

Mentoring Challenge

PURPOSE: To promote the leadership of older participants in the mentoring of younger participants.

Questions? Contact us and we'll connect you with the Event Coordinator.

PROCESS

Each participant will:

- Be certain that they're registered for this event. This must be completed by the registration deadline. (The local church coordinator will help with this.)
- Complete Mentoring requirements and be certain that Mentoring Challenge Certification form (Below) is submitted to their church coordinator no later than the Challenge Event Deadline. (See submission guidelines.)

The Church Coordinator will:

- Work with the participant to verify each project as to the level of participation for that individual.
- Be sure the participant is aware of the submission deadline.
- Keep a record of all medals earned by participants and fill out the form on the website requesting the appropriate Mentoring Challenge medals for their congregation.

GUIDELINES

Eligibility Requirements

- Only students in grades 9-12 are eligible to participate in this event.

Project Requirements

- A student participating in Mentoring Challenge must mentor and work with students in grades 3-6 in their training for the MWLTC Convention.
- The participant must meet with these students for a minimum of six sessions.
- The participant will coach or co-coach a team event or three individuals preparing for an individual event. The teen may work with an adult, but must take a major Mentoring role in the training. No more than two teens may work together with one team.
- The participant will work under the guidance of the Church Coordinator who will certify completion of this event. The Church Coordinator may further define these requirements for their local congregation.

Submission Requirements

- Each participant must complete the certification forms (Below) and turn it in to the local church coordinator before **the challenge deadline**.
- The church coordinator will keep a record of all medals earned by participants and fill out the form on the website requesting the appropriate Outreach Challenge medals for their congregation by **the challenge deadline**.
- The certification forms do NOT need to be mailed in to MWLTC.

- The following items must be submitted ONLINE at www.mwltc.net by the **challenge deadline**.:
 - *Personal bio (high school student who helped the younger students) (one paragraph is sufficient)*
 - *Mentoring Challenge Report & Certification Form (see below) with all fields completed.*
 - *Digital picture(s) of each participant (include both the older and younger students) during the event process*

Mentoring Challenge Certification Form

Note: Each participant must complete the two certification forms and turn them into your church coordinator. This form will be submitted to your church coordinator for record-keeping purposes only and will **NOT** be submitted to MWLTC.

Student Name: _____

Answer Briefly Below (or on a separate sheet of paper)

(These questions must be answered for consideration of award)

- ✓ Why did you choose to work with this particular event?

- ✓ What did you find to be most frustrating? Why?

- ✓ What did you enjoy the most? Why?

- ✓ Will you plan to participate in Mentoring Challenge again next year? Why or why not?

AWARD (circle one): PARTICIPANT

Certified by: _____ Date: _____