# CAMP EAGLE LEADERSHIP CAMP

**What is the Camp Eagle-Advanced Leadership Training (Camp Eagle)?**

Camp Eagle is a six-day advanced leadership workshop running in conjunction with the South Florida Leadership Training Camp (SFLTC). This camp is for high school student government leaders who, have ***successfully completed the South Florida Leadership Training Camp or a similar development leadership camp***. Student leaders who attend this workshop will be given an opportunity to participate in a variety of leadership development activities that are conducted in small groups.

Sessions will be devoted to specific areas including:

A. Goals, Aims and Objectives of Student Government.
B. Self-Awareness and Group Dynamics
C. Parliamentary Procedure
D. Problem Solving and Decision Making
E. Planning, Organization and Time Management
F. Goal Setting
G. Communication
H. Evaluation

In addition, student leaders will have the opportunity to share ideas and projects, demonstrate their own unique abilities and renew friendships and contacts with students from throughout the state.

**Who is sponsoring this workshop?**

Camp Eagle is being sponsored by the Student Activities Department of the School Board of Broward County, Florida in association with the Florida Association of School Administrators/Florida Association of Secondary School Principals.

**Who is on the instructional staff?**

The staff consists of educators and students who have graduated from high school and who have volunteered to be Junior Counselors.

The adult staff consists of teachers who have been or who are currently student activities advisors in Florida high schools. These adult staff members have served on the staff of numerous leadership workshops and have many years experience in student leadership development.

**Where is the workshop held?**

Nova Southeastern University in Davie (Ft. Lauderdale), Florida.

**When will the workshop be held?**

The workshop will be held in June.

**What kind of accommodations will the delegates have?**

The Camp Eagle staff will make all room assignments. Students will be housed in student dormitories. Delegates from the same school will **not** be assigned as roommates.

**How do delegates get to the workshop?**

Delegates must make there own arrangements to reach the workshop. If students drive themselves to the workshop, they will not be allowed to drive their vehicles from the time they arrive until the workshop is over. The Camp Eagle staff will make arrangements to transport students to and from the local train and bus stations if such assistance is requested and if the arrival time is before 2:30p.m.

**What about early departure/temporary dismissal?**

It is **STRONGLY** discouraged. All fees for housing, food, supplies, etc. for each student, for the entire camp period, have to be paid for in advance. It is our recommendation that only students who can attend the camp for the **full** time be encouraged to participate.

**What about students who is properly registered does not arrive at camp?**

1. The camp staff will immediately attempt to reach the student's parents or guardian to report the student's absence.
2. The student's high school will be notified of the student's absence shortly following the completion camp.
3. Due to the fact that for the past four years, the camp has reached capacity, resulting in entire school delegations having to be turned away, the department considers it mandatory that we recoup any dept funds used to pay the registration fee for a delegate that is a no-show. Therefore the Department of Student Activities and Athletics will invoice the school for those funds.
4. Whether the school paid all of the registration fee or part of the registration fee, if the student is a no-show and made no attempt to notify the school in a timely manner, it is recommended that the school place an obligation against the student for whatever the school paid on that student's behave.

**Is there a dress code?**

Yes. The dress code specified by the School Board of Broward County, Florida in conjunction with the FASA/FASSP will be enforced. However, students should be informed that the camp will provide a tee shirt for Tuesday and Wednesday and if possible please bring a "school" shirt.

**Are there other rules of conduct that will be enforced?**

Yes. Most of them will be discussed at the workshop's first general session however, a few should be mentioned here.

Any delegate who is found in possession of drugs, alcohol beverages, or who leaves the workshop campus, or who is found in the room of a member of the opposite sex will be sent home at his/her parent's expense. In addition, his/her principal will be immediately notified.

**What should a delegate bring?**

1. A pillow, towels and bed linen (including a light blanket) for a long single bed.
2. A pencil or pen (these are needed at each session).
3. A positive attitude and an open mind.
4. Extra money for snacks, film, etc.

**Can a delegate bring a musical instrument, camera or radio?**

Yes. In fact, delegates are encouraged to bring a musical instrument if they play one. Radios and tape players are permitted but may not be brought to any of the sessions.

**What should not be brought to the workshops?**

1. Alcoholic beverages or drugs.
2. Valuable jewelry.
3. A bad attitude.

**Will there be some recreational time allowed?**

Yes, delegates will want to bring some recreational clothing including a bathing suit. (Keep in mind this is a school type sponsored function)

**Do delegates need to bring a coat and tie or nice dress for a special event?**

While there will be no coat and tie event at Camp Eagle, there will, however, be a dinner on the last night of camp to which we would prefer there be no shorts or tee shirts worn. It is **highly recommended that shorts** be worn to all other events. Please remind all delegates that the dress code of the School Board of Broward County will be enforced and delegates should pack accordingly.

**Do delegates need parental permission forms?**

Yes. Every delegate must submit a signed copy of the permission form that will accompany the registration packet.

**Do delegates have to have an advisor attend with them?**

No. Advisors are encouraged to attend but are not required. Those who do attend must register as a delegate just as the student.

**Who may attend?**

Rising sophomores, juniors and seniors from any high school in the state of Florida who has previously attended a development leadership camp. Preference should be given to student government, class and club officers who will be serving during the following school year. **Please note: No first time camp experience attendees will be accepted**.

**What is the registration fee and when is the registration deadline?**

The registration cost for the camp is $350.00 per delegate. It is not expected that the registration will increase in the near future.

**The deadline for registration is June 15, 2012.**

**What about refunds?**

**No refunds** will be made after **June 22, 2012**. However, substitute delegates may be sent as long as the **substitute delegate is of the same sex as the delegate they are replacing.** Substitute delegates must bring all of the necessary permission forms with them.

**How can I get a registration form for my school?**

A complete informational booklet is on this disc and it is usually mailed to every school by the end of January or the beginning of February.

**Who can provide additional information about the Camp Eagle?**

Additional information can be obtained by writing or calling: the Department of Student Activities and Athletics of the School Board of Broward County, FL. The office telephone number is (754) 321-1201.

**How can someone become a staff member?**

Teachers can become adult staff members by contacting the Department of Student Activities and Athletics, the Broward County School District, telephone number (754) 321-1201. Graduating seniors can apply to be Junior Counselors the same way.