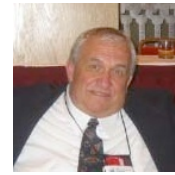




MASC/MAHS



“Mr. K” Summer Leadership Camp Scholarship

The Michigan Associations of Student Councils and Honor Societies lost a dear friend in February 2007. Mr. Jack Kalousek taught and advised at Franklin High School (Livonia, Michigan) for 12 years and was serving as their Student Activities' Director. He was passionate about student leadership and providing students opportunities to grow. His involvement at the local, state and national level was matched by very few advisers in Michigan.. He was well-known, respected, loved and treasured by advisers and students throughout Michigan and he will be dearly missed. After Jack's passing, numerous schools and individuals came forward to donate money to the Association in the hope that a scholarship for the Summer Leadership Camp could be put together. The Kalousek Family agreed that Jack's passion was seeing students grow and encouraged the creation of the Mr. K Summer Leadership Camp Scholarship. These scholarships will be awarded to student leaders from any public or private high school in Michigan that are currently in 9th, 10th or 11th grade and are interested in attending the leadership camp. The student's school must be a member of MASC/MAHS. Eligible and interested students must submit a completed Applicant Overview Form (see page 2), as well as a personal essay in order to be considered for a scholarship. Scholarships will cover \$300 of the \$400 Camp Registration Fee. The student is responsible for paying the remainder of the cost of camp.

High School Leadership Camp: July 26 – July 31, 2009 @ Albion College

Cost: \$400/student (member school), Scholarship: \$300

What do students do at the MASC/MAHS Summer Leadership Camps?

Students are placed in random leadership groups (separate from schoolmates), supervised by two staff members. Throughout the week, students sit in on interactive and experiential lessons that guide them through various aspects of leadership (see details below). The students are also responsible for a number of tasks throughout their days with us. Councils take on the task of developing leadership challenges, News of the Day presentations, camp-wide mixers, leadership skits, service projects, photo display boards, reflection sessions and a variety of other activities and presentations.

What skills will students develop/learn at the Leadership Camps?

There are a variety of lessons and skills that students will be exposed to throughout their days at our camp. Below is a list of some of the general ideas students will walk away with. Each camp level (Middle School, High School 1st Year, High School 2nd Year, and High School 3rd Year) experiences unique curriculum that varies slightly from the areas below as well as expands on a number of other leadership areas.

- **Communication Skills:** to relay and understand information effectively (listening & speaking) in large and small groups using a variety of mediums
- **Organization & Managerial Skills:** to plan and implement projects, facilitate meetings and understand the structure of their respective leadership group
- **Service & Citizenship:** to take responsibility for personal actions and to act ethically; to understand their responsibility to the community around them
- **Group Process:** to interact in groups effectively, develop cohesiveness, understand leadership/personality styles, utilize strategies for problem solving and conflict resolution and to facilitate decision-making processes
- **Goal Setting:** to formulate individual and group goals, as well as set, identify and evaluate goals

Scholarship Application Deadline:
Scholarship Recipients Notified:

Postmarked by MAY 1, 2009
JUNE 1, 2009

APPLICANT OVERVIEW FORM

**Please provide all of the requested information.*

**You may retype the information on a new sheet, provided you stick to the same format outlined on this page.*

Student Information	
First Name: _____	Last Name: _____
Address: _____	
City: _____	Zip: _____
Phone: _____	Email: _____
Birthdate: _____	Grade Level: _____
Parent(s)/Guardian(s) Name (s): _____	
Phone: _____	Email: _____
Have you (the student) attended any leadership workshops/seminars/conferences (hosted by MASC/MAHS or any other group) in the past? YES NO	

Student Essay

Please attach an essay to this Applicant Overview Form that addresses the questions listed below. The essay should be typed, 1.5-lines-spaced or double-spaced and no longer than two (2) pages. Your full name and school name should be at the top of each essay page.

- Who has inspired you in your leadership growth and how have they done this?
- Why do you feel leadership development is important in your life?
- Why do you think the MASC/MAHS Camp is an effective way to enhance your leadership skills?

Student Activities

(must be completed on a separate sheet, typed, 1.5-lines or double-spaced, 1 page maximum; numbered or bulleted)

Please attach a list of the activities you are involved in at school and in your community. Please be sure to highlight leadership-related activities, positions and/or opportunities.

*Please note that scholarships will **not** be determined by the amount of leadership activities you are involved in! The judging committee would simply like access to this information in order to better know the applicants.*

Scholarship Deadline: Postmarked by May 1, 2009

**Mail to
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**Fax to:
517-327-5360**

(If faxing, please call and confirm with any of our staff that your application was actually received.)

QUESTIONS? 517-327-5315 *(Ask for Kadi Pojeta)*