



Tucker Interfaith Mission Experience Summer Mission: Participation Guidelines

Participation Eligibility for Youth & Fee

Youth Applicants must fall within the Age Eligibility Limits of TIME.

Minimum Eligibility Limit: Successful completion of 6th grade,

Maximum Eligibility Limit: High School Graduation within the last school term,

Minimum Timekeeper Eligibility: Successful completion of 8th grade and min. 2 years roofing experience.

All accepted youth applicants are expected to participate fully in the programs and elements of the TIME Mission. This includes, participation in the work required by the service projects, staying in gender-specific TIME provided overnight lodging, using TIME secured gender-specific showering facilities, taking meals with TIME, taking part in TIME assigned team chores, participating in TIME organized recreational activities and participating in TIME devotional and worship programs, which are based on Christian values.

There is a non-refundable, \$100 registration fee for all youth participants and is due by April 15, 2011. This fee defrays the cost of meals, transportation, spiritual and recreational programming, the official participants TIME T-shirt and the youth TIME participant's memento. In addition, each youth participant will receive a TIME Certificate of Completion for 36 hours of community service.

Participation Eligibility for Adults & Full-time Fee

TIME offers adults full, part, and extremely part-time participation opportunities. Because meal times are great bonding moments, TIME encourages adult project site and overnight lodging chaperones to elect full-time participation. Adult full-time participants pay a, non-refundable, \$75 registration fee. This fee defrays the cost of meals taken with the group, an official TIME T-shirt, and participation in the spiritual and recreational programming provided by TIME.

Part-time adult participation is free but does not include meals, a T-shirt, or associated fees for participation in the extra-curricular elements of the programming.

Adults participating as project site chaperones and overnight chaperones must fulfill the requirements of the TIME Participants Protection Policy, which can be found online at www.TIMEmission.org.

Participation Eligibility for College Students & Fee

If need allows, college enrolled students between the ages of 18 and 21 may apply for participation in TIME. They may not apply to be Timekeepers and shall not lodge in TIME overnight accommodations. Upon payment of a \$75 registration fee, college students may take meals and participate in the spiritual and recreational elements of the weeks programming. College aged participants must provide their own transportation to the morning TIME transportation departure location and home after activities are completed for the day.

Registration

All youth and adults wishing to participate in TIME are requested to complete an on-line registration application by visiting www.TIMEmission.org. Note: College Student applicants should fill out the adult registration application.

Due to the nature of the TIME, funding and the number of homes approved for roofing or projects available determines the number of accepted youth applications. Should there be more applications made than spots available, participation will be determined by order of application receipt and experience. Note: TIME makes every effort to create balanced roofing teams, which are diversified in age, gender, roofing experience, and group population. In all cases, youth applications will take precedent over college student applicants.

In addition, TIME Administration reserves the right to deny participation of any applicant who poses a significant risk to him or herself, or the greater TIME population. TIME must be able to meet the needs of an applicant through reasonable accommodations. Participants must have the ability to self-monitor and attend to the TIME Code of Conduct and Safety so that unsafe situations do not arise.

Upon acceptance of a registration application, TIME Participation Packets will be distributed to each registered participant. All required forms in the Participation Packet and TIME registration fees are due by April 15, 2011. Note: Some forms require notarization.

Group Registration Commitments

All participating groups with six (6) or more registered youth participants shall commit to providing overnight chaperones at a maximum ratio of one to 8 for each of the genders represented in their group. In addition, groups of this size are asked to participate in a TIME Stock Sale by Mail fundraiser or to organize their own fundraising event benefitting TIME. Fundraising is necessary. The youth and full time adult registration fees cover less than one fourth of the expenses for the TIME roofing project.

Transportation and Use of Personal Vehicles

All youth participants shall ride seat belted in TIME provided and approved transportation. All youth participants who bring a personal vehicle to TIME must park their vehicle for the duration of TIME. No youth may drive a personal vehicle unless expressly authorized to do so by TIME Administration. No youth may ride in another youth's personal vehicle during TIME. Adults participating in TIME may use their

personal vehicles but, may not transport any TIME youth participants unless they are the legal guardian of the participant or have been given express permission to do so by the TIME administration. With the exception of the shower shuttles, all youth shall return to venues in the vehicle in which they departed.

Lodging & Showering

In an effort to build community, TIME encourages all interested adult roofing participants to act as overnight lodging chaperones. However, adult roofing participants wishing to spend nights in their own homes may do so.

The overnight accommodations provided by TIME are air-conditioned finished meeting spaces located on church campuses. It is the strong recommendation of TIME that all participants lodging overnight bring an air mattress for sleeping comfort.

The shower facilities used by TIME are locker room type shower facilities. Adults roofing are welcome to elect to shower at their own homes.

End of Guidelines