

Mexico 2012 March 17-24



MISSION TEAM COMMITMENT

In order for this spring's Mexico mission trip to be most effective in its logistical planning and its spiritual growth for the staff and students, we are asking everyone involved to commit to the following:

1. I commit to attend all events/training days.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Parent & Student Info Meeting | January 10 | 6:15 –7:00 @ BPC Student Center |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Adult (only) Leader Meeting | February 5 | 12:15 –12:50 @ BPC Student Center |
| <input type="checkbox"/> All-Team Meeting #1 | February 5 | 1:00 – 3:00 @ BPC Student Center |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mexico Fiesta Fundraiser | March 4 | 12pm – 2pm @ BPC WFH |

Your work commitment: 9am-4pm

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| <input type="checkbox"/> All-Team Meeting #2 | March 11 | 1:00 – 3:00 @ BPC Student Center |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Commissioning | March 11 | services TBA |

2. I commit to turn in all registration items by January 24

- Copy of passport or passport card (or apply for passport ASAP)
- BPC Medical Release Form (if not already on file)
- \$50 Non-refundable deposit.
- Registration form; Application Questionnaire; Mission Team Commitment

3. I commit to regularly attend Large Group Meetings (Refuge)

- Attendance at youth group will lead to better relationships with other mission team members and deeper sense of belonging on the Refuge Mission Team.

4. I commit to abide by all Mexico guidelines.*

- Guidelines set by the Bible for Christian living.
- Guidelines set by Door of Faith staff.
- Guidelines set by Bidwell Presbyterian Church staff.
- Not be involved in "exclusive" relationships in Mexico

5. I commit to participate in the fundraising event..

- This year we are again having a Fiesta, to raise money for the remaining costs associated with the trip. Donations will be solicited by a raffle, but all students are required to participate in the event. **Save the date of Sunday, March 4, 12 pm-2pm.** (Setup and cleanup: 9:00am – 4:00pm)

6. I commit to the financial responsibilities and guidelines for Mexico.

- The full-balance of the trip cost is due before we leave for Mexico or you will be removed from the team.
- Your financial support is due by Feb. 25. Your total balance is due by March 8.
- There are no scholarships available.** Everyone must fundraise or pay the full registration fee.

Student Name (Please Print)

Student Signature

Date

Student Email address: (Please Print Legibly)

Parent Email address: (Please Print Legibly)

Parent Signature

***Failure to abide by rules and moral guidelines could result in your being sent home at your own expense.**



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APPLICATION QUESTIONNAIRE:

This is used as a tool to know you better, to help us plan, to place you on a specific team and is also the first step in showing how committed you are to this mission team.

1. Have you ever been a part of a mission project or trip? If so, please describe what you did and what you feel like you learned from the experience.
2. Why do you want to be a part of the Mexico team this year?
3. Do you have any fears or hesitations about going to Mexico this year? What are they? How can we help you with those fears?
4. Who are two or three people you would like to be with on your team?
(We'll try. But there are no guarantees! Sorry!)
5. What is one of your personal weaknesses that may cause this trip to be a challenge?
6. Do you feel that you have any special gifts or talents that could be used in Mexico? Construction skills? Spanish?
7. What is something you hope to receive from this trip? Why?
8. How would you describe your relationship with God right now?
Be Honest! If you are not doing that great please tell us. Let us know how we can help you.

A couple questions for those who were in Portland last year!

10. What is something positive about what you experienced in Portland last year?
11. What is something that you think could be changed to make for a better year on this year's mission trip?

Turn in your answers typed and don't forget your name!