

ANNOUNCING

A service-learning, youth development, leadership opportunity for teens
Dads Make a Difference Teen Trainings

SOUTHERN MN TRAINING, maximum 50 teens

Monday, October 29, 2007

Best Western, Mankato

8:00 am. through 8:00 pm.

Registration Deadline October 15, 2007

Cost: \$45 per participant - teen or adult bringing teens for 1-day training

(\$55 per participant to arrive and stay over Sunday night)

METRO TRAINING, maximum 100 teens

Sunday - Monday, November 11-12, 2007

***Location to be announced**

Registration Deadline October 26, 2007

\$55 per participant - teen or adult bringing teens for 2-day training

Training is overnight, beginning 9:00 a.m. Day 1 through 3:00 p.m. Day 2

Sliding fee or scholarships available if needed, please inquire.

Both trainings are open to teens from schools and agencies statewide.

Dads Make a Difference™ is a Minnesota nonprofit organization training senior high-age teens, male and female, to teach a 4-lesson curriculum about the importance of fathers in children's lives to middle school-age youth in grades 6-9. Teens, along with an adult advisor, attend training to learn the content and gain the skills needed to teach. A prevention program designed to help prevent too-early parenting and increase the involvement of the future generation of fathers, the curriculum helps older teens discuss the legal, financial, and emotional responsibilities of parenting with younger youth.

The 4-lesson *Dads Make a Difference* curriculum includes:

RISKY BUSINESS

Defining risk and examining risky behavior, both positive and negative

BEING A LEGAL FATHER

Exploring the legal issues of fatherhood, including the benefits of establishing paternity

FATHERS AND THEIR FAMILIES

Discovering how involved fathers make a difference in the well-being of children

DECISIONS ARE FOR THE MAKING

Learning the importance of making responsible decisions for the future and about when to have a child

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