



### Transportation

Transportation to and from camp can be donated by local churches or organizations that are in the transportation business. It's better to bring students so you don't have to worry about a car breaking down to and from camp or a student wanting to leave sometime during the weekend.

We are in the process of securing transportation. There will be chaperones who have passed Kiwanis background checks in each vehicle. If you need help arranging transportation to camp, please contact Rebecca Huff.

### Message from Program Coordinator

It was disappointing that the Key Leader South retreats scheduled for 2020 and 2021 had to be cancelled due to the Covid-19 pandemic, but we came back with a bang in 2022! We are looking forward to meeting the 2023 class of new Key Leaders! As always safety precautions will be taken to ensure we all have a happy, healthy, enjoyable experience.

### Sponsors

Anyone can donate money to help pay for students to attend. The amount can be small or it can cover the fees for multiple students. Donations come from Kiwanis clubs, businesses, churches, other civic organizations, and individuals interested in our youth. **Scholarships are available on a first come, first served basis. Call Rebecca for more information.**

**For more information contact:**

**Rebecca Huff**

Program Coordinator

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Students may register at

[www.keyleadersouth.org](http://www.keyleadersouth.org)



## November 3-5, 2023

## Camp Istrouma

## Greenwell Springs, LA





### What is Key Leader Weekend?

Key Leader by Kiwanis is a weekend leadership program for high school and graduating 8<sup>th</sup> grade students. This program empowers teens to become more caring and confident leaders. Our mission is to inspire young people to do their personal best through service leadership.

A certified instructor trained at Kiwanis International will lead the classes as students learn skills essential to becoming values-driven leaders. They will connect with students from other backgrounds and experience what it means to be a team player.

Real leaders know that working together and putting others first is the KEY to completing important projects. Participants often leave having made lifetime friends who share their integrity and values.

### What do students need to bring?

We stay in dormitory style cabins. Students have a packing list provided. They are to bring sheets and a blanket or sleeping bag, pillow, toiletries, clothes for the weekend, towel, flashlight, etc. Our camp is located at 25975 Greenwell Springs Road in Greenwell Springs, LA. This is 10 miles northeast of Baton Rouge, LA. **Meals are included in the fees.** We also provide healthy snacks between meals.

### FEES

Student Participant	\$250
Student Facilitator *	\$150
Adult Chaperone **	\$25

### Scholarships may be available

\* A student facilitator applies for the position and is selected by the Key Leader Committee. The student facilitator must have attended a Key Leader Weekend before or have leadership skills acquired from serving as an officer in Key Club, student government or another school organization.

\*\* This fee is to cover the cost of a background check. If a chaperone has had a recent background check through Kiwanis, there is no fee.

### SCHEDULE

#### November 3

Registration, 4-6 PM  
Dinner  
Small & Large Learning Groups

#### November 4

Breakfast  
Small & Large Learning Groups  
Lunch  
Low Ropes Course  
Dinner  
Small & Large Learning Groups  
Bonfire

#### November 5

Breakfast  
Small & Large Learning Groups  
Pack up and go home around Noon

### Questions?

#### Rebecca Huff

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