

Snowflake 2012

Saturday, February 25, 2012

9:00 - 3:00 P.M.

7 & 8 Graders

\$35.00 Registration Fee

Food, fun, teen staffers from Andrew, guest speakers, challenges, dancing and more....

Free t-shirt

Forms and checks due back by Wednesday, February 8th

****Limited number of scholarships available based on need****

Name _____

Team _____

Grade _____

PARENTAL CONSENT FOR OPERATION SNOWFLAKE

My son or daughter has permission to take part in Operation Snowflake at Grissom Middle School, 17000 S. 80th Ave. on Saturday, February 25, 2012 from 9:00 am until 3:00pm. Students are expected to follow the sponsor's directions and abide by all the rules of behavior that apply when on the school campus. Students will be subject to disciplinary action for any infractions of the rules. The school district's insurance does not cover the personal property of parents, sponsors, chaperones, or students while they are in attendance at Operation Snowflake. Parents are responsible for arranging transportation home within 15 minutes from the time Snowflake is concluded.

Signature of parent or guardian _____

Make checks in the amount of \$35.00 payable to Kirby School District #140.

Has this students ever attended a Snowflake before? _____ yes _____ no

MEDICAL RELEASE

I will release any information requested of me in regards to _____

(Participant's name)

in the event of any emergency to the Operation Snowflake staff nurse, and in doing so I also give my permission to seek medical aid. I further agree that should the nurse be unable to contact me, medical aid may be sought in the event of any emergency and I will cover any financial responsibilities incurred. I will not hold the nurse or staff of Operation Snowflake liable for any injury or damage except in case of proven negligence. I have completed the necessary information requested for my child and agree to the medical release.

Parent/Guardian _____ Relationship _____

Maurer Large

T-shirt size _____

O'Neil Harrison

KIRBY SCHOOL DISTRICT #140

OPERATION SNOWFLAKE

“Life Is a Highway” Where are you headed?

February 25, 2012

REGISTRATION

NAME _____ AGE _____ GRADE _____ SEX _____
(LAST) (FIRST)

ADDRESS _____ PHONE _____
(STREET)

(CITY) (ZIP)

PARENT/GUARDIAN _____ PARENT WORK # _____

Other than parent/guardian, indicate relative/friend to contact in the event of an emergency:

NAME _____ RELATIONSHIP _____ PHONE _____

Any limitations to physical activities? _____

Any known allergies, including medications? _____

Are you presently taking a prescribed medication? _____

If yes, what and how often? _____

NOTICE: Students bringing prescribed medication to Operation Snowflake must have appropriate authorization on file in the school office. (See Parent/Student Handbook). All medications (prescribed and over-the-counter) brought to Operation Snowflake must be turned into the health clerk at registration. These medications must be in their original containers.

Operation Snowflake:

- ❖ a day long retreat sponsored by School District #140 for students and staff of Grissom Middle School
- ❖ founded on the belief that with accurate information and an understanding of oneself, every person has the ability to make sound decisions regarding his or her life
- ❖ a program focusing on prevention through education and emotional growth by promoting personal and social development
- ❖ a program emphasizing teens helping teens

Program Overview

Information is presented in large group general sessions. After each general session participants meet in their small group to discuss the information and its implications on their lives. The small group meets throughout the day, and it is here where many thoughts and feelings are shared. Each small group is co-facilitated by trained adults and teens.

The topics presented include communication skills, decision making, problem solving, peer pressure, drug and alcohol information, positive mental attitude, and dealing with bullying.

Participants

Participants must agree to follow all Operation Snowflake rules. They must be willing to follow the schedule of activities, to attend all of the sessions, and to participate in the program for its duration. Participants should NOT be in need of emotional or substance abuse treatment. Operation Snowflake is a prevention program. It does NOT provide therapy/counseling.

Facilities

Operation Snowflake will be held at Grissom Middle School, 17000 S. 80th Ave. , Tinley Park, IL. Participants should arrive at Grissom Middle School at 9:00 am. The event will conclude by 3:00 pm.

In case of emergency, the Operation Snowflake staff can be reached at 708-429-3030. Visitors will not be allowed during the event.

Fees

The total cost for the day is \$35.00, ** Make checks payable to Kirby School District #140. This fee includes food, workshop materials, T-shirt, and a group photograph. Participants should eat breakfast **before** they arrive at Grissom Middle School.

DO NOT BRING

- radio, tape player, CD player
- anything expensive
- more than \$4.00
- food, candy, or gum
- anything illegal!!

For further information contact:

Melanie Evancevich
Adult Director
Grissom Middle School
708-429-3030

To register for Operation Snowflake, return the registration form to Grissom Middle School on Wednesday, February 8, 2012

Space is limited and will be reserved in the order registration forms are received. When space is full, no waiting list will be created. **No refunds after February 10, 2012.**

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