Spring Invasion 2010 March 13 – 20

Northridge Team Schedule:

- Wed. February 24: Yellow Commitment Sheet due signed by parent and student. Final day to sign up online at www.efcmaym.org. Make sure to read all the details online as well.
- **Sat. March 6:** <u>Required</u> Orientation 9:00am to 5:00pm at NFC. (See back of this sheet for more information about Orientation.)
- **Sun. March 7:** Required Dinner and Auction. Every student will be required to help with the meal and will be required to work for 4 hours more details later.
- Wed. March 10: <u>Required</u> work night 6:30-8:30 p.m.(last minute prep) FINAL PAYMENT DUE
- Sat. March 13: Leave NFC at 5:00 a.m.
- **Sun. March 14:** Cross the border, participate in Sunday evening church
- **Mon Thu:** MISSION WORK! Work on projects, Participate in various church and/or evangelistic work. Many more exciting details coming soon!
- Fri. March 19: Leave Mexico, stay in San Antonio Hotel
- Sat. March 20: Return to Wichita will call parents when time is determined.

Invasion 2010 Cost: All cost paid to NFC: \$450 (minus fundraisers) due Wed., March 10

<u>Note:</u> if you decide to order a shirt when registering, the total cost for Invasion will be \$460. I will notify you after the Youth Auction to let you know how much you will owe. Understand that fundraisers cover a large portion of your registration and other financial help is available. Don't even think about letting money stop you from participating!! Talk to Jesse for help!

- 1. **\$225 EFC-MAYM registration fee due to NFC** This covers all expenses while in Mexico including meals, overnight arrangements, work project supplies, administration, etc.
- 2. \$185 due to NFC This helps cover NFC transportation and hotel costs down and back. Furthermore, this covers your tourist visa charge which is new this year.
- **3. \$60 required cash in your pocket** for meal expenses during traveling. (5 fast food meals (\$40) and one River walk meal (\$20) If you want \$ for souvenirs and/or snacks you will need to bring more than \$60.

Passport or Passport Card is required for all persons going on Spring Invasion!

Passport Info: <u>http://travel.state.gov/passport/passport_1738.html</u> Info explaining 18 and under do not need passports (Invasion paperwork will provide parental release): <u>http://www.getyouhome.gov/html/lang_eng/eng_sa.html</u>

Required Orientation Session

All participants need to be at the **required** Orientation Session Saturday, March 6 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Northridge Friends Church Please bring \$5 to offset lunch costs.

<u>Pass this info on to your parents</u>: Parents are welcome to any of this orientation, are not required to be at any of it, but might benefit the most from the 9:00 to 11:00 session. Ask your parents staying for lunch to RSVP to me (838-7724, <u>jpenna@northridgefriends.org</u>) so we have enough food.

What will we do? We will focus on overview of schedule and expectations from 9:00 to noon and then eat lunch together.

The afternoon will be focused on things like learning the Mexican yell, understanding the gospel message, learning/practicing to tell your testimony, and preparing for this year's ministry.

We will end our day together setting up and preparing for the dinner/auction to take place the next day - hence the reason for the longer day.

Please let me know if you have questions about any of the information that is found in this letter. SIGN UP TODAY online at <u>www.friendsyouth.com</u> !!!!!

Blessings – Jesse Penna (838-7724, jpenna@northridgefriends.org)

2010 Spring Invasion NFC Commitment Form Due Wednesday, February 24

You must also sign up at <u>www.friendsyouth.com</u> by Feb. 24 as well

Name _____ Phone _____

By Signing Below, I understand that the student above is making a commitment to be on the NFC team that is firm. Team members will participate in the youth auction, the orientation, work days and the Invasion. I understand that I am responsible for full registration payment, even in an unfortunate situation that keeps the named student from participating. Trip arrangements and financial commitments will be made on my behalf as a team member.

Student Signature_____

Parent Signature_____

Please contact Jesse Penna if you need help with anything! 838-7724, jpenna@northridgefriends.org.

** Along with this commitment form, everyone will need to register online at <u>www.efcmaym.org</u> by Feb. 24 in order for us to have our team decided. However, all money that is due will be paid to NFC directly!! You will be informed after the auction how much you will owe for Invasion. Please do not make any payments online. When you register select the "pay through church" option. **