

Dear Prospective Team Leader,

It's time to start planning for SE 2009, and it's time to start the process of recruiting men and women for the most vital position at Summer Excitement: Team Leader. It is time to pray, not only for the success of Summer Excitement 2009, but for your decision regarding your role in SE 2009.

Why are you getting this letter? You are either a former TL, a student who has shown leadership skills, or someone who has been recommended to us as a possible Team Leader. You are getting this letter because you show potential for being a great leader in the Kingdom. So, what do you do now? Enclosed you will find a prospective Team Leader application. **If you are interested in being a Team Leader, we need for you to complete this application and return it to the address noted AS SOON AS POSSIBLE, but no later than March 31, 2009. You may also fax your application to 806-698-1849 or scan it and email it to laci@summerexcitement.com.** Also, please feel free to give an application to anyone you know who would be a good Team Leader candidate. When we receive your application, we will know you are interested and one of the TL recruiters will contact you. Devon Watkins is the male recruiter and Laci Richardson is the female recruiter. Begin praying **now** about this decision. As you know, there are a growing number of candidates for TL and because of that we want this to be a serious, prayerful decision.

We will begin recruiting team leaders after March 31st and hope to have them all recruited by mid-April. After all of the TL positions are filled, a TL draft will be held around the end of April with all of the TLCs, and you will be assigned a partner, school, grade level, and TLC. Your TLC will then contact you to let you know this information.

Being a Team Leader requires great commitment. First, you will be required to attend TL training the weekend before SE. Team Leader training will begin Friday night, June 12, 2009 in Lubbock and will end with a special service at Quaker Avenue Church of Christ on Sunday morning when the elders will ordain you for SE ministry. Your SE students will arrive on campus Sunday evening. Second, there will be a closing lunch for all Team Leaders and TLCs after SE is over on Friday, June 19, 2009. The final commitment is a ton of hard work, hours of prayer, and a week worth of sleep!

Now for the most exciting news of all! **Team Leaders are not required to pay any tuition!!** We want your dedication and service, but no money!

Summer Excitement 2008 was a life-changing event for many who attended, maybe even for you. With your help and God's blessings, SE 2009 will be the same for others. We are looking forward to working with you and talking to all of you soon. If you know before we call you that you cannot be a Team Leader this year, please let one of the recruiters know.

In Him Who Is Excitement,

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