



2008 Camping and Short-Term Mission Trips Schedule and Frequently Asked Questions

2008 Camp and Trip Dates

January Work Team and Mobile Camps (not available - closed)

Mobile Camp	First	January
Mobile Camp	Second	January
Mobile Camp	Third	January
Work Project	Bunk-Beds or Partisans for the new Dining Hall	January

Short-Term Trips for spring of 2008 from USA

Team One:

Total days: 17 days

Departure date from States: January

Departure date from India: January

Summer Overnight Camps and Mobile Camps

English Boy's Camp	First Week	April 20 th thru April 25 th , 2008
English Boy's Camp	Second Week	April 27 th thru May 2 nd , 2008
English Girl's Camp	First Week	May 4 th thru May 9 th , 2008
English Girl's Camp	Second Week	May 11 th thru 16 th , 2008
Telugu Boy's Camp	First Week	May 18 th thru May 23 rd , 2008
Telugu Girl's Camp	First Week	May 25 th thru May 30 th , 2008
Mobile Camp	First	June 13 th thru June 15 th , 2008
Mobile Camp	Second	June 21 nd thru June 22 nd , 2008
Mobile Camp	Third	July 4 th thru July 6 th , 2008
Mobile Camp	Fourth	July 11 th thru July 13 th , 2008
Mobile Camp	Fifth	July 25 th thru July 27 nd , 2008
Mobile Camp	Sixth	August 1 st thru August 3 rd , 2008

Short-Term Trips for spring and summer of 2008 from USA

Team One

Total days: 17 days

Departure date from States: April 17th, 2008

Departure date from India: May 3rd, 2008

Team Two

Total days: 17 days

Departure date from States: May 1st, 2008

Departure date from India: May 17th, 2008

Team Three

Total days: 17 days

Departure date from States: May 15th, 2008

Departure date from India: May 31st, 2008

Team Four

Total days: 15 days

Departure date from States: June 10th, 2008

Departure date from India: June 24th, 2008

Team Five

Total days: 15 days

Departure date from States: July 1st, 2008

Departure date from India: July 15th, 2008

Team Six

Total days: 15 days

Departure date from States: July 22nd, 2008

Departure date from India: August 5th, 2008

Life Change Ministries International vision is to reach children in India thru Christian Camps. We conduct Overnight Camps, Day and Mobile Camps.

WHAT WILL WE DO?

Our ministry gives an opportunity to be used of our Lord in reaching children thru Christian Camps in the following areas and more:

Short Term Ministry opportunities include:

- Camp counselors
- Bible teachers
- Elective (Music, Drama, Crafts, Sports and Tools (carpentry)) teachers
- Basic Medical care and Nurses
- Cooks
- Photography and video graphics
- Camp program assistant (one who helps with administration of camp and programs)
- Work Teams
- Other...

To enhance the short-term mission experience, teams will have daily devotions, debriefing discussions, shared meal times and some free time to experience the local culture and shopping. Come be a part of this 17- or 15-day trip and join our Lord in changing lives of children in India.

HOW MUCH DOES IT COST?

\$ 2,500 – 2,800 estimated

We understand that for many, the cost of the trip is overwhelming. Yet we have seen time and time again that if God is calling you to missions, he will provide the resources to send you. Don't let money concerns alone stand in your way. Please consider coming to the pre-trip informational session to hear about creative fundraising ideas others have used.

Following is a suggested estimated breakdown:

Description	Amount	Explanation
Airfare	1500.00	based on average travel season
Living arrangements	150.00	for staying at base camp and other mobile locations
On-ground ministry costs	600.00	includes food and other costs associated with the trip
Visa	60.00	includes six-month business visa
Immunizations	140.00	LCMI strongly suggests HEP-A, Cholera and Malaria medications. See family doctor for other pertinent medical needs.
Travel Insurance	50.00	This is an average cost. Actual costs vary on different variables
Administrative Fee	90.00	

WHAT IS A TYPICAL SCHEDULE?

In order to facilitate many details, LCMI looks forward to providing two pre-field, one on-field, and one post-field training session. The goal of this is to equip each short term member with as much necessary information so as to enhance one's experience and be an effective team member.

Pre-Field Trainings

March 1st, 2008

April 5th, 2008

On-Field Training

Post-Field Training

HOW WILL TRAVEL ARRANGEMENTS WORK?

Airfare will be purchased as a block for the team in order to capitalize on group discounts. For this and several other reasons, accommodating individual requests for redeeming frequent flyer miles is not feasible. Much of the mission experience has to do with being part of a team and seeing what God can do when we all work together, so it enhances the team's experience when we begin and end the trip together as a group.

Once in India, we will continue to travel as a group by bus or rental vans. The rental costs for in-country transportation are included in your trip fee. Because we will stay together as a group during our trip, you should not plan on being able to break away to go exploring on your own.

WHO DO I CONTACT WITH QUESTIONS?

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