor. The team may also be asked to conduct some work projects in the afternoon. Team size is 15.

6. _____ **July 11-19, 2008, First Indian Baptist Church, Winslow, Arizona**

Participants will conduct VBS, visitation, nursing home ministry, nightly revival services and adult discipleship training. Team Size is 25-35.

7. _____ **July 11-19, 2008, Leupp Baptist Church, Leupp (Navajo Reservation)**

Participants will conduct VBS, sports clinics, evening youth and adult revival services. Team size is 25-30.

Part II - Participants Roster

Name	Phone Number	Grade	M/F	Location Preference
1) _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
2) _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
3) _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
4) _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
5) _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
6) _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
7) _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
8) _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
9) _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
10) _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
11) _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
12) _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
13) _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
14) _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
15) _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
16) _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
17) _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
18) _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
19) _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
20) _____	_____	_____	_____	_____

YSMP CONDUCT COVENANT

1. I will actively seek every opportunity as led by the Holy Spirit to share the good news of Jesus Christ with the local residents.
2. I will respect all pastors, site directors, designated group leaders, and peers. I will follow all the rules set up by the pastors and site directors and project committee and will take full responsibility for any misconduct or accidents I might cause.
3. I will seek to govern my speech and behavior by conscientiously applying Biblical Principles of Conduct.
4. I will actively seek to make the Youth Summer Mission Project a personal learning and growing experience, and to contribute to the growth of other team members by praying, encouraging, and serving with each other.
5. I will treat everyone on the team as an essential and vital member.
6. I will share personal concerns as constructive input rather than griping and complaining.
7. I will cooperate fully by obeying adult leaders' instructions, and by being responsive to correction.
8. I am committed to do my share of the ministry and workload and giving forth my best effort.
9. I will minimize personal desire for romance by concentrating on ministry.
10. I will give restitution for the loss or damage of items.
11. I will be sensitive to people feelings and respectful of the other cultures, customs, and environment by restraining from inappropriate comments, humor, or horseplay.
12. I understand that an uncooperative attitude, unacceptable behavior, or repeated violation of rules will result in discipline and notification to parent or guardians by collect phone call. If necessary, I will be sent home at my own expenses.

Description of Responsibilities

Site Pastor (SP)

1. The Site Pastor is responsible for all activities at the site, and supervises the Site Director(s) and all other participants.
2. The SP works with the SD(s) to divide the responsibilities among themselves.
3. The SP approves the activities and the schedule at each site.

Site Director (SD)

1. The Site Director serves under the supervision of the SP and assists the SP in carrying out the work at each site.
2. The SD fulfills the responsibilities assigned by the SP.
3. The SD generally assists the SP in supervising the participants in the conduct of Bible classes, activities and any other tasks assigned to them.

Head of Food Service Team

This individual is responsible for preparing all the meals for the participants at the site. He/she serves under the supervision of the SP.