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YMCA OF THE TRIANGLE 2012 GO GLOBAL TRIPS

Please complete the entire application.

WASHINGTON, D.C.

- YOUTH SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES PROJECT**, Grades 9 - 10
April 1 - 7, 2012
Program Fee: \$567, Deposit: \$100 (Payment due in full by March 23, 2012)
- CENTER FOR STUDENT MISSIONS**, Grades 11-12
April 1 - 7, 2012
Program Fee: \$567, Deposit: \$100 (Payment due in full by March 23, 2012)

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- YOUNG ADULTS**, Ages 18 - 24
March 3 - 11, 2012
Program Fee: \$2,397, Deposit: \$100 (Payment due in full by Feb. 24, 2012)
- TEENS**, Grades 10 - 12
March 30 - April 7, 2012
Program Fee: \$2,397, Deposit: \$100 (Payment due in full by March 23, 2012)
- TEENS**, Grades 10 - 12
June 28 - July 13, 2012
Program Fee: \$4,997, Deposit: \$100 (Payment due in full by June 21, 2012)

Charlotte, NC, YMCA CAMP THUNDERBIRD

- MIDDLE SCHOOL TEENS**, Grades 6 - 8
April 2-6, 2012
Program Fee: \$367, Deposit: \$100 (Payment due in full by March 26, 2012)

It is important to return all application information as soon as possible as these programs fill quickly.
Please complete and return this application with a \$100 deposit and references to:

YMCA of the Triangle
Attention: Jessica Howard
801 Corporate Center Drive, Suite 200
Raleigh, NC 27607

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Payor # _____ Child's full name _____ Program _____
Child # _____

APPLICATION INFORMATION

Full Name of Participant: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Sex: M F Y Branch: _____ Member #: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

School Name: _____ 2011/12 School Grade: _____

Participant's cell number: _____ Participant's email address: _____

Mother's Name: _____

Mother's Phone: (h) _____ (w) _____ (c) _____

Father's Name: _____

Father's Phone: (h) _____ (w) _____ (c) _____

Parent's email to be used for ALL trip communications: _____

EXPERIENCE

List previous YMCA of the Triangle Area experiences as a member, volunteer and/or staff member/leadership roles.

Include when and where _____

QUALIFICATIONS (Please use additional paper.)

1. What personal qualities do you possess that would make you an asset to the program? _____

2. What extracurricular activities are you (were you) involved in at school/work? What experiences do you have working with community service or church/temple-related projects? How do you feel about community service? _____

3. Please list any international travel experiences in which you participated: _____

4. As a member of the YMCA Go Global team, what obligations to the Y, the leaders and the group do you believe would be most important? _____

5. Spaces in this program are available only to those who have a conscientious respect for organization and for the need for compliance with rules and regulations that place the welfare of others ahead of personal interests. What is your response to this statement? _____

REFERENCES (for Peru applicants only)

Please contact each reference and provide them with a reference form. Please email Jessica.Howard@YMCATriangle.org for a form. Return completed forms to the YMCA of the Triangle, Attn. Jessica Howard, 801 Corporate Center Drive, Ste. 200 Raleigh, NC 27607. Your application is not complete until TWO references have been returned. Please encourage your references to respond quickly. If you participated in the program in previous years, you do not have to submit references.

For the purpose of encouraging candor, I hereby freely and voluntarily waive any rights I might have to access any information contained on the Y's recommendation form and agree that the statement shall remain confidential.

Participant's Signature: _____ Date: _____

1. Teacher/Youth Director/Coach/other: _____ Phone: _____

2. Y supervisor or director: _____ Phone: _____

TEEN PROGRAMS COMMUNICATION POLICY (Grades 6 & up)

I hereby give permission for my teenager to communicate via email, web-based communication (such as Facebook) and phone (including cell phone text messages and images) with YMCA staff and volunteer advisors. I understand that my child and the staff and/or volunteer advisors may communicate about YMCA program information and about other information unrelated to the YMCA programs, and I further understand that any such communications may not be monitored, authorized or approved by the YMCA. I release and hold harmless the YMCA from any legal claims or liability related to such communications via email, web-based communication and phone.

Providing an email address authorizes email communication about Teen Programs.

Email _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____ Date: _____

Signature of Participant: _____ Date: _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____ Date: _____

(If participant is under the legal age of 18)

- The parent/guardian signing above represents by executing this document that he or she has the full authority to give permission for the minor child to participate in this program and intends unconditionally for the YMCA of the Triangle to rely upon this representation for all purposes related to the program.
- The YMCA is committed to the principle that all qualified applicants, including individuals with physical and/or mental disabilities, shall be afforded the opportunity to participate in the full and equal enjoyment of its programs in accord with all applicable laws and regulations. To that end, if because of a physical and/or mental disability you believe you are in need of a reasonable modification to allow you participate in our programs, we expect that you contact Leigh Longino, Director of Go Global programs, at Leigh.Longino@YMCATriangle.org to discuss this in further detail.

Please continue on to the back page. —————>

Pending acceptance into the Go Global program, the following information is relevant. Your signature represents your understanding of these two items:

TERMS OF PAYMENT & PROGRAM GUIDELINES

Qualified applicants are accepted on a first come first serve basis. A deposit of \$100 representing a reservation fee of \$75 and a processing fee of \$25, both of which are to be applied to the total fee for the 2011-12 YMCA of the Triangle Area Go Global program as indicated above, must be received and processed by the YMCA of the Triangle before acceptance into the program is granted. With acceptance into the program you are agreeing to pay the remaining balance by the date noted above. A cancellation fee of \$25, per program, per child, will be charged for all cancellations. Dues are non-refundable. No fee will be refunded if cancellation occurs after the program space has been accepted by the student, unless the space can be filled by another student. Refunds are processed by the Association Resource Center and mailed to the address on your child's account within 45 days after receipt of written cancellation. If airline arrangements have been finalized at the time of cancellation you as the payer will be responsible for the cost of the airfare. All travel arrangements are reserved as a group, participants may not deviate from the group airline or bus reservations. Non-attendance does not entitle you to a refund. This includes non-attendance due to illness, vacation, or when YMCA programs are closed due to inclement weather.

The cost of each program includes activity fees, bus transportation, all meals, accommodations, program supplies, rental equipment and round trip international airfare (for Peru participants only). Participants will need to provide personal spending money. Due to the financial commitment of international programs, we encourage all participants to purchase travel insurance upon deposit and acceptance into the Go Global Peru program.

RELEASE AND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF RISKS

I understand that there are inherent risks involved in international and/or adventure travel. I further understand that serious accidents and illnesses may occur from time to time while traveling on such programs and that participants on adventure travel programs occasionally sustain serious personal injuries and/or property damage as a consequence thereof. I assume the risks of international and/or adventure travel on behalf of my child/myself, consent to myself/my child's participation in this program, and hereby agree to accept any and all risks of personal injury, property damage, or death. Specifically, myself/my child and I hereby release, waive, discharge, and covenant not to sue the YMCA of the Triangle Area, and their officers, board members, agents, servants, employees, or volunteers including any persons supervising or chaperoning students while participating in this program from any and all liability, demands, claims, damages, or costs arising out of (i) property loss or damage and (ii) injury or death while my child is participating in this program.

I have carefully read this application and fully understand its contents and intend by my signature below for this release to be binding upon me, my spouse (if applicable), and my child, as well as our respective heirs, assigns, and personal representatives.

Signature of Participant: _____ **Date:** _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____ **Date:** _____

(If participant is under the legal age of 18)