

2022 INFORMATION SHEET

1. **Location: Anchorage, Wasilla, and Willow, Alaska**
 - a. **Partnering Church:** Anchorage First Baptist Church
 - b. **Home Host:** David & Kristi Gamble in Wasilla, AK in a beautiful Log Cabin

2. **Dates for Trip:** Feb 24-Mar 5, 2022 (2 Travel Days, 7 Ministry Days & 1 Recreation Day)
 - a. We will leave Anchorage on the evening of 2/24 and return the afternoon of 3/5

3. **Cost: \$1600.00: This rate is not a fixed rate, but is contingent on airfare fluctuations. So the sooner you commit to go and pay your initial deposit the better** (Trip Cost Includes Airfare & 1 Checked Bag RT, Ground Transportation-Vans & Fuel, Housing, Food & Ministry Supplies, Travel/Medical Insurance and honorarium to Host Church):
 - a. ***Expenses Not Included in Above Cost:**
 - i. **Airfare above \$600.00**
 - ii. Transportation to and From Airport
 - iii. Airport Parking fees & any meals or Snacks in route
 - iv. Recreational Opportunities: Whatever you do is at your own expense (*Ideas Below)
 - v. **Winter Clothing Rental (Parka, Ski Pants & Boots Pkg-\$23 per day in 2021)**
 1. **Highly Recommended or factor into your packing weight**
 - b. **Initial Deposit: \$600.00 (DUE ASAP to lock In Airfare)**

4. **Recreational Opportunities:**
 - a. Snow Mobile Riding: Approximately \$300 pp (Helmet Only is included)
 - b. Dog Sled Riding
 - c. Fat Bike Riding (Like a Mountain Bike)
 - d. Hiking, Sightseeing &/or Shopping in Anchorage/Wasilla/Talkeetna

5. **Ministry Opportunities**
 - a. **This project is primarily focusing on Evangelism, Library & Community Outreach, but we are always flexible as other opportunities arise.**
 - i. **Evangelism: Primarily Working Events at Furondi Festival**
 1. Furondi Festival: Starts 2/25-3/6, 2022
 - ii. **Community Outreach: as Needed**
 1. Flyer Distribution for the Church at the Festivals

2. We will be manning prayer booths, handing out Hot Chocolate and such to visitors and locals

iii. Worship

1. Singing, Drama, Testimonies and Devotion Times
 2. Team will worship together each evening for devotions
- iv. **Everyone** helps with Kitchen Duties: Assist with cooking, cleaning tables/floors/chairs, trash, & bathrooms/showers.
- v. Help is appreciated with meal preparations as well since I am the cook this year again, unless someone steps forward to claim this as their ministry.

b. If committing to the trip, I will need the following info:

- i. **Deposit to cover Airfare:** You are committing to pay airfare in full even if you end up backing out for some reason. Travel Insurance will help with this, but only covers the amount you have paid up until date of dropping out. *So know you are committing to the full amount of airfare regardless.
 1. **Airfare:** It has to be purchased up front since group booking for the team is too expensive.
 2. **The sooner you commit:** the greater likelihood the airfare will remain within the threshold to keep your trip cost the same as quoted.
 3. **Early commitment:** Assures more of us are on the same flights rather than scattered among several. The later you commit, the greater likelihood the airfare will increase as the plane fills up.

c. Along with your commitment, I also need the following Info:

- i. A completed application
- ii. Full name as it appears on your passport (*Passport is not required though, but your Driver's License with the Gold Star is as of Oct 2020.)
- iii. Date of Birth
- iv. Gender
- v. Beneficiary for insurance

6. All Deposits are due on Oct 1, 2022

- a. **All deposits should be mailed to:** Spartanburg County Baptist Network (SCBN) at 5245 Hwy 221 South, Roebuck, SC 29376
 - i. Write Alaska in for blank so trip deposits don't get confused w/other trips.

7. **Team Mtg:** I would like to have a team meeting to go over some specific details in late January to discuss travel details, weather, clothing, etc.... It will also be helpful for us to use some of our team mtg to do a little basic evangelism training to help folks understand the scope of what we will likely encounter doing evangelism a little better to ease any anxiety. ***If anyone feels they are especially gifted or comfortable in this area and would like to help, please notify me at the time of signing up.**

a. **Team Meeting Location:** Spartanburg County Baptist Network at 5245 Hwy 221 South, Roebuck, SC 29376

b. **Directions:** Turn into Montgomery Lake Subdivision on N. Timms Creek Drive and turn at first left to enter our parking lot. GPS may take you to the front of the building where there is no drive.

8. **Call Bro. Paul at 864-641-5140 or Tracy 864-582-8330 with any questions about info above or to commit to the trip.**