Missouri District Event at the NYG: Minnesota Lumberjack Experience

FAQ

Where & When will this event be held?

Location: Concordia University – Saint Paul's Sea Foam Stadium – 1380 Concordia Ave., St. Paul, MN 55104

Time: 4:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.

Our event features a meal, live music, activities, and a professional lumberjack show. Those interested can try their hand at lumberjack skills such as log rolling, cross-cut sawing, and even axe throwing!

Waivers

<u>Please make sure you have submitted a waiver for each person attending the event</u>. This is done only by the link that was sent on May 17. You do not need to bring copies of the waiver with you, they are only accepted electronically.

How can we get there?

CSP's campus is located between the downtowns of Minneapolis and St. Paul, a short 10 mile drive from the Minneapolis Convention Center.

Your group is encouraged to travel to CSP in the method you deem best. Options include:

Personal vehicle (parking will be available in campus lot H)

Chartered bus (bus parking will be available in campus lot E)

Light Rail via the Green Line* (Hamline Avenue stop)

*A Green Line Metro Transit Station is situated close to Concordia, providing access from several stations in Minneapolis and St. Paul. CSP hosts will greet visitors arriving via the Green Line at the Hamline Avenue stop, and will lead them to the campus.

Link to Directions to Campus and Campus Maps

What do we do as we arrive?

When you arrive, you will be greeted by an event representative. Each member of your group will be ticketed with an event wristband at the event entrance. Once ticketed, you will immediately be directed to the food line.

Will groups need some sort of ID or Confirmation letter to present to your people who will be meeting them?

Since individual churches (or buses) may arrive at various times, they will simply ask what district each car/bus is from. They won't know the names of each church from each district, so please identify your group as being from the Missouri District when you arrive.

Menu:

Main Entrée: Walleye Bites (DF), Veggie Burgers (GF, DF, VG), Pulled Chicken Sandwich (DF)

Sides: Roasted Corn (GF, DF, VG), Apple Heath Salad, Tator Top Bar with Toppings (GF, VG), Wild Rice

Salad (GF, DF, VG)

Dessert: Sliced Watermelon (GF, DF, VG), Ice Cream, Strawberry Shortcake (VG)

Beverages: Water, canned soda *All menu items are nut free

GF= Gluten Free

DF= Dairy Free VG= Vegetarian Outside food and beverages are not permitted Alcohol is not permitted on campus

After registrants have eaten once, can they leave the stadium area where the lumberjack events are, and go back out to the eating areas again?

Yes, seating at the tables will always be available. The tables are under tents, so will be great if folks need to get out of the sunshine for a while.

Will there be changing areas for groups that will go directly to the Stadium after the event?

Restrooms provide plenty of changing space for students that wish to change. Only students that choose to participate in the log rolling would perhaps get wet.

Will weather affect the event?

The district events will be held rain or shine and will only be cancelled due to severe/unsafe weather conditions. All district event coordinators will be contacted directly to discuss alternate arrangements due to severe weather if necessary, and will pass that info to all primary adult leaders via email.

In the rare event that the Lumberjack Experience must be canceled due to weather, we will do our very best to provide a meal at an indoor location on campus.

T-Shirts & Stadium Floor Seating Update:

If your church purchased Missouri District NYG T-Shirts, please try to wear them to the District Event and the Opening Mass Event at U.S. Bank Stadium. (This is just a suggestion – you may choose to wear them any day)

Also, please be aware that there is NO RESERVED FLOOR SEATING for the Districts for the mass events this year.

Questions?

Please contact one of the NYG District Coordinators: Dan Kreienkamp: dan.kreienkamp@mo.lcms.org

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New info and updates will also be posted on the Missouri District NYG Adult Leader Facebook page.