

Tomorrow River Vacation Education

NOMINATE A FAMILY FOR AN ALL EXPENSES PAID SUMMER VACATION.

Vacation Education this year is a reward program for families who have children in middle school that have excelled this year, in spite of the struggles financial or otherwise their families may be experiencing. A child who does well in school under difficult circumstances shows that the parents are working diligently to help their children in spite of tough times. It is our hope that next year, and for years to come, Vacation Education will be an incentive for children and their families to bond and work together for a smarter and brighter future.

A community project

Supported by the following Businesses in Amherst Wisconsin.

Diane's Amherst Café	up to	\$75.00	Each Family	or	\$5.00	per person per day
Breakfast Each Day						
Ambrosia Pub & Grill	up to	\$40.00	Each Family	or	\$8.00	per person
One Pizza Party						
B-Bar 10 Western store	Approx	\$25.00	Each Family			
Souvenir Gift Certificate						
Frontier Restaurant	up to	\$40.00	Each Family	or	\$8.00	per person
Gift Certificate						
White Tail Lanes	up to	\$35.00	Each Family	or	\$7.00	per person
Bowling Party						
Wild West Campground						
One 45 Minute Trail Ride	up to	\$100.00	Each Family	or	\$20.00	per person
Tomorrow River Resort						
3 nights at the Tomorrow River Motel in a Double Room	up to	\$150.00	Each Family	or	\$50.00	per night
2 hour Canoe, Kayak or Tube Trips	up to	\$50.00	Each Family	or	\$10.00	per person
Dinner at the Tomorrow River Supper Club	up to	\$75.00	Each Family	or	\$15.00	per person
Fishing Poles for use.	Donated by Dave Bell					
Total Approx Value of Each Vacation		\$590.00				

How can I become a Supporter?

You can become a supporter by emailing marilyn@tomorrowriverfun.com and pledging your contribution. Contributions can be anything that can be enjoyed during the vacation experience. Your business will be added to the list of supporters once you have pledged enough for ten families of five individuals to enjoy. We are hoping to get many nominations and would like to be able to send all the families nominated on vacation so competing business will qualify, as will other types of business. Example: Race track tickets, Outdoor Theater, Baseball Games, and Golf outings etc.

Wouldn't it be great if we could offer a variety of different types of all expenses paid vacations?

Who Qualifies?

Families of Middle School Children who have significantly increased their GPA this year and whose families would not otherwise be able to Experience a family vacation this year due to unforeseen financial problems.

Who nominates qualified candidates?

Candidates can be nominated by anyone. However, Nominations made by the following professionals who are certified in the following areas will carry more points.

Teachers, Guidance Counselors, Social Workers, Pastors

How to Nominate?

You can fill out a form on line at www.tomorrowriverfun.com. Or mail your nomination to "VACATION EDUCATION" P.O. BOX 214 Amherst Wisconsin, 54406. Only ONE nomination per family.

Nominations will be open from April 30th through June 1st. Sponsorships will have no expiration date.

CAN I SPONSOR A FAMILY OR CHILD?

YES!

Sponsorship of even one child will help build the fund for the Next all expenses paid vacation give away. (We'd like to give away Thousands of them) It will also help to keep the participating business and sponsors listed in business. So while you are giving an awesome and memorable gift to a deserving family, you are also helping to keep other families from feeling the crunch of the current economy by keeping them employed or in business.

If you would like to sponsor a child a whole family or just make a random donation you can do so at our web site www.tomorrowriverfun.com. Your sponsored family will receive this vacation package and be notified by certified mail within 10 days of your donation. If you would like to make a random donation of even as little as one dollar you could be helping to send the next deserving family on vacation.

Rules:

Child must have increased their GPA significantly this year and be in 7th 8th or 9th grade at the close of the 2009 school year.

Family must have their own transportation and be able to take their vacation Sunday through Thursday.

Only immediate family members can attend. If a family is smaller than 5, additional funds will be rolled over to the next nominated family with more than 5 members.

Only one Family vacation per week will be awarded. Award winners will be notified by Certified Mail and must respond to the Tomorrow River Motel within 10 days of the award. Non responsive winners will be replaced with the next qualified candidate on the 11th day.

All 10 winners will be randomly chosen from qualified candidates.

DONATIONS: If you would like to sponsor a family for this program you can donate to the Vacation Education fund set up at the International bank of Amherst in Amherst Wisconsin via our web www.tomorrowriverfun.com

WHY ARE WE DOING THIS?

This week Wisconsin's unemployment rate hit a 27-year high of 9.4%. As a business that caters to the traveler looking for an affordable retreat, we at the Tomorrow River Supper Club & Motel had to ask ourselves how is that going to impact our community. It has always been my experience that the more you give, the better you get. (In many ways) So I asked the business community here how much could we give to ease the stress for some of these deserving yet economically impacted families, and keep our businesses afloat at the same time. It took just one hour for all the business to pledge their gifts. Not one owner hesitated for even a moment. That's typical for the people of this area. The idea is that we as business owners set the example by show casing what it is we have to work with. Thus, the 10 FREE vacations. We hope that in doing this people will go to our web site www.tomorrowriverfun.com. And click on the "VACATION EDUCATION" button and nominate a family. When looking at the individual pricing structure you realize that this great old fashioned get away is just the ticket for the budget conscious family. Perhaps Grandma and Grandpa would just like to send their children on vacation and bypass the nomination. It's definitely affordable and could remain anonymous if the sponsor wishes. Sponsored Vacations would consist of the exact same activities and rewards as the Nominated Vacations. People can also make simple donations in the event there are more than 5 in a family and then every time we reach the \$605.00 mark we will pull another name from the list of eligible nominations and they will receive a certified letter informing them of the award. The businesses here will stay in business and the families will have that all important bonding experience that is the Family Vacation. This is our first year so it will be a learning experience for everyone. I hope that next year we will be able to add other activities for the families and perhaps add a day or two and extend the time period to include winter weekend getaways. Aside from all the wonderful gifts that we have already Dave Bell has promised to donate 5 fishing poles for the families to use while they are here in Amherst, which to me is truly, the most wonderful place on earth.

VACATION EDUCATION

FAMILIES LAST NAME

Nominating/Sponsorship Form

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Childs First Name	Grade this year	Age	GPA IN SEPT	GPA IN MAY
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Brothers and Sisters				

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Address of Nominated Family

Mothers First Name	Fathers First Name	House # & Street name		
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City	State	Zip
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Circle One

Name of Person Filling out this form	I am Nominating	I am Sponsoring	I am Donating
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First Name	Last Name		
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Relation to Child			Amount
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Do you wish to remain anonymous?

Yes	No
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Explain in 200 words or less why this family should win.