

GUIDANCE OFFICE

To: Parents/Students in Grade 10
Subject: 2018-19 Hugh O'Brian Youth Leadership (HOBY)
Date: October 2018

Dear Parents/Students,

We are pleased to announce the 2018-2019 HOBY Leadership Seminar. The program is exclusively for high school sophomores. The seminar is of no cost to the student and the program is open to any student in grade 10.

The program will be conducted in the Spring of 2019. For more information please visit their website @ www.hoby.org

Please complete the following if you are interested in applying:

1. Complete the worksheet included in this announcement.
2. Attach a resume of any/all accomplishments and/or activities you have been involved with at school and in the community.
3. Sign and attach, on a separate sheet, your response to the following essay topic: "IN 75 TO 100 WORDS, PLEASE DESCRIBE THE MOST REWARDING AND CHALLENGING ASPECT OF BEING A LEADER IN YOUR SCHOOL AND COMMUNITY."
4. Completed application must be returned to the Guidance Office by Friday, November 16, 2018.

Final evaluations and the final selection of the Old Forge School District's Ambassador to the Hugh O'Brian Youth Leadership Seminar will be determined by the Old Forge High School Curriculum Council.



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LIFE-CHANGING YOUTH LEADERSHIP PROGRAMS THAT HAVE LASTING IMPACT

WHAT IS HOBY?

HOBY programs are conducted annually throughout the United States, serving local and international high school students. HOBY provides students, most of whom are selected by their schools, the opportunity to participate in unique leadership training, service-learning, and motivation-building experiences. Due to the selfless efforts of volunteers and the contributions of generous donors, more than 10,000 students participate in HOBY programs annually.

OUR MISSION

To inspire and develop our global community of youth and volunteers to a life dedicated to leadership, service, and innovation.

OUR VISION

To motivate and empower individuals to make a positive difference within our global society, through understanding and action, based on effective and compassionate leadership.

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HOBYS PATHWAY TO LEADERSHIP



COMMUNITY LEADERSHIP WORKSHOPS

Community Leadership Workshops (CLeW) are HOBY's introductory one-day program for high school freshmen. A typical CLeW is six to eight hours long, with 30-40 participants, and focuses on leadership as a discipline to be explored and learned. HOBY CLeW students interact with local community leaders, participate in group activities, and conduct community service projects. CLeWs are organized, developed, and implemented by HOBY alumni and volunteers, local business leaders and civic groups, and are free to attend.



STATE LEADERSHIP SEMINARS

HOBY's flagship program allows high school sophomores to realize their leadership talents and apply them in becoming effective, ethical leaders in their home, school, workplace, and community. Students attend three- or four-day seminars and participate in hands-on leadership activities, meet leaders in their state, and explore their own personal leadership skills while learning how to make a positive impact in their community. The seminar curriculum is based on the Social Change Model of Leadership and develops leadership from three perspectives: Personal Leadership, Group Leadership, and Leadership for Society.



WORLD LEADERSHIP CONGRESS

Since 1968, HOBY's World Leadership Congress (WLC) has been bringing students together from across the globe to discover their potential as leaders. Upon completing a Leadership Seminar, U.S. high school rising juniors and seniors have the opportunity to advance to HOBY's next level of leadership. Each year, over 400 students representing as many as 20 countries attend this unique week-long international program comprised of keynote presentations, speakers' panels, interactive workshops, field trips, and community service projects. Students emerge from the WLC as more mature individuals, cognizant of the world around them, and ready to make meaningful contributions to society.



AMBASSADORS CONNECT

Ambassadors Connect is HOBY's alumni network and comprises thousands of alumni who have successfully completed the pathway to leadership. Ambassadors may volunteer at HOBY programs, join their local Alumni Association, participate in HOBY's Cushman & Wakefield mentorship program (which includes hands-on experiences in business and possibilities for internships), or join HOBY partner service organizations, like Phi Sigma Pi and Junior Chamber International (JCI) during and after college. Ambassadors Connect offers many opportunities for new connections, growth, and leadership development after the HOBY program.

STATE LEADERSHIP SEMINAR

WHEN* 3 - 4 days in April - June

WHERE*: A University Near You!

* Seminar dates/locations/cost can be found on our website November 16th.
Includes: Food, lodging & supplies for the weekend

Full Name: _____ M F

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Phone (C): _____ Phone (H): _____ Date of Birth: ___/___/___

Email: _____

Preferred first name for name tag: _____

T-shirt size: S M L XL XXL XXXL

Ethnicity: African American Asian Caucasian Latino Middle Eastern

Multiracial Pacific Islander Native American Other

I understand I must be able to attend the seminar for the entire weekend, including overnight.

Contact 1: _____ Mother Father Guardian

Phone (C): _____ Phone (W): _____

Phone (H): _____ Email: _____

Job Title / Employer: _____

Contact 2: _____ Mother Father Guardian

Phone (C): _____ Phone (W): _____

Phone (H): _____ Email: _____

Job Title / Employer: _____

I would like to opt out of receiving outstanding offers from HOBY-approved scholarships, affiliates, partners, and companies.

I would like to opt out of receiving important text reminders from HOBY