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2009 Catholic Youth Spectacular Registration Materials – June 5, 2009

Thank you for your commitment to the 2009 Spectacular. 49 groups have sent in a deposit.

Please read all materials carefully and mark deadlines in your calendar

1. **ORE Registration Form** – there is no actual form unless you still have your intent form (use the bottom) – just send in your check and I will mark it on your initial deposit form: The cost is \$20.00pp if you register by **June 19th**. Register by August 21st for \$25.00 tickets. By Sept 11th for \$30.00 tickets. After September 12th it is \$35.00 including at the door.
2. **Parish Registration Form** – use to keep track at school/ parish or on the bus. Will not be collected.
3. **Name Badges** – **THIS YEAR YOU WILL MAKE YOUR OWN NAME TAGS and PROVIDE YOUR OWN HOLDERS.** Name tags should be a minimum of 3 x 4 inch. First name should be LARGE so we can see it. Last name underneath. Third line-name of your parish/school & town.
4. Entrance will be by **tickets** which will be color coded to indicate movement to the eating areas as well as for some prayer and closing activities. These will be distributed at the Orientation Sept 3rd.
5. If your **pastor/priest** plans to attend (they are free) please submit their name so we can make them a special badge. Ask your pastor/priest if they plan to help with reconciliation or to con-celebrate.
6. **Opening prayer** – we are asking you to bring some blessed dirt from your “home team” that will be mixed and mingled at home plate (chose a person to be your “dirt” rep). Also – a “team” (parish/school) rep will present your “logo” i.e. parish/school banner like at the Olympics– so if you don’t have one, get the gang together to make one.
7. **Catholic Idol** – After Steve makes his “opening pitch” we will “play ball”(3:00-5:00) – We are currently planning activities for this block of time and on the line up could be some of your kids performing. Let us know if you will have any teens who might want to sing, read a poem etc.
8. **Food** – the concessions will be open 12:30-5:00 for kids to buy all the junk food they want. @ 3:00 groups will be called – by ticket color - to the 3-4 picnic areas for typical stadium food: burgers, hotdogs, baked beans, pasta salad, chips, soda, cookies – this is included in ticket price.

YOU SHOULD ALREADY HAVE THESE FORMS BELOW.....BUT I'M SENDING THE WHOLE SHEBANG AGAIN
9. **Youth Permission form** - There are places for parents/guardians and youth to sign. Put them in alphabetical order so they are user friendly should you need them. We will not collect them but you must have them to expedite treatment in case of an emergency. You will need to save them for 2 years.
10. **Adult Permission/Emergency Contact form** All adults should fill this out-legibly for your records. Please note Protecting God’s Children box. **Please verify your list of adult chaperones with the PGC office** before you submit them to me at the Orientation Sept 3rd with the PGC date and background check date. If one time parent, please indicate.
11. **Code of Behavior for youth and adults/ chaperone guidelines** – please read, distribute, enforce