

**MOUNTAIN TOP EXPERIENCE 2024 THE 6TH ANNUAL VIRGINIA INTERSTATE
YOUTH CONFERENCE**

APRIL 5 - APRIL 7, 2024

**EAGLE EYRIE BAPTIST CONFERENCE CENTER
LYNCHBURG, VA**

6TH ANNUAL VIRGINIA INTERSTATE YOUTH CONFERENCE

Jeremiah 1:4-7

iMATTER

"Young. Called. Qualified."

4 The Lord gave me this message: 5 "I knew you before I formed you in your mother's womb. Before you were born I set you apart and appointed you as my prophet to the nations." 6 "O Sovereign Lord," I said, "I can't speak for you! I'm too young!" 7 The Lord replied, "Don't say, 'I'm too young,' for you must go wherever I send you and say whatever I tell you.





Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

In our current culture, many of our young people's self-esteem and self-efficacy are under attack. Characters known as depression, loneliness, feeling unloved, feeling insignificant and even suicide, have aggressively made their way into the lives of middle schoolers and high schoolers. Like never before, we are witnessing so many effects of unhealthy mental health in youth. The good news is that God is not only aware of this attack, but he wants our young people to know that they MATTER. Jeremiah 1:4-7 shares with us that even as a child, Jeremiah MATTERED to God and was given significance from God. This same God wants to share with you and your youth that you MATTER to him, and have been given great significance from him. It is our prayer, that as a result of this weekend the youth in attendance will be able to say with Godfidence, "iMATTER!"

Therefore, it is with great joy and excitement that I invite you and the youth of your church to the **6th ANNUAL MTE2024 VIRGINIA INTERSTATE YOUTH CONFERENCE – THE MOUNTAIN TOP EXPERIENCE!** This event will be held at **EAGLE EYRIE Conference Center in Lynchburg, VA, April 5-7, 2024.** This year's theme is "**iMATTER,**" and is taken from **Jeremiah 1:4-7.** The weekend will include a **HBCU COLLEGE RECRUITMENT FAIR**, *praise and worship, lodging for all participants, 5 full 3 course meals, breakout sessions, a 100 YOUTH conference mass choir, guest speakers, a conference praise dance workshop, gospel R&B and hip hop artists, talent show, three adult workshops on taking youth ministry to the next level, a 5 on 5 basketball tournament, a speakers bureau, an ALL-WHITE PARTY, SPECIAL GUESTS,* and most of all **JESUS CHRIST!**

In this packet, you will find the event registration form, youth activities registration forms, directions to the Eagle Eyrie, a schedule for the weekend, a list of frequently asked questions and a list of what/what not to bring. **THIS EVENT IS ONLY FOR YOUTH WHO ARE IN 6th -12th GRADES, NO EXCEPTIONS. ADULT CHAPERONES MUST BE AT LEAST 25 YEARS OF AGE, NO EXCEPTIONS.** This is a **3 DAY** event and will conclude with Sunday morning worship. PLEASE make plans for you and your youth to enjoy and benefit from the entire weekend conference experience. Youth will participate in the mass conference choir and mass conference praise dancers on Sunday morning. Our adult youth pastors class will also present on Sunday morning. As we strive to propel our youth to have the strong conviction that they MATTER, we look forward to worshipping with you at the MTE2024 VIRGINIA INTERSTATE YOUTH CONFERENCE!



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Mount Hope Baptist Church, Pastor of Family Engagement and Innovative Strategy
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Packet 20-Point Checklist

PLEASE FOLLOW THE INFORMATION IN THIS PACKET CLOSELY. DO NOT CREATE YOUR OWN FORMS OR ADDITIONAL REGISTRATION SHEETS. RETURN EVERY SHEET OF THIS PACKET. MAKE SURE THAT EACH SHEET IS FULLY COMPLETED. EACH SUBMITTED PACKET MUST INCLUDE THIS 20-POINT CHECKLIST FORM.

1. I have completed the Group Registration Form. ____
2. I have completed the High School Male Form. ____
3. I have completed the Middle School Male Form. ____
4. I have completed the Adult Male Form. ____
5. I have completed the High School Female Form. ____
6. I have completed the Middle School Female Form. ____
7. I have completed the Adult Female Form. ____
8. I have viewed the Weekend POWER FIT Sheet. ____
9. I have viewed and/or completed the Speakers Bureau Guidelines and Form. ____
10. I have viewed and/or completed the Basketball Entry Form. ____
11. I have viewed and/or completed the Eyrie's Best Talent Show Form. ____
12. I have viewed and/or completed the 100 Voice Conference Choir Form. ____
13. I have viewed and/or completed the Praise Dance Workshop Form. ____
14. I have viewed the Adult Sessions Sheet. ____
15. I have viewed and/or completed the Sip and Paint Form. ____
16. I have completed the Strength Guy Talk Form. ____
17. I have completed the Polished Girl Talk Form. ____
18. I have completed the Church Kickball Form. ____
19. I have completed the College Recruitment Fair Form. ____
20. Each youth and adult participant has a completed Waiver Form enclosed. ____

Group Registration

\$200 Early Registration Deadline: **January 22, 2024**

\$215 Late Registration Deadline: **March 21, 2024**

Church Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone Number: _____

Contact Person: _____

Contact Email: _____

Contact Phone Number: _____

	COST PER PERSON	# OF PERSONS	SUBTOTAL
Early Registration	\$200.00	_____	\$_____
Late Registration	\$215.00	_____	\$_____
Total Amount Enclosed		_____	\$_____

Make all checks and money orders payable to:

Mount Hope Baptist Church
(On the memo line please put MTE2024.)

Send all registration packets to:

Mount Hope Baptist Church
6823 Harrison Road
Fredericksburg, VA 22407

1. All Deadlines are Final.
2. Refund Policy: There are no refunds after the Early Registration Deadline (January 22, 2024).
3. You will receive an email confirmation upon receipt of payment.
4. There will be no on-site registration.
5. No credits and no rain checks.

High School Male Registration

Instructions: List All Registered H.S. Male Youth. Please Print Legibly.

[illegible]

Middle School Male Registration

Instructions: List All Registered M.S. Male Youth. Please Print Legibly.

[illegible]

Adult Male Group Registration

Instructions: List All Registered Male Adult Leaders. Please Print Legibly.

[illegible]

High School Female Registration

Instructions: List All Registered H.S. Female Youth. Please Print Legibly.

[illegible]

Middle School Female Registration

Instructions: List All Registered M.S. Female Youth. Please Print Legibly.

[illegible]

Adult Female Group Registration

Instructions: List All Registered Female Adult Leaders. Please Print Legibly.

[illegible]

Weekend “iMATTER FIT”

This component is known as “The Fit!” The Fit will be the guide for our WEEKEND DAILY ATTIRE! Check out the #MTE2024 weekend's daily wardrobe and prepare your youth and adults to be DRESSED IN THE RIGHT iMATTER FIT!

FRIDAY NIGHT FIT – ALL WHITE

7:00PM – 10:00PM: (IN THE SPIRIT – “Before I formed you in your mother’s womb.”)

ALL WHITE PARTY



SATURDAY MORNING FIT - MISMATCH or TWIN DAY



SATURDAY NIGHT FIT – JEANS/SWEATS & CHURCH MINISTRY T-SHIRTS

7:00PM – Evening Worship Experience



SUNDAY MORNING – SUNDAY’S BEST

9:00AM – 12:00PM (AND NOW UNTO HIM)



*****ALL** attire/outfits must be respectful and presentable. No attire with obscene pictures and/or language will be permitted or tolerated. **ALL** skirts and/or short pants must be no higher than 2 inches above the knee. There shall be no extremely form fitting “club attire,” or tops that extremely reveal cleavage. **ADULT LEADERS PLEASE BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR YOUTH’S ATTIRE BEFORE ARRIVING ON THE MOUNTAIN. IT IS YOUR RESPONSIBILITY TO KEEP YOUR YOUTH WITHIN THESE GUIDELINES.**

Speakers Bureau Guidelines

All adults are **strongly encouraged to urge the youth of your church** who have an aptitude for speaking and writing to participate in this year's Speakers Bureau.

Middle School Division: Grades 6-8

- The participants' speeches should be **no less than 2 ½ minutes and should not exceed 3 minutes.**
- The title of each speech must be **"iMATTER!"**
- Each speech must use **Jeremiah 1:4-7** as its scripture focus.
- Remember to use creativity and personality to address this theme. Each speech should be intentional in addressing **Middle School Youth**.
- **A completed entry form and written speech must accompany your group's registration.**
- The participants are required to have their Youth Pastor or an adult youth leader assist them with the following:
 - writing their speech,
 - rehearsing their speech, and
 - staying within the time constraints.

High School Division: Grades 9-12

- The participants' speeches should be **no less than 2 ½ minutes and should not exceed 3 minutes.**
- The title of each speech must be **"iMATTER!"**
- Each speech must use **Jeremiah 1:4-7** as its scripture focus.
- Remember to use creativity and personality to address this theme. Each speech should be intentional in addressing **High School Youth**.
- **A completed entry form and written speech must accompany your group's registration.**
- The participants are required to have their Youth Pastor or an adult youth leader assist them with the following:
 - writing their speech,
 - rehearsing their speech, and
 - staying within the time constraints.

Middle and High School Divisions

- **Upon arrival on Friday, April 5th**, the Speakers Bureau Committee will hear each of the participating youth speakers and judge 1st – 3rd place in both middle and high school divisions. The winners, as well as their chaperones, will be notified following Friday night's ALL WHITE Party.
- All participants will be recognized during the Saturday Morning Experience.
- The top 3 entries in each division will have the wonderful privilege of giving their speeches to the interstate body of youth on Saturday morning.
- **Male Youth Attire:** (Business) Participating male youth **must** wear a tie and a jacket. No jeans or cargo pants allowed. No athletic shoes or work boots. Shirts **must** be tucked into pants without "sagging;" belts **must** be worn. Dress shoes **must** be worn.
- **Female Youth Attire:** (Business) Participating female youth **must** wear a dress, skirt suit or pant suit. Skirts: No more than two inches above the knee. No jeans or cargo pants allowed. No athletic shoes or work boots. Flat dress shoes or heels **must** be worn.

Speakers Bureau Entry Form



Church Name: _____

Contact Person: _____

Contact Email: _____

Contact Phone Number: (____) _____ - _____

<u>Youth Name</u>	<u>Grade Level</u>

(All registration forms are to be submitted together with completed registration packet.)

Basketball (5 on 5) Entry Form



Guidelines:

- 5 on 5 Teams cannot exceed 10 players per team.
- There shall be no more than 4 teams per church (1 Middle School Team and 1 High School Team per gender).
- If your church is not participating in the basketball tournament you do not need to fill out this form.
- **No additional teams will be added after March 21, 2024.**

Church Name: _____

Contact Person: _____

Contact Email: _____

Contact Phone Number: (____) _____ - _____

Please check Yes or No.

	Yes	No
Middle School Girl Team		
High School Girl Team		
Middle School Boy Team		
High School Boy Team		

(All registration forms are to be submitted together with completed registration packet.)

“Eyrie’s Got Talent” Talent Show Entry Form



***ONLY 1 ACT PER CHURCH (due to the number of participating churches). Select your top youth representative! ***ALL music MUST be turned in upon arrival, on either CD or jump drive, at registration table on Friday, April 5, 2024.

Church Name: _____

Contact Person: _____

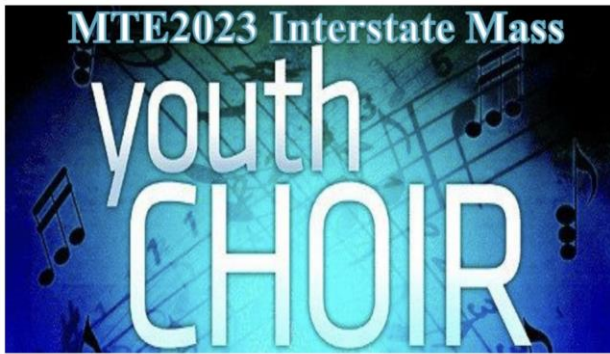
Contact Email: _____

Contact Phone Number: (____) _____ - _____

<u>Youth/Group Name</u>	<u>Talent</u>

Note: (Dancers, Steppers, Mimes, Vocalists) All acts will be screened prior to the Eyrie’s Best Talent Show. Acts may NOT exceed 3 minutes each.

(All registration forms are to be submitted together with completed registration packet.)



Conference Choir Participant Form

Facilitators:
Rev. Nicole Guns & Bro. Kamron Blue
Second Calvary Baptist Church
Norfolk, VA

Church Name: _____

Contact Person: _____

Contact Email: _____

Contact Phone Number: (____) _____ - _____

<u>Youth Name</u>	<u>Part: Soprano, Alto, Tenor</u>

Mass choir participants will be singing for the closing worship experience on Sunday morning.

Total Number of Youth Participating: _____



Praise Dance Workshop Form

Facilitator: Min. Camille Preston
New Deliverance Evangelistic Church
Richmond, VA

Church Name: _____

Contact Person: _____

Contact Email: _____

Contact Phone Number: (____) _____ - _____

Youth who have church praise dance attire, bring those garments with you. If you do not have praise dance attire, please bring black jeans, a solid white LONG SLEEVE T-Shirt and black socks. You will dance for the closing worship experience on Sunday morning. (Preferred attire colors: Black, White and Purple) Also, make sure that attire is loose fitting to assist with movement.

<u>Youth Name</u>	<u>Male/Female</u>

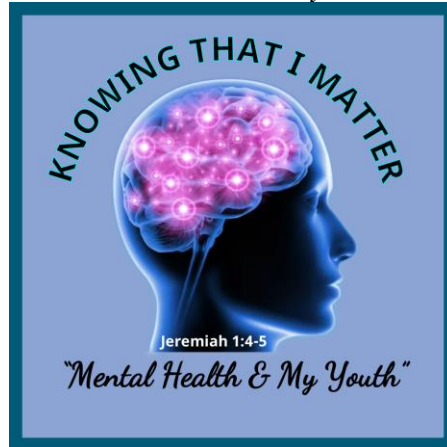
Total Number of Youth Participating: _____

Adult Sessions

Adult Youth Workers (A and B Sessions)

“KNOWING THAT I MATTER”

“Mental Health & My Youth”

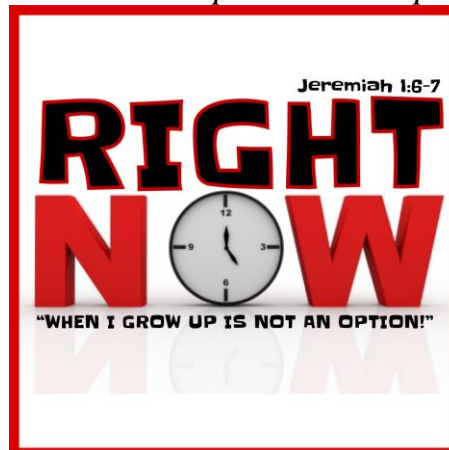


Facilitator: Arkitia Pegram-Crawley
Licensed Professional Counselor – Second Calvary Baptist Church
Norfolk, VA

Youth Pastors

“RIGHT NOW”

“When I Grow Up Is Not an Option”



Facilitator: Rev. Dawn Bowles
5th Street Missionary Baptist Church
Oklahoma City, OKC

Paint and Sip



Paint and Sip will run during the 2-hour free time. Youth will be assigned one of four 30-minute painting blocks. A POWER theme based medium will be given to paint. This form must be submitted with your group registration in order to participate. No additions will be made for this activity after March 1, 2024.

Youth Name	Grade Level

Total Number of Participating Youth _____



“STRENGTH”



“STRENGTH” will run during the 2-hour free from 5:30pm – 6:15pm. **This activity is ONLY FOR YOUNG MEN.** We will bring together our young men for “guy talk” concerning REAL issues that affect their lives. This form must be submitted with your group registration in order to participate. **ONE ADULT MALE CHAPERONE MUST BE FULLY RESPONSIBLE FOR ESCORTING YOUR GROUP’S YOUTH MALES WHO SIGN UP FOR THIS 5:30pm SESSION.**

<u>Youth Name</u>	<u>Grade Level</u>

Total Number of Participating Youth _____

“POLISHED”



“POLISHED” will run during the 2-hour free time. Youth will be assigned to one of two 1 hour nail painting sessions. **This is ONLY FOR YOUNG LADIES.** This activity will combine NAIL PAINTING AND GIRL TALK. This form must be submitted with your group registration in order to participate.

<u>Youth Name</u>	<u>Grade Level</u>

Total Number of Participating Youth _____

Church Kickball Entry Form



Guidelines:

- Teams cannot exceed 20 players.
- There shall be no more than 1 team per church (YOUTH AND ADULTS MAY PARTICIPATE IN THIS ACTIVITY TOGETHER).
- If your church is not participating in the kickball activity, you do not need to fill out this form.
- **No additional teams will be added after March 21, 2024.**

Church Name: _____

Contact Person: _____

Contact Email: _____

Contact Phone Number: (____) _____ - _____

(All registration forms are to be submitted together with completed registration packet.)

College Recruitment Fair



The College Recruitment Fair will run during the 2-hour free time period on our weekend schedule. **This activity is ONLY FOR 11th and 12th GRADERS.** This activity will bring together colleges and universities to do ON SITE ACCEPTANCE. This form must be submitted with your group registration in order to participate. All youth must bring the following information to participate in this recruitment fair.

SAT and/or ACT Scores
High School Transcript Containing Cumulative GPA
3 Recommendation Letters (Teacher or School Administrator, Church Leader, Community)
List of Extra Curricular Activities and Community Involvement

<u>Youth Name</u>	<u>Grade Level</u>

Total Number of Participating Youth _____

Waiver & Release Form

Note: All adults and youth attending this conference must complete and return this form.
(All youth Grades 6-12 must have a parent/guardian signature.) PLEASE MAKE A COPY TO
KEEP WITH YOUR GROUP FOR EACH YOUTH AND ADULT IN ATTENDANCE.

Full Name: _____ Gender: _____

Please circle the level that identifies the registrant: Middle School / High School / Adult

Church Name: _____

Home Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Parent Email/Adult Email: _____

Parent Phone/Adult Phone: (_____) _____ - _____ (_____) _____ - _____
Daytime Evening

Insurance Provider: _____

Policy Number: _____

*Please make certain all registrants bring all needed meds and a copy of their insurance card to the conference.

Please list any medical restrictions from activities the registrant might have:

Please list any medicine or food allergies:

"Having been made aware of all conference activities, I hereby consent to the participation of the registrant on this form, at The 6th Annual Mountain Top Experience 2024 Virginia Interstate Youth Conference. I voluntarily release and forever discharge the Mount Hope Baptist Church and Rev. Maurice Hilton Bowles, III from any and all liability, claims, actions, or rights of action that is in any way related to this registrant's participation in any conference activities. I agree to indemnify and hold Mount Hope Baptist Church and Rev. Maurice Hilton Bowles, III harmless from any and all costs or damages, including attorney fees incurred in connection with the registrant's participation any conference activities. I further agree not to sue, assert or otherwise maintain any claim or cause of action against Mount Hope Baptist Church or Rev. Maurice Hilton Bowles, III arising from this registrant's participation in conference activities. In addition, I hereby consent to the registrant being filmed/photographed during this Youth Conference and give permission to use the film/photographs for any type of publication.

In case of emergency, I understand every effort will be made to contact parents or guardians of minor registrants. However, if parents or guardians cannot be reached, or if I, the below signed registrant is 18 years of age or older, I give Mount Hope Baptist Church and Rev. Maurice Hilton Bowles, III permission to act on my behalf in seeking and administering medical treatment. I agree to release Mount Hope Baptist Church and Rev. Maurice Hilton Bowles, III from any liability in acting on my behalf in this regard and rendering such medical assistance. I assume the risk and financial responsibility for any injury resulting from this registrant's participation in all conference activities."

Signature: _____

Please Print Your Name Here: _____

Emergency Contact Name: _____

Day Phone: (_____) _____ - _____ Evening Phone (_____) _____ - _____

Mountain Top Experience 2024 Virginia Statewide Youth Conference Schedule

ALL TIMES ON THIS SCHEDULE ARE MANDATORY

FRIDAY

2:00 pm – 5:00 pm.....Check – In (Voight Center)
5:00 pm – 6:30 pm.....Dinner (Cafeteria)
6:30 pm – 7:15 pm.....Adult Youth Leader Orientation Session (Voight Center)
7:30 pm – 9:30 pm.....Opening Experience ALL WHITE PARTY (Dogwood Hall)
ALL WHITE ATTIRE
DJ/Welcome/Rules
Prayer
All White Party DJ
Various Live Groups
Prayer / Dismissal
10:00 pm -11:00 pm.....Choir Rehearsal (Dogwood Hall)
Praise Dance Rehearsal (Dogwood Classroom 17)
11:00 pm – 11:45 pm.....Cottage Devotions
Midnight.....Lights Out

SATURDAY

7:30 am – 9:00 am.....Breakfast (Cafeteria)
9:15 am – 9:30 am.....Morning Experience (Dogwood Hall)
Praise and Worship
Reading of Theme Scripture
Prayer
9:30 am – 9:40 am.....Transition to Empowerment Sessions
(**Male Youth** – Dining Hall / **Female Youth** – Dogwood Hall / **Adults** – Voight Center)
9:40 am – 10:20 am.....EMPOWERMENT SESIONS
10:20 am – 10:30 am.....Transition to Mass Session (Dogwood Hall)
10:30 am – 10:50 am.....Speakers Bureau (Dogwood Hall)
10:50 am – 11:00 am.....Class Instruction and Transition to Small Group Sessions
11:00 am – 12:00 pm.....Small Group Sessions (Various Class Rooms)

12:00 pm – 1:20 pm.....Lunch (Cafeteria)
Middle School Lunch Report Time 12:00 pm / High School Lunch Report Time 12:30 pm

1:30 pm – 2:30 pm.....Small Group Sessions (Various Class Rooms)

2:45 pm – 4:00 pm.....Eyrie’s Best Talent Show (Dogwood Hall)
(All youth registered in the talent show, please report to the Cedar Crest lobby.)

4:15 pm – 6:15 pm.....Free Time Activities (Various Locations)

5:30 pm – 6:15 pm.....Choir Rehearsal (Dogwood Hall)
Praise Dance Rehearsal (Dogwood Classroom 17)

5:30 pm – 7:30 pm.....Dinner (Cafeteria)

7:45 pm – 10:00 pm.....Evening Experience (Dogwood Hall)
CHURCH T-SHIRTS POWER FIT Attendance Mandatory
Praise and Worship
Reading of Theme Scripture
Prayer
Speakers Bureau and Basketball Tournament Awards
Introduction of Preacher
Preacher
Rev. Michael Douglas
Gethsemane Community Fellowship Church, Norfolk, VA

10:00 pm – 11:00 pm.....Choir Rehearsal (Dogwood Hall)
Praise Dance Rehearsal (Dogwood Classroom 17)

11:00 pm – 11:45 pm.....Cottage Devotions

Midnight.....Lights Out

SUNDAY

8:30 am – 9:30 am.....Breakfast (Cafeteria)

9:45 am – 12:30 pm.....Closing Experience (Dogwood Hall)
POWER DRESSED Praise and Worship
Reading of Theme Scripture
Prayer
Conference Praise Dancers
Adult Youth Workers Presentation
Introduction of Preacher/Conference Choir
Preacher
Reverend Tiffany Holloman
Gethsemane Baptist Church, Newport News, VA
Closing Remarks/Benediction

12:30 pm.....Check-Out (Lunch is on your own.)

Important Reminders

REGISTRATION

All completed registrations should be sent to the Mount Hope Baptist Church office via mail service or personally delivered. Please make sure that you have included in your registration any late fees that your church might have incurred if you registered after the early registration deadline. You will receive an email confirmation upon receipt of full payment. **Early Registration Deadline is January 22, 2024. Late Registration Deadline is March 21, 2024.**

CANCELLATION/REFUND POLICY

There are no refunds after the Early Registration Deadline. There are no credits and no rain checks.

SUBSTITUTION POLICY

Substitutions (changing one attendee for another) prior to the registration deadline can be made. Substitutions past the registration deadline **MUST** be within the same gender and grade level (e.g. male youth for male youth, female adult for female adult). Please inform the Mount Hope Baptist Church of any substitutions. **No substitutions will be accepted after March 21, 2024.**

PROVIDE LEADERSHIP

This event is designed to help you as well as your youth deepen your relationship with God. You and your adult volunteers will be responsible for making sure all youth are following all guidelines that have been outlined. The conference staff is not responsible for monitoring and disciplining your youth. Any major discipline infractions will result in the church group being **immediately** sent home without refund.

TRANSPORTATION

Most groups will utilize their own church provided transportation to the conference site. At the conference site there is an area for chartered bus pick-up and departure. Passenger Bus/Van parking is provided throughout the conference site in front of most cottages.

WHAT TO BRING

Jacket/Coat
\$15-\$20 spending money
Ink Pen & Notebook
Comfortable Walking Shoes
Bible and Cell Phone
(Never leave home without them)
Toiletries

WHAT NOT TO BRING

Illegal Substances
Weapons
Refrigerators/TV/Microwaves
Inappropriate Clothing
**Includes T-shirts with offensive words or pictures
or items that are revealing**

Frequently Asked Questions

1. Question: How long is the conference?

Answer: The conference is a three-day and two-night event. (Beginning on a Friday afternoon and concluding early Sunday afternoon)

2. Question: What age/grades are eligible to attend?

Answer: Any youth in sixth through twelfth (6th – 12th) **grades** may attend the conference.

3. Question: Does my church need to send adult leaders?

Answer: Yes! A church may bring as many adult leaders as they wish. However, **we require that churches have a ratio of 1 male leader per 4 male youth and 1 female leader per 4 female youth.**

4. Question: Is there a registration cost?

Answer: Yes. The early registration cost is \$200.00 per person; this cost includes lodging, five (5) meals, all activities, and retreat materials for the weekend. There is a late registration cost of \$215.00 per person after the early registration deadline.

5. Question: When is check-in?

Answer: Check-in begins at 2:00 pm on Friday (and will continue until all churches have arrived). There is a mandatory adult youth leaders orientation at 6:30 pm in the Voight Conference Center. Each registered church should only send one (1) Female and (1) Male youth leader to the orientation session.

6. Question: What about accommodations?

Answer: The retreat site provides lodging for 900 persons. All cottages have electricity, full bathrooms, bunk beds, couches, chairs, linen, and soap. Some cottages also have full kitchens with a refrigerator. Each church will be assigned single-sex lodging accommodations for the weekend. The size of each church group will determine their lodging assignment. Some churches may be assigned a cottage with another church.

There is no co-ed visitation permitted during the weekend.

7. Question: What should I wear during the weekend?

Answer: Dress casual (no revealing clothing) for the weekend. Bring comfortable clothing and shoes due to hilly terrain of the retreat site. The weather is usually warmer during the day and cooler at night. SEE THE WEEKEND ATTIRE SHEET IN THIS REGISTRATION PACKET.

8. Question: Do adult leaders have to fill out the medical waiver also?

Answer: Yes. All persons (youth and adults) in order to attend the conference must completely fill out the medical waiver. The medical waiver should be turned in along with the conference registration.

9. Question: What do churches do about youth taking medication?

Answer: Adult leaders should be aware of any medical condition that may affect their students. Youth should carry and administer their medication at all times. In case of emergency, there is a medical professional on duty. Please make a copy of all registration forms to keep an official record of your entire group's information.

EVENT LOCATION: Eagle Eyrie is located on Locke Mountain, of The Blue Ridge Mountains approximately eleven (11) miles northwest of downtown Lynchburg off US 501 North.

Address: 1 Eagle Eyrie Drive, Lynchburg, VA 24503

