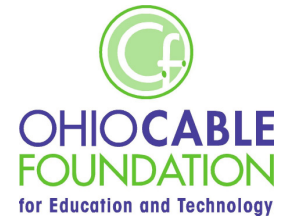




YOUTH SUMMIT 2009



URGENT REGISTRATION INFORMATION

DUE BY October 15, 2009

September 22, 2009

To: High School Principals
From: Suzanne Helmick, Kids Voting Central Ohio
Re: **Kids Voting Youth Summit — October 22, 2009**
“Energy Policy ... The Young Citizen’s Role”

Kids Voting is pleased to announce its 2009 Youth Summit. Our eighth annual Youth Summit promises to be an exciting opportunity for a select number of high school juniors and seniors in school districts that participate in Kids Voting.

This year’s Summit will provide juniors and seniors from area high schools an opportunity to:

- ★ Get an overview of global climate change and energy policy initiatives.
- ★ Learn about actions planned and underway to make Ohio a leader in sustainable energy usage.
- ★ Work in small groups to discuss pros and cons of various sources of energy and the impact on local jobs and resources.
- ★ Develop a personal strategy for engagement in important global and local policy initiatives.

Your school is invited to send ten juniors or seniors to this unique learning experience, but you must act quickly. REGISTRATION MUST BE RECEIVED BY OCTOBER 15TH.

The Summit will be held Thursday, October 22, 2009, from 9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at the Ohio Statehouse Atrium just off the Rotunda. **Students are to arrive by 9:15 a.m.**

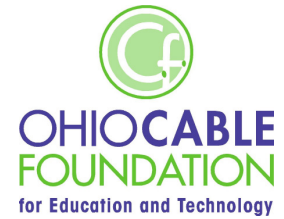
Each school is responsible for making its own transportation arrangements and notifying Kids Voting of these arrangements. In addition, each school is required to provide at least one chaperone to accompany the students.

Please note, the media could be present and the event may be taped for later use. Parental permission regarding potential use of photos is included as part of the permission/registration form.

If you have questions or require additional information, please phone the Kids Voting office at 614/224.3555 or by email at contact@kidsvotingoh.org



YOUTH SUMMIT 2009



Kids Voting Youth Summit 2009 *“Energy Policy... The Young Citizen’s Role”*

PRESENTED BY
KIDS VOTING CENTRAL OHIO
OHIO CABLE FOUNDATION FOR EDUCATION AND TECHNOLOGY

LOGISTICS:

Date: Thursday, October 22, 2009

Time: 9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

Location: Ohio Statehouse Atrium

Transportation: Will be provided by participating school

Lunch: Will be provided by Kids Voting

STUDENTS WILL:

- ★ Interact in small groups with public policy professionals, elected officials, and students from other school districts;
- ★ Learn about state and local initiatives to move toward energy sustainability and analyze strategies for young citizens to have a positive impact on these policies.

ATTENDANCE:

- ★ Limited to 150 High School Students (Juniors and Seniors) from Central Ohio schools participating in Kids Voting. Each high school is allocated 10 students. Only the first 150 students registered will attend.

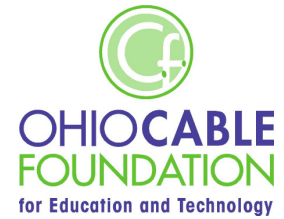
NOTE TO TEACHERS:

Resource materials will be provided to augment on these discussions in your classroom.

Space is limited for this special event. Don't delay in registering your class. To assure space, your reservation materials must be received by October 15th. For more information, send an email to contact@kidsvotingoh.org or call 614/224-3555.



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TEACHER INSTRUCTIONS FOR YOUTH SUMMIT REGISTRATION

1. Please duplicate and distribute the Youth Summit Student Registration and Permission Forms as soon as possible. Seating is limited. The target number of students for your high school is **10**. The first 150 students registered will participate!
2. **School Registration master list is needed by OCT. 15th**. Please use the enclosed Master List form and fax or mail it to Kids Voting. Space is limited! The earlier you return your list, the better. Forms can be mailed to Kids Voting Central Ohio, 60 E. Broad St., 3rd Floor, Columbus, Ohio 43215, or faxed to 614/461-8105.
3. Students must have signed permission forms in order to participate. Teacher or Chaperone must bring all signed permission forms to the Youth Summit Registration Desk in the Statehouse Atrium on the day of the event.
4. **No students will be admitted without a permission slip.**
5. Each school is responsible for making its own transportation arrangements and notifying Kids Voting of those arrangements.
6. Each school is responsible for providing at least one chaperone.
7. Please use blue or black ink for the names and print legibly. This list will be used to make name tags for the students. Please fax your master list to 614/461-8105.
8. Please note media could be present and the event may be taped for later use. Parental permission regarding potential use of photos is included as part of the permission/registration form.
9. Note: More spots may become available if some schools don't use all the space allotted. Please indicate on your form if you would like to be contacted in case additional spots are available. We will notify you of extra seats after October 15th.

Please contact the Kids Voting office at 614/224-3555 or contact@kidsvotingoh.org if you have questions or require more information





Central Ohio

YOUTH SUMMIT 2009

STUDENT REGISTRATION AND PERMISSION FORM

FOR THE
KIDS VOTING YOUTH SUMMIT

“Energy Policy... The Young Citizen’s Role”

Thursday, October 22, 2009

9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

Ohio Statehouse Atrium
Corner of Broad and High Streets
Downtown Columbus

Student Name: _____ Grade: _____

School District: _____ School Name: _____



Agenda

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| <i>9:15 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.</i> | <i>Registration - Statehouse Atrium</i> |
| <i>9:30 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.</i> | <i>Welcome & Opening Remarks</i> |
| <i>9:45 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.</i> | <i>A Look at the Climate Change Issue</i> |
| <i>10:45 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.</i> | <i>Panel Discussion on State and Local Initiatives and
Small Group Discussions of energy sources and their impact
on local jobs and resources</i> |
| <i>12:00 p.m. – 12:45 p.m.</i> | <i>Lunch table Discussions with Elected Officials</i> |
| <i>12:45 p.m. – 1:15 p.m.</i> | <i>Interactive Discussion on Environmental Activism</i> |
| <i>1:15 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.</i> | <i>Wrap-up and Dismissal</i> |



Parental approval is absolutely required. No student may attend the event without a signed permission form.

My child has permission to attend the Kids Voting Youth Summit on Thursday, October 22, 2009, from 9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at the Ohio Statehouse. I understand media coverage may occur and my child’s photo may appear in subsequent news coverage and Kids Voting materials.

Signed _____

Relationship: Parent or Guardian (circle one)

Date _____

Daytime Phone # _____

**KIDS VOTING CENTRAL OHIO
 YOUTH SUMMIT FOR HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS
 OHIO STATEHOUSE**

Thursday, October 22, 2009
 9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

MASTER REGISTRATION LIST

SCHOOL NAME _____ COORDINATING TEACHER NAME(S) _____ E-MAIL OR DAYTIME PHONE _____

STUDENTS WILL ARRIVE BY: ___ SCHOOL BUS ___ CARS (INDICATE NUMBER) ___ MASS TRANSIT ___ OTHER

STUDENT NAME – PLEASE PRINT	GRADE LEVEL
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TEACHERS/CHAPERONES	GRADE LEVEL
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MAIL OR FAX TO: KIDS VOTING, 60 East High St., 3rd Floor, COLUMBUS, OH. 43215 FAX: 614/461-8105

NO LATER THAN OCTOBER 15, 2009.