

DE COLORES SPONSOR INSTRUCTIONS AND REGISTRATION FORMS

Registration form is at the end of this instruction sheet – please print and send in when completed

Dear De Colores Community,

I would like to take this opportunity to communicate with all potential Sponsors the who, what, when, where and whys of De Colores Registrations!

Of course it all starts out with a wonderful Sponsor (that would be you) who communicates the awesomeness of a De Colores weekend with a potential candidate. After confirming a candidate's desire to experience an awesome weekend for them self, the sponsor should help the candidate fill out a De Colores Registration form ***completely*** and ***legibly***, then fill out the Sponsor's portion ***completely*** and ***legibly***, and then send the ***legibly*** and ***fully completed registration form and the \$10.00 registration fee*** to the current Registration Person(s). (Is anyone sensing a communications need here?) It has been communicated to me that ***all information on the registration form needs to be filled out, especially the Sponsor's portion which is extremely important to the Inside Team*** when setting up the weekend — so ***please*** communicate with us and make sure the information on the form is legible! ***The best way to send in a registration form and \$10 fee (checks should be made payable to NM De Colores Ministries), is through the mail.***

Once a registration (and \$10 fee) is received, the candidate is added to the mailing list and approximately six weeks before the upcoming weekend they will be mailed an invitation along with a self-addressed, stamped response card. All candidates on the mailing list will be sent an invitation. Also at this time, sponsors are sent a postcard notifying them of their candidate's invitation. Now it is up to the candidate to respond to the invitation by sending the response card back and up to the sponsor to remind the candidate to respond to the invitation by sending the response card back. Week-ends are filled on a first (card) come, first serve basis. If a candidate is concerned that snail-mail is too slow to ensure a spot on the weekend, they could also respond by faxing the card or responding by email.

Now the ball is back in the Registration court again. After a positive response to the invitation is received, a letter of confirmation will be mailed to both the candidate and their sponsor. These letters confirm the candidate's attendance as well as provide specific information about the weekend.

There are some exceptions to these guidelines. Most of you know that it is strongly encouraged that couples attend on consecutive weekends with the husband attending first. What you may not know is that it is a N.M. De Colores policy that if a husband has not attended or even if he does not plan to attend a weekend, the wife will wait one set of week-ends after her application is received before she will be invited to a weekend. Exceptions to this policy must be approved by the Board.

Please also be aware that a candidate who has been invited to three weekends is automatically removed from the mailing list, at which time their sponsor will be notified. If the candidate would like to be invited to future upcoming weekends they will need to send in another registration form and fee.

I thank you in advance for your communications and I pray the Lord will continue to bless this community as we continue to communicate His love to those around us.

De Colores!

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