

# CANADA 2018 REPORT



## Team 「LOVE ～愛～」

"L" = "Leader"

To be independent through the journey

"O" = "Original"

To find the strength through the journey

"V" = "Vision"

To create Vision for the future

"E" = "Enjoy"



# Overview

## ■ Program Content

Date : August 9 (Thu) ~ 22 (Wed), 2018

※1<sup>st</sup> Orientation @ Tohoku Fukushi University

※2<sup>nd</sup> Orientation @ Tohoku Fukushi University

※3<sup>rd</sup> Orientation @ Embassy of Canada / Support Our Kids Office

※August 22: Closing Ceremony @ Haneda Airport Fuji

Country : Canada (Toronto)

Participants : 8 (ages 13~18)

Content : Homestay

Summer Camp (Japanese Gospel Church of Toronto Summer Camp)

Earthquake Disaster Presentation

Japanese Culture (Tea) Presentation

Visit to Japanese Canadian Cultural Centre

(Learning Japanese Canadian History / Farewell Party)

Dr. Kanno's Session with SOK Students

Sight-seeing (City Tour / Niagara Falls)

## ■ Support and cooperation by:

Rotary Club of Toronto Forest-Hill, ShowFlex International Inc., Shinpugijyuku, Consulate-General of Japan in Toronto, Embassy of Canada to Japan, Ms. Chako Setoyama, Mr. James Matsumoto, Japanese Gospel Church of Toronto, Japanese Canadian Cultural Centre, ITO EN, Mitsubishi Shokuhin Co., Ltd., UJIE SUPER, Maiya Co.,Ltd., Maruto Co.,Ltd.

\*(Honorific titles are omitted)

## ■ Program produced by:

Ms. Chako Setoyama, Mr. James Matsumoto

※July 9(Sun) Support Our Kids Charity Gala Night @Toronto

※We also received donations and cooperation from many individuals.  
We appreciate for all of your kind supports.



# Schedule

日程/DATE			午前/AM	午後/PM	夜/NIGHT TIME	宿泊先 / Accommodation
DAY 1	8/9	木	東北⇄東京 Travel to Tokyo	事前研修@カナダ大使館 Orientation@Embassy of Canada	事前研修 Orientation	Tokyo
DAY 2	8/10	金	事前研修 ⇄ 成田空港 Orientation ⇄ Narita Airport	日本出発 / Flight departure to Toronto AC 010 NRT→YYZ 16:15 18:08 ※カルガリー経由		トロント/Toronto ジェームス様 & チャコ様ご自宅
DAY 3	8/11	土	キャンプ会場へ移動 Travel to Camp	JGCT サマーキャンプ JGCT SUMMER CAMP		トロント/Toronto キャンプ場/Summer Camp
DAY 4	8/12	日				トロント/Toronto キャンプ場/Summer Camp
DAY 5	8/13	月				トロント/Toronto キャンプ場/Summer Camp
DAY 6	8/14	火				トロント/Toronto キャンプ場/Summer Camp
DAY 7	8/15	水				トロント/Toronto キャンプ場/Summer Camp
DAY 8	8/16	木				トロント/Toronto キャンプ場/Summer Camp
DAY 9	8/17	金		ホームステイ先へ移動 Travel to Toronto	ホストファミリーと過ごす Meet with host families	トロント/Toronto ホームステイ /Homestay
DAY 10	8/18	土		ナイアガラ観光 / Niagara Falls		トロント/Toronto ホームステイ /Homestay
DAY 11	8/19	日		ホームステイの方々と一日自由行動 / A Day with host families		トロント/Toronto ホームステイ /Homestay
DAY 12	8/20	月	JCCC日系人の歴史 (日系文化会館訪問、日系人と交流) Visit to Japan-Canadian Cultural Centre		フェアウェルパーティー Farewell Party	トロント/Toronto ホームステイ /Homestay
DAY 13	8/21	火		トロント出発 / Flight departure to Tokyo AC 001 YYZ 13:40		—
DAY 14	8/22	水		日本到着 / Flight arrival in Tokyo AC 001 HND 15:35		—

Camp Address : 8009 Iona Road, RR #1, Fingal, Ontario N0L 1K0 (about 2 hours drive from Toronto)



# Orientation @ Embassy of Canada

Venue : Embassy of Canada (E.H. Norman Library)

Date & Time : August 9 (Thu) 10:15~13:15



- Guest introductions
- Introductions by participants
- Schedule
- About Canada
- Case Studies/Risk Management
- Earthquake Disaster Presentation

## 【Photos from the orientation】



Mr. Yukihiro Torimura,  
Support Our Kids committee



Ms. Reiko Shimizu, the Embassy of Canada





# Orientation @ Support Our Kids Office

Venue : Support Our Kids Office

Date & Time : August 10 (Fri) 9:30~11:30



- Greetings by SOK
- Japanese tea lesson  
Instructor : ITO EN
- Earthquake Disaster Presentation
- Overseas Insurance

## 【Photos from the orientation】



Earthquake Disaster Presentation



Setting Team Goals



Japanese Tea Presentation



# JGCT Summer Camp

## [JGCT Summer Camp ]

Joined the camp held by the Japanese Gospel Church of Toronto at Pearce Williams Christian Centre near beautiful London, Ontario for about a week. About 100 campers and staff spend the time together to get variety of experiences.

### SATURDAY

11:00	AM	Registration at JGCT Church
2:30	PM	Arrival at Pearce Williams
4:00	PM	Opening Ceremonies
6:00	PM	Dinner
7:00	PM	Clean Up
7:30	PM	Introduction
9:00	PM	Cabin Devotions
11:30	PM	Lights Out -Senior-

### SUNDAY & TUESDAY

7:30	AM	Rise & Shine
8:00	AM	Personal Devotions
8:15	AM	Breakfast
9:00	AM	Clean Up
10:00	AM	VBS(ESL)
11:15	AM	Sports
12:30	PM	Lunch
1:30	PM	Speakers Session
2:30	PM	Electives
3:30	PM	Free Time
5:30	PM	Dinner
6:15	PM	Clean Up
6:45	PM	Worship Service
7:30	PM	Cabin Devotions
10:00	PM	Lights Out Starts

### MONDAY & WEDNESDAY

7:30	AM	Rise & Shine
8:00	AM	Personal Devotions
8:15	AM	Breakfast
9:00	AM	Clean Up
10:00	AM	VBS(ESL)
11:15	AM	Sports
12:30	PM	Lunch
1:30	PM	Speakers Session
2:30	PM	Electives
3:30	PM	Free Time
5:45	PM	Special Events Dinner
6:30	PM	Clean Up
7:00	PM	Worship Service
7:30	PM	Cabin Devotions
10:00	PM	Lights Out Starts

### THURSDAY

7:30	AM	Rise & Shine
8:00	AM	Personal Devotions
8:15	AM	Breakfast
9:00	AM	Clean Up
10:00	AM	VBS(ESL)
11:15	AM	Sports
12:30	PM	Lunch
2:30	PM	Baptism
3:30	PM	Free Time
5:30	PM	Dinner
6:30	PM	Clean Up
6:45	PM	Worship Service
7:30	PM	Camp Fire
9:00	PM	Cabin Devotions
10:00	PM	Lights Out Starts

### FRIDAY

7:30	AM	Rise & Shine
8:00	AM	Personal Devotions
8:15	AM	Breakfast
9:00	AM	Clean Up
10:00	AM	Closing Ceremonies
11:15	AM	Final Clean Up & Packing
1:00	PM	Pack the Bus
2:00	PM	Bus Leaves
5:00	PM	Bus Arrives at JGCT Church





# JGCT Summer Camp

## [Presentations @ Summer Camp]



Earthquake Disaster Presentation



Recovery Support Song  
「Flowers Will Bloom」



Japanese Tea Presentation



In front of every camper and staff, SOK participants held a Earthquake Disaster Presentation. They told the lessons from earthquake disaster, situation of Tohoku after 7 years have passed, and the appreciation to the support from foreign countries including Canada. Some of the questions such as “How is it like to live in a temporary house?” were asked after the presentation.

In addition, this year, they did the Japanese tea presentation in front of every camper for the first time. Quiz style explanation gather the attention and many people seemed to have interest in the taste of Japanese green tea.



# JGCT Summer Camp

## 【ESL / Speakers Session】



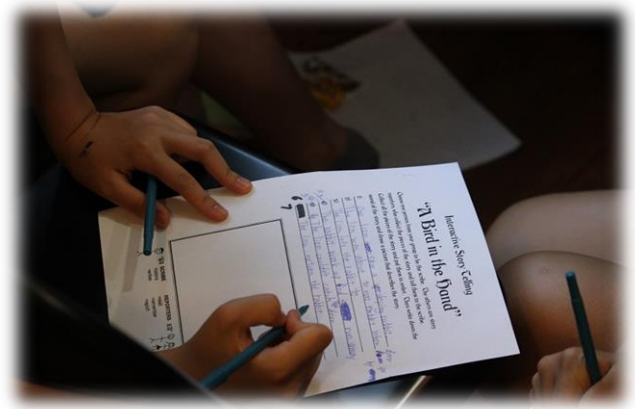
Self- Introduction



Talk Like a Canadian



Geography of Canada



Interactive Story Telling



Lecturer : Mr. Sam



Speakers Session





# JGCT Summer Camp

## 【Interaction with Local Children】



Communication Game



Introduction of Japanese Green Tea



Interaction in Free Time



Team Activity



Origami Lecture



Farewell Messages





# JGCT Summer Camp

## 【Activities】



Ultimate Frisbee



Hiking



Creative



Sports



Different Cultural Experience



Camp Fire

In the Camp, I had to do every thing actively by my self. Thus, I realized my potential to make a huge change. [Tenmei Suzuki(Niigata Pref. 14 y/o)]





# Homestay

## 【A Day with Host Families / Presentation of Japanese Culture】

After returning from Summer Camp, met with host families. The next day, each participants spend a day with host family following each one's interest. Also, They did both Earthquake and Japanese Tea presentation to share a part of Japanese culture.



My host family brought me to CN tower and Safari. They spend so much time until the late night with me even though the place is so far. I really appreciate their kindness.  
【Hime Someya(Fukushima Pref. 14 y/o)】





# Sightseeing

## 【City of Toronto】



## 【Niagara Falls】



Niagara Falls were much bigger than what I had imagined and I was very surprised by the power. I was moved very much by experiencing Canada's great nature.

【Hina Baba(Iwate Pref. 14 y/o)】





# Learning Japanese Canadian History / Dr. Kanno's Session with SOK Students

## 【Learning Japanese Canadian History /Dr. Kanno's Session with SOK Students】

At JCCC, participants had a chance to listen to the stories of Japanese Canadian. In Dr. Kanno's (chosen one of the 100 most influential people in the world by TIME magazine in 2011) session, they learned "Resilience" and talked about dreams in the future.

### Session

13:00	震災プレゼンテーション	Earthquake Presentation
14:00	日系人の歴史	Learning Japanese Canadian History
15:00	菅野先生 SOK学生へのメッセージ	Messages to SOK students from Dr.Kanno

### Farewell Party

17:30	夕食スタート	Starts
18:00	司会者・ゲスト紹介	Guests Introduction
	在トロント日本国総領事館 首席領事 大湊さとし様	Mr.Satoshi Ominato, Deputy Consul-General of Japan in Toronto
18:40	菅野武先生 紹介	Intoroduction of the Speaker : Dr.Takeshi Kanno
18:45	菅野先生 講演	Dr.Kanno's Lecture
19:15	SOK トロント代表 チャコ瀬戸山 紹介	Chairs of Support Our Kids Ms.Chako Setoyama
19:20	SOK 学生紹介	Presentation by Support Our Kids Students
19:40	学生によるサポーターへの感謝の言葉	Messages from SOK students to the Supporters
20:30	解散	終了

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We listened to the history of discriminations at the time of WW II, and the stories of the Dr. Kanno who got over the hardships during Earthquake disaster in 2011.

Through the sessions, I memorized that "sometimes, hard experiences can be good memories(lessons)".

I was very glad that we got positive and heart warming comments after the presentations at Farewell party.

【Kenji Satoh(Miyagi Pref. 15 y/o)】



# Farewell Party @ JCCC

## 【Farewell Party】

Farewell party started with the remarks from Mr. Satoshi Ominato, Deputy Consul-General of Japan in Toronto. Then, Dr. Kanno's session to the people in Toronto was held. At the farewell party, participants showed the appreciation through the whole program to all who gathered this day (about 100 people, including friends of the Summer Camp).



Mr. Satoshi Ominato,  
Deputy Consul-General of Japan in Toronto



Lecture by Dr. Kanno



Earthquake Presentation



Flowers Will Bloom



Messages from SOK participants to the Supporters





# Closing Ceremony

Venue : Haneda Airport Fuji

Date & Time : August 22 (Wed) 19:00~19:25



Mr. Norio Ishiyama,  
Maruto Group Holdings



Mr. Masakazu Hirano,  
Support Our Kids Project Specialist

Through this program, I have made a new goal. It is "Appreciating people, and becoming a person appreciated by people". I have really learned in Canada that I was supported by a lot of people in this program. There are some supporters I could meet during the program, but unfortunately I could not meet everyone. I am also thankful to those people. And I would like to become a person who can support a lot of people by giving the favor back more than I appreciate this time.

【Misaki Abe(Miyagi Pref. 18 y/o)】



# Voices of Participants



When the camp was over and the homestay was also in the middle stage, I was able to notice the meaning of true independence. That is to recognize each person's value. Everyone I met during this program looked somewhere different from me. I was always worried about what it was.

I was able to notice a difference in a conversation with my host mother. That is that everyone has confidence in themselves and was active in everything. Whether it looks possible or not, everybody seemed to try and express who they are. I have been compared my worth with other people. However, through this camp I thought to change that.

【Kenji Satoh(Miyagi Pref. 15 y/o)】

I, who experienced the Great East Japan Earthquake, had forgotten about it and so had done others, and in that case, I thought I should tell what I felt through the earthquake disaster. In addition, I have been suffered by the prejudice so that I have to help those who need help without judging. These are the reasons why I participated this program.

I learned the importance of knowing that there is something that can be overcome little by little by gaining courage. I have gratitude to those who supported us and I also want to go to Canada again. At that time, I would like to talk about the situation of Futaba County(Fukushima Pref.). Of course I also want to support the SOK students. I will continue to do my best in the future.

【Hanami Kodama(Fukushima Pref. 13 y/o)】

