

# San Diego Summer Project 2009 Information

## ARRIVAL

You need to arrive on June 1, 2009 between 9:00 a.m. noon. The day will be somewhat laborious as we do lots of move in, set up, and administrative work. Please be prepared to be patient. We will have dinner together at 5:00pm on June 1. We understand that flight schedules may make this a bit difficult. If flights do not arrive in this time frame, then try to arrive a bit earlier rather than later.

For those flying, you can contact Cloud Nine Shuttle for a \$12 shuttle (approx) from the airport.

### [Cloud Nine Shuttle](#)

(800) 974-8885

Tell the driver that you are going to:

**839 Santa Clara Place** (the cross street is Mission Blvd in Mission Beach).  
**San Diego, CA 92109**

Other options may be available; however we will be unable to organize rides for everyone. We will not be able to shuttle anyone from the airport.

Upon arrival, meet the staff at 839 Santa Clara Place. We will welcome you there. You can park at [Santa Clara Point](#) and walk toward the housing (west).

In order to keep costs as low as possible, we do not have the housing units until just before you move in. **We are not able to accommodate anyone who either wants to or needs to arrive in San Diego early.** You will have to make other arrangements. There are some youth hostels in the area, but we don't have any experience with them, so I can't recommend anything.

## DIRECTIONS

### **From Highway 5**

Exit west (toward the ocean☺) on Garnet Ave. (which is north of Highway 8). Go west on Garnet to Mission Blvd. Go south (left) on Mission Blvd. to Santa Clara. Turn east (left) on Santa Clara. Park at Santa Clara Point and then walk to 839 Santa Clara Pl. Check it out at [Google Maps](#).

### **From Highway 8**

Exit either north or west onto W. Mission Bay. (I don't know what the exit sign will read, but you will be going northwest. Just keep moving toward the ocean. ☺) Follow W. Mission Bay to Mission Blvd. Turn north (right) on Mission Blvd. to Santa Clara. Turn east (left) on Santa Clara. Park at Santa Clara Point and then walk to 839 Santa Clara Pl. Check it out at [Google Maps](#).

## DEPARTURE

We will work very hard as a project on August 5 to move items back into storage until the next summer project. The nights of August 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup>, you will be sleeping on the floor rather than in your bunks (since we will have just put them in storage). You will be free to leave any time on August 7<sup>th</sup>. You may be able to arrange rides to the airport with others who drove to project or you may have to catch the shuttle again.

You must leave on August 7<sup>th</sup> by 9am. We have found it best to schedule flights out in the morning between 7-10am. This is the prime time for the landlords to make their money and they want us out promptly.

## HOUSING

All the living quarters are basic apartments and hotel rooms. You will be close to both the bay and to the ocean. Men will be living in the hotel rooms either 4 to a room or 7 to a room. The women will be in the apartments across the street with 14 women/unit. Living space and bathroom space will be very tight. Please begin praying now for your attitude and roommates. None of the units have air conditioning, but do not let that alarm you. The climate is very pleasant and very few people have air conditioning. (Summer in San Diego is nothing like summer in the Midwest!)

Space is tight. You will have very little storage space and 12 inches (or less) of hanging space. (Did we mention that space is tight?) Please pack light. Plastic storage units that fit under the bunk beds are one of the good ideas from last year. The units will be clean and have basic kitchen supplies.

Because we rent from different landlords, the housing units are not all together. They are located across the street from one another. The different units mean that there are differences in the housing layout and amenities will be different (also, you and your roommates will be responsible to keep your unit clean). Please start planning now that you will be in the simplest unit. If you aren't, then you will be pleasantly surprised!

You can expect bugs at some point as part of the beach environment. We will give some ideas on how to minimize this during the orientation time in San Diego. We will also have weekly room clean-up for this reason.

Many students will be living out of their own house for the first time. Begin to pray now about your roommate situation. Also, pray that you will be a good roommate. It is very possible to have a great ministry and to be a lousy roommate.

## SUPPORT

Your total cost for the summer is \$2,985. This is the total number that includes the \$300 deposit. This does not include food or transportation. You should have received an email upon acceptance with a link to:

<http://mpd.uscm.org/>

This site should be very helpful as you begin the process of developing your team of ministry partners.

Your support amount needs to be fully paid by June 30, but you will have a much less stressful first month if you get your support raised sooner than that. Make sure you bring enough cash up front to cover your food costs—\$200 will probably be enough. This will keep you going until you receive your first paycheck.

You can pay the project cost yourself or you can develop support to cover your expenses. We strongly encourage you to develop the needed support because it will build your faith as you see God provide, allow others to be a part of the ministry, and it will allow you to save the money you earn for school, conferences, etc.

You are permitted to raise additional support to cover your transportation and food expenses. (Your may raise up to \$500 extra for food: \$50/week x 10 weeks = \$500) We will reimburse you from the San Diego account when you get to project. The two important details are:

- 1. You must raise the support to cover these expenses and**
- 2. You must have travel receipts with you in order to be reimbursed. There are no exceptions to this.**

One reimbursement question that has come up in the past relates to Frequent Flier Miles. If someone gives you FFM for your travel, we are not permitted to any kind of cash reimbursement either to you or the one who gave you the miles.

**Please ask your supporters to make all of their checks out to Campus Crusade for Christ.** If people make the checks out to you, please be sure to tell them they will not receive a tax deductible receipt from Campus Crusade for Christ. We will have a few deadlines for support (after the deposit). After that, bring all your checks with you to San Diego and we will process them the day you arrive.

Here are some support targets and deadlines to keep in mind. Please email [jb.windle@uscm.org](mailto:jb.windle@uscm.org) if you are not on target. JB is our operations director and he will be handling the money for us this year so all of the checks from the intermediate deadlines will be mailed directly to him.

<b>Date</b>	<b>Task</b>
<b>2 weeks from now</b>	\$300 Deposit <b>(This is non-refundable and non-transferable. All checks should be made out to <u>CAMPUS CRUSADE FOR CHRIST.</u>)</b>
<b>March 31<sup>st</sup></b>	100 letters sent out
<b>April 15<sup>th</sup></b>	\$500 (for a total of \$800)
<b>May 1<sup>st</sup></b>	\$600(for a total of \$1,400) and sending more letters and making calls
<b>May 15<sup>th</sup></b>	\$600 (for a total of \$2000) and sending more letters and making calls
<b>June 2<sup>nd</sup></b>	\$985 (for a total of \$2,985)
<b>Total Project Cost:</b>	\$2,985 (does not include food or transportation costs.)

### **In review:**

Base cost of the summer project: \$2,985

#### **Possible additions to raise support for:**

Food.	\$500 (maximum)
Transportation	(actual cost if flying—receipt required!!!—or \$0.14/mile if driving your car).
Insurance	(Actual Cost with Receipt).
Support raising expenses	(actual, but you MUST HAVE THE ORIGINAL RECEIPTS).

All funds that are raised for reimbursements (beyond the \$2,985) are assessed fees from Campus Crusade for Christ International and the National Campus Ministry Office—a total of 9% of all money raised. Be sure to account for this deduction as you are considering the total amount that you will be raising. You see this accounted for in the base cost as the “National Assessment.”

Some may ask you where their support is going. Here is the approximate breakdown. There is some flexibility as needs demand and I have rounded the numbers, but this is a basic run-down of the \$2,985:

Housing	\$1,700
Ministry Teams	\$500
Project Set-up and Closing	\$70
Storage and Meeting space	\$100
Transportation – busses and gas	\$100
Equipment	\$60
Buffer	\$50
National Assessment	\$270 (National/Regional Fees)
Insurance	\$75
All other categories combined	\$60
Total	\$2,985

### **PROJECT INSURANCE**

All students attending project must have medical insurance. [JB Windle](#) will let you know about the policy at the end of February.

## FOOD

There will be stoves, refrigerators and pots and pans available to do your own cooking. You are on your own for food, but may be able to share some of the expenses with your roommates. Basic cookware and utensils will be provided.

## JOBS

Getting a job is an important part of project—it is a ministry location, you earn money, you learn responsibility. In the past the Lord has opened up some fantastic opportunities at SeaWorld. SeaWorld has been a wonderful ministry location—we have seen many of the co-workers come to faith in Christ through the relationships that we have built during the summers. This is a real answer to prayer.

Some of us may have the opportunity to work at Sea World again this year. We are also making contact with other local businesses to discuss hiring students from our project for the summer.

You will be responsible to find your own job during the first week that we're on project.

In the past some students have researched, called ahead, applied for jobs, and transferred jobs within their place of employment (national food chains and retail stores) so that their employment is secure before their arrival. If you have leads, please pursue them, BUT LET POTENTIAL EMPLOYERS KNOW THE FOLLOWING REQUIREMENTS:

1. You may begin work on June 10. Your last day of work is August 1.
2. You may work Monday and Wednesday-Saturday (with Tuesday and Sunday off) or Tuesday-Saturday (with Sunday and Monday off)
3. You may work from 6am-5pm
4. You may not exceed a total of 40 work hours each week. The project pace is tough enough without working overtime. Most students have found that 25-35 hours is a good amount of work each week.
5. You must also have the following days off: June 26-27;

Some of you have asked about internships. We encourage you to pursue these, but you must have it lined up and approved **before** arriving to project.

Approval will be based primarily on the possibility of your work place being a ministry location, transportation to and from work, the number of hours (30-40), the kind of work you will do, and being within project "work hours" which are 6am-5pm from Monday or Tuesday and Wednesday-Saturday (We know that not having all the weekdays may make this more challenging, but this will work best for the project schedule and for the vast majority of the jobs.)

Some people ask about waiter/waitressing jobs. Businesses simply don't hire our students because of the hours during the week and because of only being there for two months

Getting a job on project is your responsibility and is important to your having a successful summer.

**You MUST bring your social security information.**

## SAFETY

We will brief you on safety issues when you arrive to the project. We are in a transient beach area, but God has blessed us with personal safety and property security over the years of the project. We never take this for granted and ask that you would always make this a matter of prayer.

## TRANSPORTATION at PROJECT

Please bring a car if you can because there will be many without cars this summer. We will connect everyone on the project via Facebook in the next month so you will be able to coordinate rides. This will be your responsibility, though.

While available, parking will be tight. If you are wondering whether to drive or fly and all things seem to be equal, then we would love for you to strongly consider bringing a car since there always seem to be too few drivers. Remember, though,

this is your choice. This will be especially important as we continue to trust God to launch new campus movements during the summer on area campuses.

For those who do bring a car, since some of our meetings and job locations are more easily driven to, it is likely that you will be asked to give rides to others. If you don't bring a car, but are a rider, then plan to help those who do have cars pay for their gas and maintenance as they are giving you rides.

You can buy/rent (\$60-\$100) bikes in San Diego. We'll have more info on this at the project orientation once you arrive. You are not permitted to raise support to cover the costs of bikes that you rent/buy on project. However you will be able to sell your bike back at the end of the summer.

There is a boardwalk both on the ocean front and on the bay front which makes biking, rollerblading, or skateboarding very accessible. These are convenient means of transportation in San Diego. The bus schedule is also pretty convenient.

### **SCHEDULE and RESPONSIBILITIES**

The summer will be rewarding, exciting, and fun, but not just a big vacation. I won't pull any punches--the schedule is demanding! Between work and project activities, your days will be full. You will be expected to participate in **ALL** project activities and will be given various responsibilities.

Project activities will be at night and on weekends and will include small groups, teaching meetings, evangelism, working with local churches, and whatever else possible to help fulfill the Great Commission. We are excited to be trying some new strategies to work more closely with the San Diego Metro team to give them more momentum and provide greater follow-up to our summer for a more lasting impact. Here is a sample week, but bear in mind there will be many adjustments to this standard weekly schedule for a variety of reasons.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Church	½ for outreach ½ at work	½ for outreach ½ at work	Work	Work	Work	Work
Project Dinner, Training and Prayer	Small Groups	Men's time Women's reflection	Special	Women's time Men's Reflection	Friday Night Live	Off

There will be some planned changes to this normal schedule, but this is a reasonable picture. It will be to your advantage to try to have an afternoon off when you could meet with one of the staff. You notice from the schedule that you will have a full work week. On top of that, you will be a part of a ministry team that will have important responsibilities related to the success of the project from the very beginning of the project. You will also be taking the initiative in the area of evangelism throughout the summer whether at work, during the outreaches, or just in the normal course of life.

### **PACKING LIST**

Most of the time you will be wearing casual clothes--shorts, etc. If you work at SeaWorld, they will give you a super-stylish uniform for work each day. The evenings can be cool, so bring some warmer clothes too—probably shorts and sweatshirts for most of you. You will also need to bring a limited amount of nice clothes for church and special group meetings or for anything special you might want to do on your day off. Just about every student tends to go home with far more “stuff” than they brought.

#### **Suggested items to consider bringing:**

Casual summer clothes  
Small personal fan  
Single bed sheets  
Recipes/Spices/Cookbooks  
Casual church clothes

Jacket  
Laundry Bag/soap/dryer sheets  
Blanket and Pillow  
Bible study materials (Only a book or two and plan to share.)  
Sweatshirts (2 or 3)

Beach towels/Sun tan lotion  
10 pictures from home  
Musical Instruments  
Car/Bike /Roller Blades/Skateboard  
Birth certificate  
Ball glove

Bath towels  
Pants (It gets chilly at night from the wind off of the ocean)  
Sports Equipment  
Work shoes  
Social Security Card  
Alarm Clock

Bring only what you will absolutely need. We can't emphasize this enough. Usually I find that I can do with about half of the clothes I pack. There is a laundry facility close to where we live.

### **CHURCH**

You will be assigned to a church when you get to project. These are churches with whom we have relationships. There will be opportunities for you to serve at church and we will let you know that early on in the project.

### **MAIL:**

Send your mail to:

Your Name  
Campus Crusade for Christ  
824 Santa Clara Place Unit #2  
San Diego, CA 92109

Please only have your mail sent to the project between the dates of May 28<sup>th</sup> – July 28<sup>th</sup>. Any mail received outside of these dates will be returned.

### **PHONE and EMAIL**

We do not have a project phone. [Dan Allan](#) and [JB Windle](#)'s cell phones should be used as emergency contact numbers.

Dan Allan: (314) 518-1003  
JB Windle: (618) 203-6491

Internet options change each year with regard to accessibility. We have found that people generally figure out options very quickly though as the project starts.

### **WHO ELSE IS COMING?**

There will be about 40 staff and 120 great students from around the US!!! We will make a Facebook group soon of everyone who has been accepted so you can make introductions and work out further carpool information. We are looking forward to meeting all of you and working with you this summer.

We rejoice for the privilege of growing together in our love for the Lord this summer. What a time it will be! Please pray with us that the Lord will do great and mighty things and thousands will be reached this summer in San Diego.

Contacting us before May 1st, Our addresses will be:

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