



RHUMC: SIERRA SERVICE PROJECT FUNDRAISING 2022

Fundraising is an essential part of the SSP experience. Youth and their families pay tuition to Sierra Service Project, however, the rest of the funding for travel and transportation (rental cars, gas, accommodations, etc.) is paid for with the funds raised throughout the year.

As a youth attending SSP with Rolling Hills UMC, **you are required to participate in the letter writing campaign, and four additional fundraising events.**

Youth can sign up for these events in the "Sign-Up Genius" at <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60b094ba4aa22a2f85-sspfundraising2>

The fundraising opportunities for 2022 are:

January 19, 2022 (Wednesday) at 6:00-7:00pm

Letter Writing #1: Please bring names and addresses for seven family members or friends who would be potentially interested in financially supporting our SSP mission trip. All the materials will be provided, however youth are responsible for assembling the letters (Youth only need to attend one of the letter writing events). Youth must complete their seven letters by March 1, 2022 or buy out of the letter writing campaign with a \$200 donation made to RHUMC.

January 30 2022 (Sunday) at 11:30am- 12:30pm

Letter Writing #2: Please bring names and addresses for seven family members or friends who would be potentially interested in financially supporting our SSP mission trip. All the materials will be provided, however youth are responsible for assembling the letters (Youth only need to attend one of the letter writing events). Youth must complete their seven letters by March 1, 2022 or buy out of the letter writing campaign with a \$200 donation made to RHUMC.

February 1, 2022 Scholarship Applications Due

February 7, 2022 (Monday) at 4:30-5:30pm

Letter Writing #3: Please bring names and addresses for seven family members or friends who would be potentially interested in financially supporting our SSP mission trip. All the materials will be provided, however youth are responsible for assembling the letters (Youth only need to attend one of the letter writing events). Youth must complete their seven letters by March 1, 2022 or buy out of the letter writing campaign with a \$200 donation made to RHUMC.

March 1, 2022 Letter Writing Due: All letters must be submitted by this date. If letters are not completed youth families are required to make an additional donation of \$200 to RHUMC as a buy out for this mandatory fundraiser. ****Please note that youth who wrote letters for the summer of 2020 are not required to write request letters this year, however they do need to write thank you notes if they have not already done so.****

March 6, 2022 (Sunday)

Donation Board #1: The donation board will have a picture covered in small envelopes. The picture will slowly be revealed as envelopes are filled and removed. Youth can help collect donations following the 8:30am, 10:00am, or 5:30pm services on the church patio.

March 13, 2022 (Sunday)

Donation Board #2: The donation board will have a picture covered in small envelopes. The picture will slowly be revealed as envelopes are filled and removed. Youth can help collect donations following the 8:30am, 10:00am, or 5:30pm services on the church patio.

March 20, 2022 (Sunday)

Donation Board #3: The donation board will have a picture covered in small envelopes. The picture will slowly be revealed as envelopes are filled and removed. Youth can help collect donations following the 8:30am, 10:00am, or 5:30pm services on the church patio.

April 1, 2022 Final Payment Due: All payments must be submitted by this date.

April 24, 2022 (Sunday)

Pre-sell Mother's Day Flowers #1: Youth will collect orders for Mother's Day Flowers following the 8:30am, 10:00am, or 5:30pm services on the church patio.

May 1, 2022 (Sunday)

Pre-sell Mother's Day Flowers #2: Youth will collect orders for Mother's Day Flowers following the 8:30am, 10:00am, or 5:30pm services church patio.

May 7, 2022(Saturday) at 9:00-10:30am

Assembling Mother's Day Flowers: Youth will participate in an assembly line creating the Mother's Day flower arrangements. Please bring gardening gloves and pruning shears if you have them.

Delivering Mother's Day Flowers: Due to COVID19 concerns some of our church members are still not attending worship in-person. We will be offering to deliver arrangements (for an additional fee) within a 10-mile radius of the church. Youth are needed to help deliver these arrangements (please pick up the vases and delivery maps between 10:30am and 12:30pm on Saturday). If youth arrange flowers AND deliver this will count as 2 of the 4 required fundraising events.

May 8, 2022 (Sunday)

Distributing Mother's Day Flowers: Youth will distribute Mother's Day flowers to those who pre-ordered, and will sell any remaining arrangements 8:00-11:30am, or 5:00-6:00pm.

May 22, 2022 (Sunday)

Bake Sale: Provide baked goods and/or help sell the desserts following the 8:30am, 10:00am, or 5:30pm services. Please package desserts ahead of time in easy to sell individual portions.

If you are unable to attend one of the letter writing events as well as four of the options listed above, please reach out to the Director of Youth Ministries, Rev. Kristin Reksc, at Kristin@rhumc.org and she can provide alternative means for participation.

Thank you all for your participation and willingness to help make this trip possible!