

SUMMER PROGRAMMING LAUNCH 2012_PROGRAMMING PRESENTATION

HOPE, HELP AND HEAVEN

This summer, Velocity Student ministries will bring Hope, Help and Heaven to the Syracuse area, America and around the world through the initiatives of Project Velocity and Global Velocity. We can give people hope by showing in tangible ways that we care. We can give people help by ministering to their needs and partnering with them to change their environment. And we can give people heaven by letting the light of Jesus Christ shine through our actions, our words, and our lives.

ELEVATE KIDZ KAMP

1. What is Elevate Kidz Kamp all about this year?

Elevate Kidz Kamp is also sticking with the Hope, Help and Heaven mission by teaching your children how to be a world changer. We are going to challenge your kids to run their race and be champions for Christ as they change their world.

2. When is Elevate Kidz Kamp and how much does it cost?

EKK is being held July 25-27, 2012 and cost only \$89.00, covering all programming costs.

3. Who can take part in Elevate Kidz Kamp?

It is open to a kids going into the 2nd grade through completing the 5th grade. You can sign up today at our registration table in the lobby.

GLOBAL VELOCITY

1. What is Global Velocity?

It is the mission of every believer to reach the world with the gospel of Jesus Christ. At Velocity, it is our desire to see every young person impacted by the Word of God, and transformed by a dynamic, intimate and real relationship with Jesus. Global Velocity is a missions program designed for you, our senior high Velocity students to change, connect and influence the world, both at home and abroad. Once accepted into this program, you will be armed with our culturally relevant messages, activities, and programs in order to transform the mission field with the Word of God.

2. Where are we going for Global Velocity?

For this summer's mission trip, Global Velocity 2012 will be taking 22 students and 9 adult leaders on the road to minister in churches and participate in community outreaches along the east coast **Sunday, August 12 –**

Monday, August 20, 2012. We will be traveling by van and RV down the east coast. The team will be staying in hotels in each destination

Global Velocity will be working with churches in Washington DC, Atlanta, GA, Tampa, FL and Orlando, FL to provide the children in their congregations the opportunity to experience Elevate Kidz Live, the summer camp format of Abundant Life Christian Center's children's ministry, Elevate Kidz. These services are packed full of fun games, live worship and interactive messages that are guaranteed to change lives.

3. What will we be doing on Global Velocity?

Outreach

Throughout the trip, we will be holding several children's service outreaches called Elevate Kidz Live at local churches in Binghamton, NY, Atlanta, GA, Tampa, FL, and Orlando, FL. We will bring our own Elevate Kidz programming, style of worship, look and ministry to a dynamic church service. The students will be asked to minister, work, provide media support, share, sing, dance and help facilitate the programming of the service.

Clean House

The house of God is one of the most important places in the lives of people in need. And a house in use is a house in need of a good cleaning. Our Global Velocity members will work with local churches to assist their staff and volunteers with cleaning house and helping to provide an excellent atmosphere for local churches to minister to the people in their communities.

Project Fuel

Local Food Banks meets the physical needs of the poor and homeless by delivering food to various sites and assisting the community with the needs that they have. Our Global Velocity members will work with several location food banks packaging meals that will be distributed to families in need.

Adopt-a-Block

Global Velocity Members will have the opportunity to go out and serve the community in any way possible. On Adopt-a-Block we will go to a community to clean, sweep, paint, minister, pick up trash, visit, build relationships, pray and do whatever we can to show the love of Christ. Our goal is to let the people know that the church is here to help them in any way possible.

4. How can I help Global Velocity?

The first way is by giving to our fuel campaign. **[Show fuel can]** You can give money to help off set the cost for the cost of fuel. And secondly, you can donate money to help off set the over all cost of the trip.

PROJECT VELOCITY

1. What is Project Velocity?

Project Velocity reaches out as the hands of Velocity outside of the four walls of our church and into the real lives and needs of our community. Christianity is about more than individual personal growth. It is also about

sharing with others the great gift we have been given through the simplest of methods. Project Velocity knows by impacting one life for Christ, you impact the world for Christ.

Velocity will offer outreach opportunities to our students by partnering together with local community outreaches in Syracuse and the surrounding communities.

2. If I were a teenager sitting in the crowd today, why should I consider being a part of Project Velocity?

This is a time in your teen's life when they excited and open to trying new things. Imagine them trying to fix a broken down home, repairing overgrown lawns, coloring with parentless children and delivering food to people in need. Our goal is to teach students how to show God's love to others in practical and simple ways. Project Velocity will change their lives as they touch the lives of others in their community and around the world. It is the mission of Project Velocity to offer hope, healing, help and heaven to people in need.

3. What is the difference between Project Velocity and Global Velocity?

The difference between Project Velocity and Global Velocity has a lot to do with geography, but also with involvement. Global Velocity is the missions program of Velocity, and is open to twelve students. Project Velocity is the outreach program of Velocity and is open to every student in Velocity. Every single person in here can take part in serving our community through Project Velocity.

4. What should I expect while serving in Project Velocity? What will I be doing?

What will our project teams do?

Project Team members are partnered together with adult staff and volunteers from Project Velocity, and will in most cases join together with other volunteers from local churches, outreaches and organizations. Tasks are based on the type of outreach that is chosen for each event.

Is there a cost to participate?

Participation is based on a volunteer basis only. There is a one time fee of \$25.00 used to purchase the Project Pack which will include your bag and t-shirt, as well as provide lunch for the events you participate in.

5. Who can take part in Project Velocity?

Project Velocity is open to **all students** in the 7th – 12th grade. Should an outreach have a specified age restriction, our staff will notify students in advance.

But Student Leaders (18-21 years old) and Adult Leaders (21 years and older) can serve on project teams with the students. If you are interesting in partnering with us as we bring Hope, Help and Heaven to our community you can register by visiting our registration table in the main lobby.

6. Can you tell us about the Darien Lake trip available to those who take part in Project Velocity this summer? [Show Slide of Six Flags Darien Lake]

Date: Wednesday, August 1, 2012

Cost: \$50.00

Rule: You must have taken part in Project Velocity events throughout the summer to be eligible to register for this trip.