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2ND ANNUAL TEEN LEADERSHIP ACADEMY



Teen Leadership Academy participants volunteered with Farming4Hunger during a visit to Serenity Farm on June 28.

Twenty-seven teens from Calvert, Charles, St. Mary's, and Prince George's counties joined in the 2nd Annual Teen Leadership Academy (TLA) from June 26 - 29 hosted at the College of Southern Maryland, Prince Frederick, Md. Led by TLA Coordinator Drew Willard (eighth-grade history teacher at Leonardtown Middle School and assistant baseball coach at St. Mary's College of Maryland), the teens explored characteristics of good leadership. They had a day dedicated to energy sources available in Southern Maryland, a day to tour Historic St. Mary's City and a visit to Serenity Farm to learn more about leadership through the agricultural, economic, and social impact of Farming4Hunger, and a day to present their own projects on how to be effective leaders. Mark your calendar for next year's TLA: June 25 - 28, 2018!

NEW STAFF AT LSM

Please welcome Jessica Heck who now serves as Leadership Southern Maryland's Administration Manager. Jessica is assimilating quickly as a Navy spouse often does when facing a new challenge. She understands the impact leadership programs can have on



communities and was impressed with the Ambassadors of the Teen Leadership Academy held the last week of June.

Jessica is eager to meet the graduates and looks forward to helping Southern Maryland succeed. You can contact Jessica Heck in the office at 240-725-5469 or at jessica@leadershipsomd.org.

NONPROFITS NEEDED FOR CLASS PROJECTS

Is your nonprofit in need of a service project? LSM is seeking nonprofits to participate in the upcoming Executive class service project. To learn more or to submit a proposal for your organization, please visit our website or contact Helen Mattingly Wernecke at helen@leadershipsomd.org.

SUMMER BASEBALL GATHERING



Blue Crabs) is located at: 11765 St. Linus Drive Waldorf, Maryland 20602

Game time is 6:35 pm.

Come and cheer on the Blue Crabs on **SATURDAY**, **AUGUST 12** as they take on the Long Island Ducks in night three of a four-night contest. LSM is offering concourse **tabling opportunities** to other Southern Maryland nonprofits and small businesses.

TICKETS:

Purchase tickets <u>HERE</u>. Scroll down and click on the LSM logo to purchase your tickets!

TABLING:

LSM will be tabling before the game in the main concourse as will other Southern Maryland businesses and organizations. If you're interested in tabling,email info@leadershipsomd.org but hurry, tables will go quickly.

Regency Furniture Stadium (home of the Southern Maryland

Feel free to pass this email along to others: this promotion is not limited to LSM alumni!

UPCOMING EVENTS

JOIN US!

LSM Family Night at the Ballpark Saturday, August 12 Regency Furniture Stadium, Waldorf

October 5 Homecoming Reception

"Under the Lighthouse" at Calvert Marine Museum

BE AN ALUMNI AMBASSADOR



Did you know the Alumni Committee is seeking two or three graduates from each class to help share key information and connect with your fellow graduates? If you're interested in becoming an Alumni Ambassador for your class please reach out to the Alumni Chair, **Theresa Johnson '14**, at alumni@leadershipsomd.org.

We are seeking help from the following classes:

- 2009 We need three!
- 2010 Thank you, Kimberly Rosenfield! We need two more!
- 2011 We need three!
- 2012 We need three!
- 2013 Thank you, John Felicitas! We need two more!
- 2014 Thank you, Theresa Johnson, Julie Lemmon, and Christa Kuhl!
- 2015 Thank you, Kristine Wilcox and Sharmella Riggs! We need one more!
- 2016 Thank you, Carrie Plymire, Jennifer Normyle, Linda Colina, and Michelle Reeves!
- 2017 Thank you, Jacklyn Miles and Eusebio Quinones! We need one more!

Meet an Ambassador: Eusebio "Q" Quinones '17



Eusebio "Q" Quinones '17 is a senior program manager with Zenetex LLC, providing IT, engineering, integrated logistics, foreign military sales, program management, training systems, ITIL® training, and contractor field services solutions for a variety of federal agencies and commercial organizations. He provides mentorship and supervision of foreign military sales professionals and subcontractor teams while responsible for the company's Royal Malaysian Airforce Foreign Military Sales business unit. He had a successful career in the Navy as an aircraft maintenance officer and is a volunteer at his local church.

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