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Junior Leadership Program - Class of 2021 Fact Sheet & Program Calendar

OVERVIEW: The Leadership Lake County Junior Leadership Program provides experiential and transformational full-day educational experiences for 10th, 11th and 12th grade students to:

- Learn and apply leadership skills
- Network with Lake County business and civic leaders
- Engage in a youth-led community impact project
- Engage in meaningful conservation with students from all Lake County schools



During this 9-month program, participants develop goal setting, team building, communication, public speaking, problem solving, and collaboration skills. Class members experience highly interactive days with Lake County business and community leaders to gain a deeper understanding of career opportunities and learn how they can lead in their schools and communities.

PARTICIPANTS: Any student in 10th, 11th or 12th grade in the fall of 2020 is eligible to apply – students apply in the spring of 9th, 10th or 11th grade for the following academic year.

To apply, students must complete the electronic application on our website - leadershiplakecounty.org. Application process opens January 2, 2020. **Applications are due by March 31, 2020.**

The Selection Committee strives for participant representation across several measures of diversity including gender, ethnicity, school district and grade point average. A minimum GPA of 2.0 is required. Applicants will be notified of their status by May 1, 2020. **Representation from all Lake County schools is desired.**

TUITION: Tuition is \$425 (non-refundable). Thanks to our community partners, we are able to subsidize a significant portion of the actual program cost per student of \$1650. A limited number of partial scholarships will be available to help defray the \$425 tuition based on financial need.

OPENING RETREAT: Opening Retreat is a two-day session where students will learn teambuilding, collaboration, behavior styles and formulate their class Community Impact Project. Opening Retreat is mandatory for all participants and is tentatively scheduled to be held on Sunday August 9 in the afternoon and a full day session on Monday August 10.

MONTHLY SESSIONS: The monthly all-day sessions begin September 2020 and end in May 2021 on the *first Wednesday* of each month unless otherwise noted. Program Days are from 7:30 am until 2:30 pm. Students may miss one non-mandatory day and remain eligible for graduation from the program. The schedule for 2020 - 2021 is as follows:

2020

March 31	Application Deadline
May 7	Orientation and Tuition Due (Thursday 6pm-7:30pm)
August 9 & 10	Opening Retreat – Mandatory (Sunday 2-6 pm; Monday 8am-2pm)
September 2	Lake County History Day
October 7	Education Day



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November 4 Business, Labor and Economy Day
December 2 Government and Community Services Day

2021

January 13 **Mid-year Retreat with Signature Program (2nd Wednesday – full day 8:30 – 3:30)- Mandatory**
February 3 Public Safety and Justice Day
March 3 Health Care and Health Living Day
April 7 Quality of Life Day
April 24 Global Youth Service Day (Saturday) (Tentative)
May 5 Closing Session & Graduation - Mandatory



ORGANIZATION:

Leadership Lake County, Inc. is governed by a Board of Trustees drawn from the alumni base and the county-at-large. Leadership Lake County was established in 1986 as a 501c3, educational non-profit organization.

SOURCE OF FUNDS: Programs are sustained through tuition, contributions, in-kind gifts, grants, and corporate support.

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