

What is Blacktop Rec.?

As an expansion of Calvary's year-round youth programs, Blacktop Rec. is a supervised recreational ministry for neighborhood K-5th grade children, and runs M-F from 11 AM-3 PM. Through both on-site and off-site activities, as well as a free daily lunch, Blacktop Rec. seeks to provide opportunities for the physical, social, emotional, mental, and spiritual growth of the young people we serve. Our desire is help disadvantaged youth transform their lives by providing a safe, Christian environment where they can grow and have fun, free of charge.

Blacktop Rec, will run for eight weeks during the summer of '09. Those weeks are: June 15-19, June 22-26, June 29-July 3, July 6-10, July 13-17, July 20-24, July 27-31, August 3-7, and August 10-14.



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Serve as a MS or SH ▶ Access team!

Whether or not your group has had missions experience in the past, please consider this unique, hands-on opportunity to serve. It will stretch your students' understanding of God's vision for service, and help meet a great need of both our program and our community. Also, serving as an ACCESS group is a very affordable option for your group to be a part of a powerful neighborhood missions experience.



Holland, MI, and the Holland Heights area where Calvary Church is located, has increasingly become a very diverse area. ACCESS groups will have the opportunity to experience a variety of cultures and backgrounds they may not be accustomed to in every day life.

This will be the seventh summer that ACCESS will be offered to assist our summer Blacktop Rec. ministry.

What does Access Provide?

For only \$175/person, Calvary will provide an on-site coordinator to oversee your groups' hospitality needs, lodging, meals, and evening activities:

Breakfast, M-F: provided at the church

Lunch, M-F: eat with the Blacktop Rec. youth

Dinner, M-Th: provided for your group at host homes each night (Sun. & Fri. night dinners are your groups' responsibility)

Sample of Evening Activities: Grill-out & beach night at Lake Michigan, visit downtown Holland, community outreach nights and community garden (see below)

What are the Community Nights and Community Garden?

You will have an evening op. to serve in a high-needs neighborhood by interacting with residents of all ages through b-ball, games, and snacks. You will also have an evening op. to lend a hand in our community garden!

Lodging

ACCESS groups will be able to use the facilities of Calvary Church. Separate male/female rooms are provided for your group to sleep, as well as separate individualized shower units.

Calvary's facilities also provide a gym, full-functioning kitchen, and a youth room with pool table, ping pong, foosball, air hockey, and other forms of entertainment.

Sign up now! see available weeks under "what is Blacktop Rec.?"

Sign your group up for one of the eight weeks offered. You will be partnering with Calvary Church to assist in running our Blacktop Rec. program (see "What is Blacktop Rec.?").

Your ACCESS group will be with the community youth Monday-Friday from 11 AM-3 PM, assisting our Blacktop Rec. staff and volunteers with the daily events and activities for our neighborhood kids.

How do I sign up?

Let's keep this simple. If you are interested in hearing more about this great Middle School or Senior High missions opportunity, contact Eaglecrest Mission Expeditions at 616-748-6067, or contact Calvary Church at 616-392-8559. We would be happy to answer any questions you have! Call soon, before spaces fill up!

