4-H EVENT/OPPORTUNITY

Leadership Washington Focus
July 15-19, 2019

Cost: $850

Deadlines:  February 15 – Confirmed number of delegates participating
March 15 -- Delegate forms returned
March 15 – Final Payment for delegates due

LOCATION/LEVEL

National 4-H Center, 7100 Connecticut Avenue, Chevy Chase, MD 20815

GOALS/OBJECTIVES

Leadership Washington Focus (LWF) is a 4-H leadership program for youth entering grades 7 through 9. The program will take place at the National 4-H Youth Conference Center, just 1 mile from the Washington, D.C. border. For more than 50 years, thousands of 4-H’ers have participated in our high school program, Citizenship Washington Focus and now we are happy to introduce its precursor for middle school 4-H’ers, LWF. Middle school 4-H delegates will:

- Build confidence in their ability to motivate and direct others in meaningful action
- Practice effective communication with others through group discussion and public speaking
- Work with others to create and accomplish goals
- Develop an understanding of their own personal leadership style
- Exchange ideas, practice respect, and form friendships with other 4-H’ers from across the nation.
- Experience hands-on learning using the historical backdrop of Washington, D.C.

Participants will enjoy

- Motivational speakers and educational workshops that increase individual leadership capability and build lifetime skills for success
- Activities that encourage and form new lasting friendships with other 4-H youth
- An enthusiastic staff of young adults that work directly with them

Participants are immersed in the culture and history of our nation through on-site workshops at D.C.’s most spectacular sights.

One of the week’s signature events, called “Night View," is a spectacular evening tour where delegates will reflect on the different types of leadership conveyed through the symbolism of our national monuments and memorials.

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