

YOUNG WOMEN MAKING NOISE LEADERSHIP ACADEMY

Mission: The **YOUNG WOMEN MAKING NOISE LEADERSHIP ACADEMY** is an investment in our future. Its goal is to develop leadership skills and self esteem in a select group of seventh grade girls, motivating them to become positive role models, active leaders, and confident young women of tomorrow.

- Goals of the Program:**
- Develop leadership awareness and skills
 - Build self-esteem
 - Promote a healthy lifestyle
 - Value the spiritual in our lives
 - Participate in community service
 - Set some educational goals
 - Become aware of positive uses of technology
 - Work as a team
 - Have FUN!

Class Schedule

Time: 8:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

August 12	Orientation - Camp Miakonda
September 16	A Good Look at Myself - 577 Foundation
November 4	Day of Caring - St. Paul's Episcopal, Maumee
January 18	This is Your Life - University of Toledo
February 22	Using Technology Wisely - Springfield Middle School
April 14	Life After Middle School - Oak Openings
May 5	Presentation/Graduation - St. Ursula Academy (Parents and Guests)

Dr. Cynthia Beekley and Jane Charette – Co-Directors of YWMN
Sponsored by St. Ursula Academy

YOUNG WOMEN MAKING NOISE LEADERSHIP ACADEMY Application

INSTRUCTIONS: Please read all instructions before completing this form.

1. To apply, applicant must:
 - Attend a middle or junior high school in Lucas or Wood County.
 - Apply for the program as a 6th grader, attend the program your 7th grade year.
 - Be approved by principal and/or guidance counselor.
 - Demonstrate a potential for leadership in school and/or community activities.
 - Have an interest in gaining leadership skills and experience. Participants will be a member of a group of peers working and attending class sessions together.
 - Commit to full participation in the program. Attendance is mandatory at all class sessions.
 - Be academically sound.

This program will require students to be in attendance for seven (7) sessions. These sessions will be a combination of school days and days when school is not in session. Please refer to the Class Schedule sheet for the actual dates.

2. Fill out this application form completely and accurately in the space provided. Do not attach additional sheets.

Please complete the agreement neatly in black pen or type.

Application is not complete without all the required signatures: participants, that of your legal parent/guardian, and those of either your school principal or guidance counselor.

Submit your completed application to your school principal or guidance counselor **as soon as possible**.

They are due in our office no later than July 15, 2009.

3. The cost of the program is \$150, payable after selection. Scholarships are available. Selected applicants will receive an invoice or the appropriate materials to request a scholarship upon their notification of being selected. Selections and notifications will be made by August 1, 2009.

AGREEMENT

We (the applicant, parents/guardian and school official) certify that all information contained in this application is true and factual. We also agree that if this applicant is selected, Young Women Making Noise may use applicant's name and likeness and any other information or materials provided by applicant to this program for purposes of news, publicity and advertising in all media. The application may be released to the applicant's school office.

We understand the following:

1. *If accepted into this program, there is a commitment to full participation, understanding that all sessions are mandatory. The dates when class will meet will be set with an attempt to be on non-*

school weekdays as much as possible. The final schedule will be distributed with notification of student selections.

2. *The cost of the program is \$150, payable after selection. Scholarships are available.*
3. *All necessary transportation is the responsibility of the student's parent/guardian.*

YOUNG WOMEN MAKING NOISE APPLICANT INFORMATION

Applicant's name _____
Last name First name Middle Initial

Home address _____
Street City State Zip Code

E-mail _____

Date of birth (month/day/year) _____

Name of parent/guardian _____

Parent/guardian e-mail _____

Applicant's phone _____ Parent/Guardian cell phone _____

Signature of Applicant _____ Date _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian _____ Date _____

CERTIFICATION (To be completed by Principal or Guidance Counselor and sent to Jeanine Alexander, Program Coordinator, St. Ursula Academy, 4025 Indian Rd., Toledo, OH 43606.)
If your school office is closed for the summer, give principal's name and school.

Name _____ Title _____

School _____ Phone _____

Address _____
Street City State Zip code

I certify that the individual named in this application is academically sound and has my recommendation to apply to Young Women Making Noise Leadership Academy.

Signature _____ Date _____