



Lions International District A1 Youth Exchange 2014



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Dear Lions of District A1:

As we prepare for the 2014 youth exchange program, we are seeking your help. It is a great opportunity for Canadians and international youth to have a cross-cultural experience. We are grateful for your support last year. Carrol Vincent, Cheryl Schleihauf, Robert Book and I had a great experience as we shared leadership of the Camp. We look forward for your support again this year. **Please share this request with your members. We need to know the number of host families by February 15.**

We would invite your help in one or more of the following ways;

1. Send a donation of \$100-150 (\$10 per member) for the camp program.
2. Be a host family or help find host families.
3. Host the youth for a meal or entertainment during the week of camp.
4. Donate to our wish list.

Program dates:

At a meeting of the MDA Youth Exchange chairs, it was agreed that the youth would be asked to arrive on June 28 and leave on July 26. Since the International Convention occurs during the first week of July, we will need help for hosting from those who will not be attending the International Convention. We ask that you make an extra effort to help us find host families. It was suggested that some Lions who are hosting may wish to bring the youth to the parade at the International Convention.

SCHEDULE:

Youth Arrive Canada:	June 28
Host Family #1	June 28 – July 9
Change Over	July 9 (North Buxton Park, near Chatham)
Host Family # 2	July 9-July 19
Camp	July 19-26
Youth Depart Canada	July 26

Host Families for the 2013 Youth Exchange

The youth exchange program depends on host families. This is important.

We are looking for host families for 16 youth again this year. **We need host families to be confirmed by February 15** so that we can confirm the youth applications by early March.

Information about hosting and application forms to be a host family may be found on the district website. (www.a1lions.ca)

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