## Hello wonderful KYA advisors!

Below are some quick logistical facts and tips to ensure a smooth and enjoyable KYA experience.

Meals:

- Students and advisors will need to plan for the following food/drink, <u>not</u> covered by the Y:
  - First night dinner -- suggest \$10 for a la carte items, or \$15 for Blue Horse restaurant. Please remember to bring exact change.
  - First morning breakfast -- suggest \$10 for a la carte items, or \$15 for Blue Horse restaurant. Please remember to bring exact change.
  - Students snacks -- may be brought to hotel rooms, or purchased at Quench kiosk in hotel lobby
- *IMPORTANT NOTE:* due to health code regulations, outside food cannot be eaten in the hotel's lobby, hallways, or meeting spaces. <u>All</u> outside food <u>must</u> be eaten in sleeping rooms.
- PLEASE DO NOT BRING PEANUT/NUT PRODUCTS into the hotel (including student snacks). We are a peanut/nut free conference.

Arrival/Departure and Parking:

- All buses and KYA vehicles should use the hotel's BACK entrance for loading/unloading of students and luggage. Please avoid the hotel front lobby.
- Bus and KYA vehicle parking is available in the BACK parking area of the hotel. Please avoid parking in the hotel's front parking lot.
- It is wonderful and appreciated when students leave a small tip for housekeeping upon departure. This is in no way required, but a nice gesture when able.
- All room changes must be in to Y-Staff by 5:30pm on the first day of the conference. These changes can only be made by advisors.

• All nametag changes must be in to Y-Staff by 7pm on the first day of the conference. Please note that the only name tag changes that will be accepted will be for Bill Sponsors due to an error in our system.

## Arrival/Departure and Luggage Storage:

- Luggage storage rooms will be available for students and advisors on the first and final day of KYA. Information on your school's specific luggage storage room is attached to your advisor welcome email.
- We recommend putting a unique marker on your luggage so that it can be easily distinguished between luggage that looks similar.
- Please keep hotel hallways clear of luggage.
- The hotel works very hard to get rooms for schools as soon as possible, but we <u>cannot</u> guarantee rooms will be ready before Opening Session. This is out of our -- and sometimes the hotel's -- control. We appreciate your patience and understanding.

## Important Notes:

• As you prepare for KYA we ask for you to remember that this conference is about empowering students to learn to think on their own. This means that sometimes they will have opinions that differ from our own. It is important that at all times we allow each students to rank and vote in the way they wish to. If we learn of an advisor telling a student how they should rank or vote, Premiere Delegation Status may be removed.