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A Ministry of the North American Mission Board, SBC

New Orleans, LA July 15th -22nd

Accommodations: (Sunday-Saturday) July 16-22nd

John Curtis Christian School
10125 Jefferson HWY
River Ridge, LA 70123

(Saturday night only) July 15th

Mt. Gilead Baptist Church
2864 S Brannon Strand Rd.
Dothan, AL 36305
(334) 792-4842

LEAVING: Saturday, July 15th at 8:00 AM. (please eat breakfast beforehand)

LOADING: If you would like to load your luggage on the bus/trailer early, Friday night (July 14th) from 5- 6 PM.

RETURNING: Saturday afternoon, July 22nd (evening-late night)

TO DO before July 15th:

1. World Changers participant form filled out, notarized and turned in
2. Balance paid in full (\$225.00)
3. your insurance card copied, copy given to Drew
4. SBC release form signed and turned in to Drew (distributed as needed)
5. PACK!
6. Make sure we have your t-shirt size

We will be spending the first night in Alabama, be sure to keep one night's worth of clothes/shower stuff handy when packing, including bedding. We will spend Sunday afternoon in New Orleans for some fun time together as a group before the week starts. (so bring any additional spending money for a few hours in New Orleans if you plan to shop). Plan to have enough money for 6-7 meals on the road during the week due to travel days. Once our week begins in New Orleans, all meals are covered. (recommend \$60 minimum for travel meals). We will be returning on Saturday July 22nd, so save enough for at least 2 of these meals on the way home. (5 going, 2 coming back, plus any additional options)

Travel: 25-passenger Church bus & 15-passenger church bus

Leaders: Drew Stables (995-0261), Nicole Blake, Valerie Davis, Mark Blake, Fretia Flinchum

Cost: \$225.00 total (\$50 deposit, \$175 balance)

World Changers asks that students not take their cell phones to the work site during the day. If you need to reach your student during the workday, please contact a leader in case of emergency and we will get to the student however necessary. Otherwise, students will be able to use phones back at the host site once they get back each afternoon. Please be in prayer for the upcoming week. It will be some difficult work for all involved, but exciting and rewarding as well. Be praying for our students, but also for the communities we will be working in and for the homeowners that we will be serving during the week. Expect big things and God won't disappoint!

*****Any mentioned forms (not included) will be handed out and discussed at upcoming parent/participant information meeting on Wednesday, May 24th at 7:30 PM. Please make every effort to attend on May 24th. The paperwork can all be filled out then, and notaries will be on hand to make it all as easy for you as possible.

What to Pack:

-Bedding (sleeping bag, pillow, air mattress, sheets, or roll-up mat, pack so you can get to it Saturday night)

-Casual Clothes enough for the week - will want a trash bag or dirty laundry bag by the end of the week

VERY IMPORTANT: No tank tops or spaghetti strap shirts even back at the school in evenings. (You are allowed to wear shorts AT THE school where we are staying, NOT to work in though.)

-Work clothes (long pants **ONLY**, short sleeved t-shirts only, work shoes/boots, no capris pants or tank tops allowed)

VERY IMPORTANT: If you do not have the proper work clothes, World Changers will not let you on the work site.

-all personal toiletries (shower bag/tote, towels, shower shoes, deodorant, soap, shampoo, toothbrush)

-Tools (suggested list below)

-Bible, pen

-\$\$ enough for 7 meals on road (missions offering during week also, snack money, etc.)

Optional extras to pack:

- sunscreen & sunglasses

- personal bug spray repellent

- Snacks/drinks to keep in the room with you for nighttime (again, optional) can also get these once we get to New Orleans.

- Hat/visor if you need it

- Insurance card (good idea to keep it on you even if you turned in your copy with paperwork)

Tools: (a hammer and paint brush are pretty essential if that's all you bring, you'll do fine)

Hammer

Tape measure

Paint stuff (paint bucket, roller, brushes)

Pry bar or crowbar

Work gloves

***** Any tool you bring, you are responsible for keeping up with during the week. I would suggest writing your name on each tool somewhere with a Sharpie or on duct tape somewhere on the tool.)**

As the day to leave approaches, feel free to call with any questions as often as you need. It's going to be a great week and please let me be a part of that if it means helping you to be better prepared. Please feel free to call as often as necessary so that your student is nothing but excited for a good week rather than worrying about the unknown!

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