



YOUTH EXCHANGE (YE) PROGRAMS **DISTRICT 5340**

GENERAL INFO. APPLIES TO ALL PROGRAMS

- OPPORTUNITY FOR INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL AND CULTURAL EXPERIENCE
- **OPEN TO SONS AND DAUGHTERS OF ROTARIANS AND NON-ROTARIANS ALIKE**
- AGE REQUIREMENT BETWEEN AGES OF 15-19 (MUST BE < 18 ½ WHEN ARRIVING IN FOREIGN COUNTRY FOR LONG TERM EXCHANGE)
- EXCHANGE OCCURS BETWEEN ANY 2 COUNTRIES WHERE ROTARY RESIDES

CLUB HOSTING AN INBOUND LONG TERM STUDENT FOR THE 2009-2010 SCHOOL YEAR

- GET INVOLVED AND HOST A LONG TERM YOUTH EXCHANGE STUDENT FOR THE 2009-2010 SCHOOL YEAR.
- CONTACT ANY MEMBER OF DISTRICT YE COMMITTEE FOR DETAILS
- **DEADLINE TO REQUEST HOSTING A STUDENT FOR 2009-2010 IS 30 DEC 08**

LONG TERM EXCHANGE (2009-2010 SCHOOL YEAR)

- USUALLY ACADEMIC YEAR
- STUDENT LIVES WITH HOST FAMILY(S) & ATTENDS SCHOOL IN HOST COUNTRY
- **DISTRICT OUTBOUND APPLICATION DEADLINE 10 JAN 09**

SHORT TERM EXCHANGE (SUMMER OF 2009)

- APPROXIMATELY 6-8 WEEKS
- OFTEN TAKES PLACE WHEN SCHOOL IS NOT IN SESSION
- FAMILY TO FAMILY EXCHANGE
- **DISTRICT OUTBOUND APPLICATION DEADLINE 28 FEB 09**

SUMMER CAMP – OUTBOUND (2009) Contact Bill Sturgeon

- ALTERNATIVE TO SHORT TERM EXCHANGE
- USUALLY 2-3 WEEKS IN LENGTH
- APPROX. 85 CAMPS IN EUROPE: SPECIALIZED: SAILING; BIKING; HIKING
- EACH MEMBER IN GROUP FROM DIFFERENT COUNTRY: ALL SPEAK ENGLISH

SUMMER CAMP- INBOUND (2009) Contact Jon Fish

- CAMP THREE WEEKS IN LENGTH (DIFFERENT CLUB HOSTS EACH WEEK)
- EACH CAMP HOSTS 10 STUDENTS (EACH STUDENT FROM DIFFERENT COUNTRY)
- HOST FAMILIES EASY TO OBTAIN – OBLIGATION ONLY ONE WEEK
- ONE CAMP AFFECTS 10 STUDENTS AND 30 HOST FAMILIES IN POSITIVE MANNER

DISTRICT YOUTH EXCHANGE COMMITTEE

- **BOB CHALFA** (NATIONAL CITY) YE Committee Chair bob@rlcequip.com
- **HIEDE NEVITT** (CORONADO) hnevitt1@san.rr.com
- **WAYNE GOODERMOTE** (SAN DIEGO) motel@cox.net
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SHORT TERM EXCHANGE COORDINATOR - ROB ECKERT (SAN MARCOS)
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SUMMER CAMP COORDINATORS – BILL STURGEON (CORONADO)
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PLEASE CONTACT BOB, HIEDE, WAYNE OR PAT CONCERNING LONG TERM AND ROB FOR SHORT TERM EXCHANGES, TO INCLUDE YOUR CLUB HOSTING A LONG TERM STUDENT DURING THE 2008-2009 SCHOOL YEAR.

PLEASE CONTACT BILL STURGEON CONCERNING ALL SUMMER CAMP OPPORTUNITIES. sturgeon@san.rr.com

EVERY ROTARIAN IS AWARE OF AT LEAST ONE OR MORE YOUNG PERSONS WHO WOULD GREATLY BENEFIT FROM ONE OF THESE PROGRAMS. PLEASE DON'T WAIT FOR SOMEONE ELSE TO TAKE THE LEAD. BE PROACTIVE AND SEEK OUT AND INVITE AT LEAST ONE STUDENT TO APPLY. THERE IS NOTHING TO LOSE AND SO MUCH TO GAIN.

THIS MUST BE A OLD CHINESE PROVERB

***IF YOU ARE PLANNING FOR A YEAR, PLANT RICE
IF YOU ARE PLANNING FOR A DECADE, PLANT A TREE
IF YOU ARE PLANNING FOR A LIFETIME, EDUCATE A PERSON
IF YOU ARE PLANNING FOR THE FUTRE GENERATION
PARTICIPATE IN THE ROTARY YOUTH EXCHANGE PROGRAM***