

Emmanuel Youth Planning Team

Purpose:

The youth planning team of Emmanuel Baptist Church in Pullman, WA exists for the following reasons:

1. To free up the Youth Pastor and Youth Workers to primarily focus on relationships with youth and teaching.
2. To calendar and plan upcoming events (not including Sunday Nights) for the youth programs.
3. To help evaluate the effectiveness of events and ministries of the youth programs.
4. To assist the Youth Pastor in budget planning/requests.

Composed of:

The Youth Planning Team will be composed of:

- The Youth Pastor
- 2 Youth Workers
- 4 Youth
- 2 Parents of Youth

All persons wishing to serve on the planning team, with the exception of the Youth Pastor, must fill out an application. The applications will be reviewed by the Youth Pastor and he will make the decision as to who is being allowed to serve. His decisions must be cleared by the Senior Pastor.

The planning team will primarily serve on a rotating basis of 2 years. In the first year, one of the two representatives of the youth workers and youth parents will be asked to serve only one year, therefore, establishing a rotating cycle that leaves one holdover and one newcomer. The youth of Emmanuel will rotate each semester, but initially two will be asked to serve two semesters.

They are solely a planning team. They exist to aid the youth pastor and youth workers, not to govern them.

Requirements:

1. Have a deep concern and interest in Emmanuel's youth group.
2. Be gifted in planning and budgeting.
3. Be a team player.
4. Be committed.
5. Be responsible.

Expectations:

1. Attend a 2 hour meeting once a month.(summer months off)
2. State ideas and add to the discussions.
3. Be flexible.

Correspondence with Youth Workers:

For every event the Youth Planning Team will fill out an EBC Event Planning Form. A representative from the Youth Planning Team will then meet with the Youth Worker assigned to said event and give them the form and information needed for the Youth Worker to implement the event. Occasionally, the planning team may be requested to help the youth workers with an event, depending on the size of the event. Upon completion of event, the Youth Worker will fill out an EBC Youth Event Evaluation Form and give this form to the Youth Planning Team.