

REGION V
FAMILY, CAREER AND COMMUNITY LEADERS OF AMERICA

TO: Family and Consumer Sciences Education Teachers Addressed

The Region V Meeting, Family, Career and Community Leaders of America, is scheduled January 29-30, 2010 at the American Bank Center, 1901 North Shoreline Blvd., Corpus Christi, Texas 78401. The attendance of you and your students is anticipated as the officers carry out the theme, "Beyond the Limits." The schedule of the meeting is basically the same as last year. STAR Event competition and the State Proficiency Events will begin early Friday morning. Leadership Enhancement Opportunities (LEOs) will be available to students Friday along with leadership tracks and state and national programs. The first general session will be on Friday evening, and the meeting will conclude before lunch on Saturday.

Friday, January 29, 2010

Registration (STAR participants)	American Bank Center	8:00 – 9:45 a. m.
STAR Event Registration	American Bank Center	9:15 – 9:45 a. m.
General Registration	American Bank Center	10:00 – 6:00 p.m.
LEO Testing	American Bank Center	11:00 – 1:00 p.m.
Leadership "Tracks"	American Bank Center	1:00 – 5:00p.m.
House of Delegates	American Bank Center	2:00 p.m.
First General Session	American Bank Center	7:00 - 9: p.m.

Saturday, January 30, 2008

Second General Session	American Bank Center	9:00 – 11:30 a.m.
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STAR Event and State Proficiency Event participants will need to **print the letter containing information for the individual events from the FCCLA website** along with the **time schedule**. Participants will not receive letters via mail. Please check the website to determine the time that participants will compete. Participants **will** not attend an orientation, but will go to the assigned area and register for the event by turning in all required materials along with the affiliation confirmation with participants names highlighted. All events will take place at the American Bank Center except for Culinary Arts competition which will be off site.

A list of qualifications for the 2010 - 2011 regional officer candidates will be posted to the website in January. Please review with your voting delegate the election procedure found in the region constitution and have your voting delegate bring a #2 lead pencil to the House of Delegates session. Each chapter may have one voting delegate in attendance. **The voting delegate badge will be in the registration packet that must be picked up before the House of Delegates session.**

Chapters may turn in contributions to the Region V Community Service Project on Friday during general registration. See the FCCLA website for specific information about the Community Service Project.

Hotel information is available on the Texas FCCLA website. Curfew is set in the hotels, as it is for the city at 11:00 p.m., Thursday and Friday evenings. This means that members should be in their rooms with doors closed and voices should not be heard from the halls or through the walls. Please help enforce this by orienting and monitoring your students. On the website you will see the hotels' agreement to be turned in by each chapter as you register.

Scholarships are once again available to FCCLA members. The application for all scholarships can be downloaded from the Texas FCCLA (www.texasfccla.org) web page. The deadline for scholarship submission is March 1, 2010. We also encourage chapters to complete and submit the National Program Awards Application, found on the national website, www.fcclainc.org, and located under "downloads."

The officers look forward to having you attend the 2010 regional meeting. **Please plan to participate in the entire meeting.** If you have any questions, please email Carol Summy (csummy@moment.net) or call 830-868-4390.

Attachments

cc: Sharon Pierce

OMNI  CORPUS CHRISTI HOTEL
BAYFRONT AND MARINA

Group Responsibility Form

(Please Print)

Person Responsible for Group _____ Home Number (_____) _____

School _____ School Number (_____) _____

School Address _____ City _____ ZIP _____

Total in Group Including Counselors/Sponsors _____ Group Attending: : _____ Arrival Date/Time: _____

Departure Day/Time _____

Youth Leader

Please read the following to your group and sign form before coming to your convention. Then fill in all necessary reservation information on back (except for room numbers). Bring form to hotel at time of checking in, note room numbers, and turn in to hotel clerk for hotel files. Keep copy for your own records.

Please Read Carefully

WHILE STAYING AT HOTEL:

- ◆ Hotel associates and property are to be respected at all times.
- ◆ Hotel rules and schedules for use of swimming pool, sauna room, exercise room, Jacuzzi, and any other public area must be respected.
- ◆ Hotel has other guests not taking part in-group functions—they are to be respected at all times.
- ◆ Hotels are free to impose any sanctions they may deem necessary to maintain order, even to the point of expulsion of the person or persons causing disturbances on or damage to their property.
- ◆ The person or persons causing disturbances or damage to hotel property, whether accidental or intentional, will be responsible for all charges and expenses including but not limited to repairs or replacement of property.

All rules of conduct for Groups activities are also to be obeyed while on hotel property.

- ◆ Each sponsor must know the whereabouts of his/her group at all times.
- ◆ Each sponsor/counselor is responsible for the behavior of his/her group at all times.
- ◆ Each sponsor should set specific behavior guidelines for his/her group with specific consequences for misbehavior.
- ◆ City curfew is 11 p.m. if sponsor desires to set earlier curfew for his/her group and enforce it that is their prerogative.
- ◆ A good attitude and behavior is expected at all times.
 - ◆ Participants must refrain from public displays of affection with girlfriend or boyfriend.
 - ◆ Girls will not be allowed in boys' rooms and boys will not be allowed in girls' rooms, no exceptions.
 - ◆ No running, screaming, yelling, or horseplay down halls, in lobby area, emergency stairwells, or other public areas of hotel.
 - ◆ No throwing objects from stairs or balcony.
 - ◆ No hanging from railings or sliding down banisters.
 - ◆ No loud TV or loud music in rooms or in public areas such as lobby, pool area, halls, etc.
 - ◆ Not Permissible:
 - alcoholic drinks, any form of tobacco products, illegal drugs
 - firearms, knives or other kind of weapons
 - fireworks, smoke bombs, and the like
 - pornographic literature, immoral acts of any kind
 - bad language, back talking or any other type of profanity
 - fighting or abusive behavior
 - laser pointers

The Consultant or his/her representative reserves the right to send anyone home at his/her own expense immediately for any misconduct.

I have read these rules and I promise to abide by them. I will be personally responsible for making sure all members of my group follow these rules. I will be responsible for any member of my group breaking any rules.

Signature of Person Responsible for Group _____ Date _____

900 North Shoreline Blvd.
Corpus Christi, Texas 78401
Phone: (361) 887-1600, Fax: (361) 887-6715

Map and Directions



Driving Directions

FROM CORPUS CHRISTI INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT – 12 MILES/15MINUTES

Go East on Highway 44 to 358 North. Turn right onto IH-37 South to Shoreline Boulevard, then right on Shoreline Boulevard. The hotel is located on the right.

Shuttle Service: Complimentary hotel airport shuttle service 4:30 am – Midnight daily. Call from baggage claim area. Approximate 15 -20 minute wait.

Taxi Service: Approximately \$18 per person per way

DIRECTIONS FROM THE NORTH – VIA I-37 SOUTH

Take I-37 South. At exit 1A turn left onto ramp. At exit 1B, keep left and stay on ramp. Bear right (south) onto North Shoreline Boulevard. The Bayfront Tower is on the corner of North Shoreline Boulevard and Twigg Street. The Marina Tower is one block south on the corner of North Shoreline Boulevard and Starr Street.

DIRECTIONS FROM THE NORTH – VIA US-77 SOUTH

Take US-77 South onto I-37 South. Follow I-37 South to exit 1A. Turn left onto ramp. At exit 1B keep left and stay on ramp. Bear right (south) onto North Shoreline Boulevard.

The Bayfront Tower is on the corner of North Shoreline Boulevard and Twigg Street. The Marina Tower is one block south on the corner of North Shoreline Boulevard and Starr Street.

DIRECTIONS FROM THE SOUTH – VIA US-77 NORTH

Take US-77 North to where the road name changes to Five Points Road. Take ramp right onto I-37 South. Take I-37 South and at exit 1A turn left onto ramp. At exit 1B keep left and stay on ramp. Bear right (south) onto North Shoreline Boulevard. The Bayfront Tower is on the corner of North Shoreline Boulevard and Twigg Street. The Marina Tower is one block south on the corner of North Shoreline Boulevard and Starr Street.

DIRECTIONS FROM THE WEST – VIA US-59 EAST

Take US-59 East to I-37 access and take ramp onto I-37. Take I-37 South and at exit 1A turn left onto ramp. At exit 1B, keep left and stay on ramp. Bear right (south) onto North Shoreline Boulevard. The Bayfront Tower is on the corner of North Shoreline Boulevard and Twigg Street. The Marina Tower is one block south on the corner of North Shoreline Boulevard and Starr Street.