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JUNE 12 - JUNE 18, 2011



**AN OUTSTRETCHED HAND,
A FRIENDLY FACE.**

**FROM ANOTHER CREED,
ANOTHER RACE.**

**THESE ARE THE THINGS
WE HAVE BY GRACE**

AT ANYTOWN, OUR ANYTOWN.

ANYTOWN DELEGATES & STAFF

ANYTOWN DELEGATES

Anytowners represent a wide variety of racial, religious, ethnic and economic backgrounds. The Anytown selection process begins with the submission of an application and a letter of nomination from an adult who is familiar with the applicant (someone other than a parent or close family member). All application materials must be received by May 1, 2011. Anytown 2011 can accept up to 70 students.

The cost of the week-long Anytown session, \$300, includes round-trip bus transportation from Tulsa to camp, meals and housing, an Anytown T-Shirt, and all workshop materials. Insurance is provided for the camp.
Scholarship assistance is available.

THE ANYTOWN STAFF

The Anytown staff is made up of a director experienced in conducting Anytown camps; adult advisors, all community leaders with human relations and communications skills; and college-age counselors, all Anytown alumni, who live with the delegates, provide guidance and facilitate the week's learning process.

HERE'S WHAT SOME FORMER DELEGATES SAID ABOUT ANYTOWN:

"This has been the best week of my life.
THANKS, ANYTOWN!!!"

"It is an experience that you will ALWAYS
remember."

"I really want to share this experience with
as many people as I can. I've never had
this much fun while learning so much."

"I had never known people to love me
and treat me like family outside of my
race before Anytown."

"It is possible for different cultures to live
in harmony. There is hope!"

"Anytown has taught me a lot about my
own life and what I need to do to improve
myself."

"I would recommend Anytown to others
so we can fight racism."

"Anytown opened up a whole new door
in my life."

"Anytown showed us how much we need
people of different races."

"No one was afraid of anything. We came
to Anytown divided, but left as one."

PAST ANYTOWN DELEGATES

CAMP ANYTOWN, OKLAHOMA

Anytown, Oklahoma, which began in 1994, focuses on listening to the hopes, fears, frustrations and dreams of young Oklahomans. Anytown has been recognized as one of the most effective human relations and leadership/diversity training programs for youth in Oklahoma.

THE EXPERIENCE INCLUDES...

- » Making new friends and sharing ideas
- » Discussion groups and workshops
- » Talent and culture night
- » Campfires and singing
- » Recreational activities

THE EXPERIENCE ENHANCES...

- » Self image
- » Communication skills
- » Leadership skills
- » Cultural awareness
- » Racial understanding
- » Male/female role perceptions
- » Family relationships
- » Interreligious respect
- » Peer relationships
- » Citizenship

THE ANYTOWN EXPERIENCE

CAMP ANYTOWN, OKLAHOMA

Sharing ideas, feelings and Individuality - that's how Anytowners learn to better understand themselves and others.

Incoming sophomores, juniors and seniors from high schools in Oklahoma come together for one week in a peaceful camp setting, bringing to each other the experiences of their diverse cultural, ethnic, religious, racial and economic backgrounds.

Respect and awareness develop, as delegates become friends, learning from and about each other. Workshops, discussion groups, assemblies and special events contribute to the Anytown experience. Leaders from Oklahoma's cultural, professional, religious and educational institutions serve as resources.

Anytown delegates are the leaders of tomorrow. Anytown prepares them to make decisions based on an awareness, appreciation, and understanding of the diversity that exists in all aspects of life.

APPLY ONLINE FOR CAMP ANYTOWN

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SELECT ANYTOWN PAGE



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The Oklahoma Center for Community and Justice (OCCJ) is a human relations organization dedicated to fighting bias, bigotry and racism. OCCJ promotes understanding and respect among all races, religions and cultures through advocacy, conflict resolution and education.

Member of the National Federation for Just Communities

CAMP ANYTOWN APPLICATION

Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Home Ph: _____ Parent Work Ph: _____

E-mail Address: _____

Parent E-mail Address: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Graduation Year: _____

High School: _____

To insure diversity at ANYTOWN please check all that apply.

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|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Female | <input type="checkbox"/> Male |
| <input type="checkbox"/> African American (Black) | <input type="checkbox"/> Asian American |
| <input type="checkbox"/> European American (White) | <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic American |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Native American (Indian) | <input type="checkbox"/> Other |

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|--|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Catholic | <input type="checkbox"/> Jewish | <input type="checkbox"/> Muslim | <input type="checkbox"/> Unaffiliated |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Protestant (e.g., Baptist, Methodist, Lutheran, etc.) | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify): _____ | | | |

I give my permission for this applicant to attend Anytown.
Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____

X _____

Today's date: _____

Name of individual/organization sending your nomination letter: _____

Please have letter of nomination indicating why the applicant should be accepted to Anytown mailed to:

Anytown Delegate Selection Committee
The Oklahoma Center for Community and Justice
100 West 5th Street, LL1030
Tulsa, Oklahoma 74103

The cost to attend Anytown is \$300.

- ☐ Limited financial aid is available. Please check the box if you want to receive an application for aid.

All applications and letters of nomination must be received by May 1, 2011. All applicants will be notified by May 25, 2011.