

SPONSOR CHECKLIST

Pre-Registration Period (March/April)

- Clarify leadership roles and identify young people who could benefit from additional leadership training for their identified role in your program.
- Ask potential participants to confirm dates with other commitments and expenses for summer (realizing participants need to be present all 8 days).
- Sponsor and participants discuss specific expectations of the participant when they return from High LI (Leading Confirmation Peers, Music group, Core Team, etc.)

Registration (April – early May)

- Have potential participants complete and submit application materials and fees to sponsoring parish s so all applications can be assembled and submitted with a single parish/school check before deadline.
- Sponsor ranks potential participants in the order you like to see them attend and on which track.

May

- Sponsor will receive confirmation of which candidates were accepted into which tracks.
- Participants will receive confirmation of their acceptance and orientation dates. They will receive information about expectations for Public Speaking Practicum.
- Sponsors need to sit down with participants to review information so that both are clear on the expectations. In particular it is expected that sponsors will insure that participants arrive at High LI with a speech ready to deliver (according to track specifics) and have coached their writing from brainstorming through final edition.



SPONSOR CHECKLIST (CONT'D)

June

- Participants will attend orientation program with those materials expected by their track.
- Sponsors should be working with participants on their speech and other pre High LI expectations.

July

- Participants attend High LI.
- Sponsors are welcome to visit (in particular the closing liturgy) and encouraged to send letters/care packages.
- Pray for your young people at High LI.

August

- Participants should initiate meeting with sponsor to talk about their experience using the High LI Portfolio and evaluation. This is meeting one.

Fall

- Participants should be using their skills from High LI in specific ministries.
- Meeting two and three regarding follow up with High LI participants.

