



Blazers Community Builders Youth Corps
"Statewide Youth Summit"

June 4, 2005

Portland's Memorial Coliseum Exhibition Hall

EVENT AGENDA

Saturday, June 4

9:30 a.m. – Set-up (Trail Blazers, HOP, CF staff & Ambassadors)

11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. - **Arrive at Exhibition Hall** (directions enclosed) / Group Registration / Box Lunches

- Set up group booth for BCBYC Convention

12:00 – 1:00 p.m. - **Official Welcome in the Exhibition Hall**

- Rhiannon McCracken, BCBYC Ambassador, Franklin High School
- Jerry Moss, Trail Blazers Community Outreach Director
- Jake Oken-Berg, 2000 Portland Mayoral candidate, Lincoln High School alum with BA in Political Science from Pomona College

- **Overview For Day** – Doug Loyd, BCBYC Coordinator, Camp Fire USA Portland Metro Council

1:00 – 2:00 p.m. - **BCBYC Convention**

- Convention-style forum to showcase work of:
 - o BCB Youth Corps
 - o Funded organizations
 - o Fun, prizes, and a great showcase for Youth-engagement in Oregon and SW Washington

2:15 – 3:15 p.m. - **Moderated Panel Discussion**

- A forum where both adult and youth decision-makers can discuss issues relating to young people, youth engagement and civic responsibility, youth voice and leadership.
- Panel participants include:

BCB YOUTH AMBASSADORS

Cray Hudson, Open Meadow High School
Krista Maeda, Ontario High School
Breanne Manley, Coquille Valley High School
Casey Conzatti, Franklin High School

COMMUNITY LEADERS

Dr. Pulliams, President, Portland Community College
Renee Mitchell, Oregonian Columnist
Wendy Radmacher Willis, Executive Director, City Club of Portland
Michael Holton, Head Basketball Coach, University of Portland, Trail Blazers Alumni

3:30 – 5:00 p.m. – **"Be the Change" Action Sessions**

- 25 Adult/Ambassador facilitated group discussions for summit participants exploring topics important to youth
- Youth will be given an "Advocacy Tool Box" highlighting ways they can make their voice heard and be the agents of change in their community.

5:00 – **End of formal program**

- Overnight groups to attend Beavers Game at PGE Park

9:00 p.m. – **Exhibition Hall opens for "camping"**

- Groups that have traveled more than 3 hours are invited to spend the night in the Exhibition Hall



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