

L.T.C. 2019 Information Letter

Parents and participants,

It is time again to get ready for Leadership Training for Christ (LTC). We will begin registration on Sunday, December 2nd for all 3rd-12th graders and it will continue until the end of December. Our convention site once again is the downtown Hyatt Regency. The convention is during Easter weekend, which this year is **April 19-21**. The theme is "No Greater Love" from the book/gospel of John which is our text for the year. We hope every student will participate in LTC to gain more knowledge of God's Word and further develop skills to serve the church. When practices start in January we will have a weekly practice schedule in the bulletin and we need your help getting your child to practice each time, especially as our team events have rules for excessive absences.

Families can purchase discounted hotel rooms and meals during the registration period. Students in grades 7-12 who wish to stay at the convention hotel with the other teens may do so if they are qualified, by doing at least:

- 1 Challenge Event plus
- 3 other events of *any type (Pre-convention, Challenge, Display/Art, or Convention events)*. *Bible Bowl and Bible Quiz will count as 2 events*
If your 7-12 grade student doesn't meet the criteria, they can't stay in teen rooms.

Special Things to Note:

- We will once again offer a \$10 discount for each student who turns in the registration fee and paperwork during December! Any other expenses (food/family/etc.) can be paid at a later time, but to get the discount, the registration payment needs to be paid in December.
- As we did in 2018, after January 1 any late registrations will only be done by contacting Lori Miller in the church office during regular office hours. It will be easier if you take care of this at the youth desk during one of the Sundays in December.
- We have a few coaches who are new and some new practice times, so please check the coach list sheet a second time.
- We will have detailed event information printed on a bulletin board during registration, and more copies will be available from the coordinators at the youth desk too.
- We know there is a lot to this big event which occurs over several months, so please check with Warren (7-12 grade) or Dustin (3-6 grade) if you are new to LTC at Waterview.

We are blessed to have this congregation and leadership that supports what is done through LTC. There are many ways we strive for this event to be a fruitful endeavor and one thing we do is to help cover the costs of various items (or work to make them cheaper), and we are glad we can serve your family this way.

Although we work hard to lighten the financial load on your family, expenses can still add up (especially if you have multiple children participating), so please let us know if a payment plan or assistance is needed.

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Money Information

Due at Registration (Pay by December 31 to get a \$10 discount!)

3rd-6th Grade = **\$65** Includes Registration, T-Shirt, Awards, Snacks for the weekend, Friday dinner, Breakfasts, Lunch on Saturday and a Banquet ticket.

7th-12th Grade = **\$95*** ALSO includes 2 nights in the hotel if they registered and qualify.
The cost is **\$65 if you don't qualify or don't want to stay in the hotel.*

Optional Costs:

\$17 = Saturday night dinner (Spaghetti Warehouse or similar), and the teens staying at the hotel will want to buy one. This can be purchased for family members who will eat with us Saturday night too.

\$100** = Hotel room for each night at convention for families.

***7-12 grade student's rooms will be paid for at the discounted rate through registration if they meet the requirements as stated on the first page.*

***If you are a coach then check with our Coordinators about your hotel cost.*

***This year's date to pay for and guarantee your room/preference is **Feb. 24**.*

Breakdown of items that are *already included* in the registration fees for students, but may be added (per person) for other family members:

\$20.00- Snacks/Drinks, Dinner on Friday, Lunch on Saturday, & Breakfast all weekend.

\$10.00- Waterview awards banquet ticket

This year we will have a team approach to our registration and convention activities. *After December, Lori Miller will take care of all registrations and payments, and we will also have a team of people preparing for the convention weekend, but during December you will want to look for Ramona Little, Lacey Shepherd, or Sarah Martinez at the youth desk to turn in your items and ask any questions.*

Please help them and our coaches by getting your students registered in December.

Attached to this information letter you will find:

- Letter for parents/students who are *new* to LTC.
- Coaches list
- Registration form for 3-6 Grade students
- Registration form for 7-12 Grade students
- Registration form for Adults

More copies are available at the Youth Desk during registration.