**Kentucky YMCA Youth Association**

**Y-Corps Application**

**DEADLINE: JANUARY 6, 2014**

Please type all information in a Word document and submit as an email attachment.

Completed Applications must be emailed to [drew@kyymca.org](mailto:drew@kyymca.org).

Please include “Y-Corps Application” in the subject line.

Those accepted to be a member of Y-Corps pledge to:

\*Complete a *minimum* of 50 hours of community service during the ’12-’13 school year.

\*Raise, ***through donations***, a *minimum* of $500 if you plan to attend Service to the Commonwealth, or $1000 if you wish to attend Service to the South or Service to the North. Fundraising will benefit the Kentucky YMCA Scholarship Fund.

\*Keep in monthly contact with their Regional Director regarding their personal and school’s service.

**Cover Page-**CONTACT INFORMATION

1. *NAME*
2. *ADDRESS*
3. *CITY/STATE/ZIP CODE*
4. *HOME PHONE*
5. *CELL PHONE*
6. *EMAIL*
7. *GRADE FOR ‘13-‘14 SCHOOL YEAR (9, 10, 11, 12?)*
8. *SHIRT SIZE*
9. *DIETARY RESTRICTIONS (vegan,*
10. *SCHOOL FOR THE ’12-’13 SCHOOL YEAR*
11. *PLEASE LIST ANY PREVIOUS Y-CORPS TRIPS YOU HAVE A MEMBER OF, INCLUDING THE YEAR(S).*
12. *PLEASE INDICATE YOUR PREFERENCE OF TRIP IN ORDER(PUT NO IF YOU ARE NOT INTERESTED IN THAT TRIP:*

*SERVICE TO THE COMMONWEALTH(One in Late June, One in Late July)*

*SERVICE TO THE SOUTH (Late June)*

*SERVICE TO THE NORTH (Late July)*

**Essays**- Please submit a written answer to each of the following prompts (No more than **250** words each).

***\*\*\*Do not put your name or address on the Essays page(s) or in the essays\*\*\****

1. Describe a time you were personally affected by community service.
2. Describe a time when you were part of a team or group that accomplished something you were proud of.
3. Why is community service important?

**Optional Section-These answers will have no bearing on your selection to Y-Corps.**

1. Do you know of any organization in your area that could accommodate 20-30 volunteers and keep them busy for a day? Please list the organization’s name as well as a name and phone number of a person to contact.
2. Is there a cultural attraction in your area that the Y-Corps should visit?
3. Would you, your parents, family, worship center, or friends be willing to/interested in providing a meal or place to sleep to the Y-Corps if they were in your area?