

CAMP COLUMBIA



WASHINGTON STATE MIDDLE LEVEL LEADERSHIP CAMP August 9 - August 12, 2009

Cispus Learning Center, Randle, Washington

Sponsored by the Student Leadership Program of the Association of Washington Middle Level Principals

COLUMBIA MISSION STATEMENT

Camp Columbia Staff is committed to fostering an environment which challenges each individual to develop lifelong leadership within self and community.

YOUR GOAL AT CAMP COLUMBIA

To attend the statewide leadership camp in Washington for middle level student leaders and advisers and get the very most out of your experience.

YOUR RESPONSIBILITY AT CAMP COLUMBIA

You have been selected to represent your school at this leadership conference. You will be one of over 230 delegates at camp. As a representative of your school, you will be expected to be a positive participant in all activities. In general, camp rules shadow basic school rules: wear appropriate clothing, (NO UNDERGARMENTS OR MIDRIFTS SHOWING, AND TANK TOPS MUST HAVE AT LEAST 3 INCH STRAPS), respect yourself and others, be on time.

Those students who do not follow the camp behavior expectations will be sent home.

YOUR CAMP COLUMBIA EXPERIENCE

By participating in this experience, you will develop your leadership potential, meet new friends, and discover how you can serve your school and your community. You will gain new skills in the areas of group process, communication, and project organization. Additionally, you will have the opportunity to work with over 300 positive leaders from schools around the state.

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE

Please register students who can commit to attending camp from start to finish.

The opening session will begin on Sunday, August 9, 2009 at 1:00 p.m. Plan to arrive at Cispus between 11:30 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. This will give you time to move into the dorms and to have lunch in the dining hall before we begin. Camp will conclude at 12:30 p.m. on Wednesday, August 12, 2009. Campers will receive a sack lunch for the road as you depart.

CARPOOL!



VANPOOL!

CAMP THEME

FIND OUT THIS YEAR'S THEME WHEN YOU GET TO CAMP!



MEDICAL CARE

A Nurse is on duty to handle routine and emergency medical situations. If a camper becomes so ill that he/she needs a doctor's attention, parents will be contacted and billed for the visit.

ALL medications MUST be turned in at the Nurses's table during the registration process at camp. Every camper must have a completed medical form on file with the camp Nurse.

The accident insurance of Association of Washington School Principals' Student Leadership Program is secondary to family coverage.



PHONE CALLS AT CAMP

Cell phones will not work at Cispus. Please realize you will not be in contact with your son/daughter for three nights and four days. If there is an emergency, a camp staff member will contact you.

ATTENTION: ADVISERS

If you are attending as an adviser, be prepared for an active, information-filled seminar. On a few occasions, you will be with the student delegates, however, the bulk of your program will be with other advisers as you gain new skills to enhance the student activities at your school. Plan to arrive and depart at the same time as the student delegates. Advisers will be housed in an adult dorm. Twenty (20) clock hours (\$40) are available. (Check with the Student Leadership office for price changes.)



CANCELLATIONS

If something happens and a camper will not be able to attend camp, it is important that he/she does the following:

1. Contact his/her adviser or principal immediately! The school will be counting on each camper's attendance. With advance notice, advisers/principals will be able to find another student to attend in that camper's place. Otherwise, the ASB will forfeit the space and the money they paid.
2. **Advisers/Principals ONLY** - For registration changes contact:

Jan Phillips or Karen Johnson, Registrars

Phone: (360) 497-5323 or during camp (360) 497-7131 ?

QUESTIONS/VISIT THE WEBSITE OR CALL ?

For answers to specific questions **prior** to camp, please feel free to contact: Camp Director, Lana Yenne (360) 790-5656.

You may also visit the Cispus Web Page: www.awsp.org

Bring money for a camp shirt. Please keep other valuables at home. There is no way to lock up campers personal items.



Good for you!

MAIL FOR CAMPERS

**Camper's Name
Camp Columbia
2142 Cispus Road
Randle, WA 98377**

