

2008 HOBY Maryland Leadership Seminar
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Dear Principal or Counselor,

Thank you for selecting your student, _____, to participate in the 2008 Hugh O'Brian Youth (HOBY) Maryland Leadership Seminar. We are pleased to inform you that your sophomore will attend the seminar.

Your student was sent an official invitation letter and directions to download a packet from www.hobymd.org. All registration materials are to be completed and returned to us by April 15th. If your student representative becomes unavailable to attend, please notify me immediately. I will make arrangements with you to select an alternate representative.

The Maryland Leadership Seminar will be held Memorial Day weekend, May 23 - 25, 2008 at Mount St. Mary's University, in Emmitsburg, Maryland for nearly 190 Maryland sophomores. Please excuse your student from class on Friday. The seminar begins at 8 am that day. The seminar will include panels on global education, volunteerism, science, world hunger, and the media. Leadership Labs (hands on tasks), a Career Lunch, motivational speakers, and a service learning community project are scheduled. We are also collecting aluminum can pull tabs for the Johns Hopkins Children's Cancer Research Center. Why don't you contribute a few to our recycling project!

There are a limited number of openings for interested school personnel who would like to attend at their own expense in order to observe. If you would like more information, please call me at the number listed above. In addition, we would be pleased if you or your representative could join us for Sunday's Closing Ceremony in the Knott Auditorium from 2:00 to 3:30 pm.

On behalf of the Hugh O'Brian Youth Leadership, thank you very much for your personal interest.

Sincerely,

Carol A. Applegate
2008 HOBY Maryland Seminar Chair