The 5th Support Our Kids Homestay Program

CANADA 2015 Photo Report



August 2015
Support Our Kids Committee

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Orientation

Support Our Kids Homestay Program in Canada					
Orientation					
Date	:August 3, 2015 (Mon) 13:00~17:00				
Location	:Canadian Embassy				

Time	Content			
***************************************	Meet at Tokyo→Move to Canadian Embassy			
13:00	Opening	Support Our Kids Committee		
	Greetings	by: Executive Director Yukiatsu Akizawa		
		※Introduction of Mr. Hirano and Mr. Ishiyama		
13:05	Greetings of Guests	Embassy of Canada (Counsellor)		
		Laurie Peters		
13:10	Self-introduction of students	Japanese and English		
13:25	Regarding the program			
13:35	Break			
13:40	About Canada	Homework presentation		
14:10	About Canada	Lecturer Embassy of Canada (Public Affairs Section) Hiroko Agatsuma		
14:30	Case Study	Lecturer Support Our Kids (Project Specialist) Masakazu Hirano		
15:00	Break			
15:10	Presentation Practice	Lecturer Support Our Kids (Project Specialist) Masakazu Hirano		
16:30	Regarding insurance	AIU Consultant Miki Shida		
16:40		Greetings by Mr. Ishiyama		
	Photo session			
17:00	Closing			
	Move to Olympic Center			







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Schedule

Period: August 3 (Mon) ~ August 17 (Mon)

Date		АМ	PM
Day 1	8/3	12:00 Meet at Tokyo Station	(Cont.) Orientation
		13:00 Orientation	17:00 Move to Olympic Center
	8/4	Presentation practice	14:00 Move to Haneda Airport
Day 2			Depart 17:40 AC006 (Arrival 16:40)
			Support Our Kids Welcome Party
			**Presentation
			*Meet host families
Day 3	8/5	Sightseeing in Toronto/Niagara Falls	Sightseeing in Toronto/Niagara Falls
	8/6	9:00 Lecture by Ms. Ishii	12:30 Lunch with the Rotary Club of Toronto
5 4			- Forest Hill
Day 4			**Presentation
			14:00 Free time with host families
	8/7	9:00 Lecture about Japanese-Canadians	12:00 Table Manners and English lessons by
			Mr. James Matsumoto
Day 5			14:00 Free time with host families
Day 6	8/8	JGCT Summer Camp	JGCT Summer Camp
Day 7	8/9	JGCT Summer Camp	JGCT Summer Camp
Day 8	8/10	JGCT Summer Camp	JGCT Summer Camp
Day 9	8/11	JGCT Summer Camp	JGCT Summer Camp
Day 10	8/12	JGCT Summer Camp	JGCT Summer Camp
Day 11	8/13	JGCT Summer Camp	JGCT Summer Camp
Day 12	8/14	End of Summer Camp	A Summer's Christmas Dinner with Mr.
Day 12			Matsumoto and Ms. Setoyama
Day 12	8/15	9:00 Preparations for Farewell Party	13:00 Farewell Party
Day 13			**Presentation
Day 14	8/16	Packing	13:40 Departure AC005
Day 15	8/17		15:35 Arrival 17:00 Closing Ceremony
			18:00 Move to Tokyo Station



Photos

Welcome Party at JCCC







Sightseeing in Toronto/Niagara Falls







JGCT Summer Camp













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Farewell Party







Closing Ceremony









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Student's Report

I would like to use my experiences in the following: First of all, I felt the warmth and friendliness of Canadians and would like to share this to those around me back home. If I see a fellow friend/classmate alone, I hope to talk to them so they don't feel lonely. I would like to start with little actions like this. Second, I would like to expand my point of view. The people I met in Canada were all very kind, and this time I would like to be the person they were. Listening carefully to what others have to say will surely expand my point of view. Lastly, I would like to share this experience to everyone back home. I realized how intolerant I am to others. I hope to become a better person and be a good example for others as well. Thank you to our supporters for this experience!

- Y.G. (From Iwate Pref.)

I applied to the Canada Homestay program because I wanted to let the world know of Fukushima's current situation. My personal goal was to become better in English and make new friends.

I was very nervous on the first day of camp and was worried if I could make new friends. However, on the bus ride to camp, I made my very first friend! She spoke English and Japanese, and up to this day, we keep in touch. Unlike my first day, I became more active and talked to a lot of people as time passed. I'm very happy I was able to accomplish my personal goals.

- I.N. (From Fukushima Pref.)

