

Remember, our adult group leaders are volunteers, and this is a huge undertaking. Please help us help your youth have a safe and productive trip!

Ways parents can help your youth:

- Support your youth – help them grow into adult expectations. You know what they need better than we do.
- Don't respond for your youth, but make sure they do! We do everything by email and web. Parents are CCed on everything. You can even opt-in to the text list!
- Return GL phone calls and texts- calls are made before the Rockathon and the Prep Retreat - Have your youth Use the calling GL as a resource for questions.
- Make sure your youth gets to required meetings and events – Especially the Prep Retreat May 10th-12th!
- Make sure they have a plan and are on track to hit their hours and dollars.
 - Hours don't have to be fundraising. We give hours for lots of activities needed to get ready for the trip.
 - Make sure that if they sign up for something, they show up, or notify the GL running the event before the last minute
- Remember that the \$560 minimum is just a minimum. Our average needs to be over \$1000/youth. Please aim for that!
- Volunteer! We have lots of slots where parents can help out. You can earn 4 hours for your youth.
- Support our fundraisers - Come yourself and invite family and friends!
 - Save your cans!
- Attend the services where your youth is commissioned and where they report back after the trip. They need your support!

Check our website for questions – encourage your youth to bookmark it!
<http://www.westboroughasp.org>

Where do the Fundraising Dollars go ??????:

- ASP Costs
 - a. ASP administrative fees
 - b. Week's Housing
 - c. Week's Food
 - d. Week's Construction Materials
 - e. Staff salaries
- Actual Trip Costs
 - a. Van Costs (rental / gas / etc.)
 - b. Travel food
- Westborough Pre-Trip Costs
 - a. Program / Events costs
 - b. Prep Retreat (rental / food / materials / etc.)