# Russian-Speaking Students at your High School are invited

are invited to the

# 18th Annual Russian-Speaking Youth Leadership Conference!

Tuesday, April 29<sup>th</sup>, 2014 at Clackamas Community College 19600 Molalla Avenue

Oregon City, OR 97045-7998

RSYLC School Registration forms due April 9, 2014

More information at: <a href="http://eecnorthamerica.org/rsylc">http://eecnorthamerica.org/rsylc</a>

## What is the Russian-Speaking Youth Leadership Conference?

The purpose of this conference is to promote youth leadership within the Russian-speaking community in the Pacific Northwest.

The Russian-Speaking Youth Leadership Conference is committed to addressing the concerns and needs of Russian-speaking students and helping each student reach his/her fullest potential.

## This registration packet contains:

- 1. School Registration Form A
- 2. Student Registration Form B
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- 4. Chaperone Responsibilities
- 5. Art Contest Information
- 6. Scholarship Competition Information
- 7. Scholarship Application English
- 8. Scholarship Application Russian
- 10. Scholar & Personal Reference Forms

# RSYLC Registration Forms A & B must be returned by April 9, 2014

Please see information sheets for instructions and other deadlines.

## School Registration - FORM A

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#### Registration Forms A & B are due April 9, 2014

**Instructions:** Please complete **ALL** of the following information.

Total amount enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Make checks payable to **RSYLC**.

Send Registration Forms A & B plus registration fees to:

Attn: Yulia Rogers, Russian Parent Liaison, ASC (Blue)
13501 NE 28<sup>th</sup> Street, Vancouver, WA 98668
Questions? Contact Yulia Rogers at (360) 604-4028
yulia.rogers@evergreenps.org

## School Registration - FORM B

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### Registration Forms A & B are due April 9, 2014

<b>Instructions:</b> Please type		the following information	1.
School: District:			
Contact Person(s):			
Contact i erson(s).			
<u>Please Type or Print</u>			
Student Name	Grade	Student Name	Grade

## RSYLC Student Code of Conduct

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- Only registered students will be admitted to the conference.
- All students must travel to the conference and return to school on school buses with chaperones.
  - NO private transportation is allowed.
  - Students who violate this rule will not be admitted to the conference.
- Students must stay with their chaperones at all times.
- Every student must wear a nametag.
- Students are prohibited from leaving the conference area.
- Students are expected to attend all assigned sessions and participate appropriately.
- Students must respect their chaperones, conference organizers, workshop presenters, and the rights of other participants, host institution rules and property.
- Students must dress appropriately, **NO** hats.
- NO headphones, NO cell phones.

If the rules above are violated, the chaperone and school administration will be notified.

#### YOUR COOPERATION IS GREATLY APPRECIATED!

Thank you for your interest in RSYLC 2014!

## Chaperone Responsibilities

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#### **Pre-Conference:**

- Meet with your students prior to the conference to go over behavioral expectations, explain the dress code and answer any questions about the conference.
- Assist students in developing a skit to present during the conference.
- Assist students in completing art contest submissions or scholarship applications – translate documents, if necessary.

#### Day of the Conference:

- Make sure that all students are dressed appropriately.
- Review conference expectations with students.

#### At the Conference:

- Check in at the registration desk upon arrival.
   No students will be allowed at the registration desk.
- Distribute conference packets and nametags.
- Instruct students to carry programs and wear nametags at all times during the conference.
- Maintain direct supervision of your students AT ALL TIMES.
- Guide them to attend all assigned sessions and participate appropriately.

We anticipate a wonderful conference this year. Your participation and assistance are essential!

#### 2014 ART CONTEST

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Conference Theme: "Believe and Achieve!" Тема конференции: «Вера в себя -- путь к успеху!»

#### **Directions:**

• On an 8.5" x 11" paper, create a design on this year's conference theme:

What does it mean, "Believe and Achieve"? Что это значит: «Вера в себя -- путь к успеху»?

- Drawings should be in color, clean, clear, and appropriate for school setting.
- Mail your original in a large envelope **Do not fold!** to the address below. You may scan and send a .jpg of your work to yulia.rogers@evergreenps.org

#### **Judging Criteria:**

- Judging is done by the conference planning committee.
- Winners are judged on artistic quality & relevance to conference theme.

#### **Prizes:**

• Prizes will be awarded for first, second, and third place.

NB: Art Contest Winners must be 2014 RSYLC participants.

Art work must be completed and sent by Wednesday April 9, 2014.

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Questions? Contact Yulia Rogers at (360) 604-4028/ yulia.rogers@evergreenps.org

## 2014 Scholarship Competition

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#### Directions for Scholarship Applicant - High School Seniors Only:

- Complete the attached application in Russian or English
- Write a short autobiography (150-200 words) in Russian or English
- Get copies of your current transcript
- Using the attached reference forms, obtain three references, one from each of the following:
  - 1. A school counselor or administrator
  - 2. A teacher or educational assistant
  - 3. A community leader
- Write an essay on the following topic:

Believe and Achieve! Вера в себя -- путь к успеху!

- Essays may be typewritten in English or Russian
- Essays must be three to five pages double-spaced, 12pt font.

Attach all documents to the completed application and send or email by April 9, 2014 to:

#### **RSYLC**

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#### **Judging Criteria:**

- Applications will be judged by the RSYLC Scholarship Sub-Committee.
- Essays will be judged on organization, how well ideas are developed, relevance to the topic and leadership content.

#### **Prizes:**

- Winner(s) will receive a \$1000 scholarship upon admission to college.
- The number of winners will be determined by the annual RSYLC budget.

NB: Scholarship Winner(s) must be 2014 RSYLC participants.

## Scholarship Application – ENGLISH

2014 Annual Russian-Speaking Youth Leadership Conference Scholarship

	First Name:		Last Name:
	Address:		
	Phone:		Email:
	Grade:	School:	
	GPA on 4.0 scale:		
1.	List all the extra	curricular activiti	es you have participated in (sports, clubs, drama, etc.)
2.	List volunteer act	ivities you have pa	articipated in and name the organization(s)
3.	Do you work?	If yes, please	e explain: Place of work
	Position	How many	hours/week do you work?
4.	What college/uni	versity do you pla	n to attend after high school?
5.	What do you plan	to major in?	
6.	How many years	have you lived in t	he US?
7.	How many times	have you attended	the Russian-Speaking Youth Leadership Conference?
8.	In your opinion, d	—— loes the Russian-S	peaking Youth Leadership Conference encourage
	Russian-Speaking	students to pursu	ue higher education? Why or why not?

## Scholarship Application –НА РУССКОМ ЯЗЫКЕ

2014 Annual Russian-Speaking Youth Leadership Conference Scholarship

	Имя: Фамилия:
	Дом. адрес:
	Телефон: Email:
	Класс: Школа:
	Средний бал (GPA по четырехбалльной шкале):
1.	Перечислите, в каких школьных мероприятиях (спорт. секции, кружки, театр, клубы и
	т.д.) Вы участвуете:
2.	Занимаетесь ли Вы добровольной pаботой (volunteer work) вне школы?
	Если да, то для какой организации?
3.	Есть ли у Вас официальная работа?
	Если да, укажите: Место работы
	Должность Количество часов в неделю
1.	В какое высшее учебное заведение Вы планируете поступать после школы?
5.	На какой факультет?
5.	Сколько лет Вы живете в США?
7.	Сколько раз Вы участвовали в конференции для русско-говорящей молодежи?
3.	Как Вы думаете, помогает ли конференция русскоязычной молодежи с принятием
	решения относительно высшего образования? Да или нет? Почему?

## Scholar Reference I

2014 Annual Russian-Speaking Youth Leadership Conference Scholarship

# Must be completed by a school counselor or administrator in English <u>or</u> Russian

Name of scholarship applicant				
Please complete this two-page form and give your frank opinion of the applicant's qualifications. Place the signed reference in an envelope, seal it and return it to the applicant to forward with the rest of application or mail by April 9, 2014 to:				
RSYLC				
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yulia.rogers@evergreenps.org				
Name of school official				
Address:				
Phone:Email				
How long have you known the applicant?				
In what capacity?				

Name of scholarship applicant	
QUALIFICATIONS OF THE APPLICANT:	
1. Character: (responsibility, initiative, goals):	
2. Scholastic ability:	
3. Prospects for future service:	
4. Determination to complete college and put the b	enefits of higher education to
professional and social use:	
5. Additional Comments:	
Signature:	Date

Thank you!
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Deadline for scholarship applications is April 9, 2014

## Scholar Reference II

2014 Annual Russian-Speaking Youth Leadership Conference Scholarship

# Must be completed by a teacher or educational assistant in English <u>or</u> Russian

Name of scholarship applicant				
Please complete this two-page form and give your frank opinion of the applicant's qualifications. Place the signed reference in an envelope, seal it and return it to the applicant to forward with the rest of application or mail by April 9, 2014 to:				
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Name of teacher or EA				
Title/Occupation:				
Address:				
Phone:Email				
How long have you known the applicant?				
In what capacity?				

Name of scholarship applicant	
QUALIFICATIONS OF THE APPLICANT:	
1. Character: (responsibility, initiative, goals):	
2. Scholastic ability:	
3. Prospects for future service:	
4. Determination to complete college and put th professional and social use:	
5. Additional Comments:	
Signature:	Date

Thank you!
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## Personal Reference III

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# Must be completed by a community leader in English or Russian

Name of scholarship applicant	
Please complete this two-page form and give your frank opinion of the applicant's qualifications. Place the signed reference in an envelope, seal it and return it to the applicant to forward with the rest of application or mail by April 9, 2014 to:	
RSYLC	
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NameTitle/Occupation:	
Address:	
Phone:Email	
How long have you known the applicant?	
In what canacity?	

Name of scholarship applicant
QUALIFICATIONS OF THE APPLICANT:
1. Character: (responsibility, initiative, goals):
2. Leadership qualities:
3. Prospects for community service:
4. Determination to complete college and put the benefits of higher education t
5. Additional Comments:
Signature: Date

Thank you!
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