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Please tell us a little about yourself. (3-4 sentences).

Each participant will bring skills and inspiration from Lead On! back to their home communities in order to plan and carry out a youth-led community project. Please answer the following questions about yourself and your community.

1. Why would you like to attend Lead On! 2012 for Peace & Equality in Alaska?

2. What do you like to do in your home community? (List your favorite activities at home, school or outside organizations).

3. During the 2011 mini-summit, we will explore ideas around community change. What ideas do you have for positive change in your community?

4. Please list three qualities that make someone a positive and effective leader.

5. During the mini-summit, we will also discuss healthy lifestyles and different social issues. Please name a social issue that is important to you and explain why. (For example: tobacco use, bullying, dating violence, sexual health, etc.)

6. Healthy relationships and nonviolence are important parts of Lead On!. Why is it important to talk about these issues?

7. What does respect mean to you?

8. We only have a limited amount of scholarships; will lack of a scholarship prevent you from attending the mini-summit? Yes No

Returning Applicants

Please answer the following questions only if you have already attended Lead On! in the past.

1. What year did you attend Lead On!?

2a. What was your plan for your community project in the last Lead On! you attended?

2b. What steps did you take towards completing your project? (It is alright if you did not complete your project, we still want to hear about your work in your community).

2c. What difficulties or issues did you face while working on your project?

2d. Was there something we could have helped with? (For example: funding, teaching certain skills, etc.)

3a. At this year's Lead On!, do you plan on building upon your former project? If so, please tell us some of your ideas.

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3b. If not, what are you thinking on working on?

4. What was your favorite part of Lead On!?

Scholarship Application

Youth and adults who receive scholarships are expected to plan and implement youth-led projects in their home communities following the Lead On! Mini-Summit.

1. Please select the areas for which you will require a scholarship.

- Travel
- Lodging
- Food and Registration Fee

2. If you receive a partial scholarship, are there any organizations or individuals in your community that would help cover the cost to attend Lead On? If yes, please name the organizations/individuals and state the ways they would be able to help.

Name of Person/Organization

Phone Number

Will be able to help with (please indicate)

- Travel
- Lodging
- Food and Registration Fee

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Parent/Guardian's Name _____

Parent/Guardian's Phone Number _____

Parent Signature Date

Applicant signature Date

LEAD ON!
For Peace and Equality in Alaska
November 10-12, 2012 Anchorage, AK

Youth Applicant: Please give this form to an adult from your community who would help you complete a community project when you return from the mini-summit. We prefer this letter to come from someone who is *not* your chaperone.

Adult Community Partner Letter of Support

_____ is applying to attend Lead On! for Peace and Equality in Alaska.
Name of applicant

The Lead On! 2012 mini-summit will take place in Anchorage from November 10-12th. The mini-summit provides Alaskan youth the opportunity to come together and discuss issues around youth leadership, healthy relationships and community activism.

**During the three-day mini-summit, the applicant will work with Lead On! adults to develop an action plan to complete a community project in his/her home community. By writing the applicant a Letter of Support, you are agreeing to work with the applicant to implement this community project.*

Please include the following information in your Letter of Support:

- * How long have you known the applicant?
- * Please describe the leadership qualities or the leadership potential of the applicant.
- * Why would this applicant be a strong ambassador for your community?
- * Please describe how the applicant works with others in his/her community.
- * Are you committed to supporting the applicant with his/her community project centered around non-violence, equality and respect?
- * In what ways are you willing to help support the applicant with their project?

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How do you know the applicant(s)?

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1. Why would you like to be a chaperone at Lead On! 2012?

2. During the three-day mini-summit, the applicant will work with Lead On! adults to develop an action plan to complete a community project in his/her home community. Are you willing to support the youth in their completing their project when they return home?

3. What do you think is the most important issue facing youth today? Please explain.

4. What are some of your ideas for positive change in your community?

Signature _____ Date _____

Please complete and return this Adult Chaperone application by mail or email Alicia Ali. Contact information is the following:

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