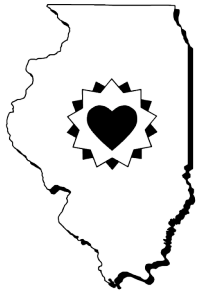


Heartland Bahá'í School
1188 West Sunset
Decatur, IL 62522



Heartland Bahá'í Summer School
July 24-26, 2009 Decatur, Illinois
Registration Deadline: July 15, 2009

HEARTLAND HEARTBEAT – SUMMER 2009

Announcing...

Heartland Bahá'í Summer School

Sponsored by the National Spiritual Assembly of the Baha'is of the United States

July 24-26, 2009
Millikin University
Decatur, Illinois

“This was a community aware of the vast potentialities with which it has been endowed and conscious of the role it is destined to play in rebuilding a broken world. This was **a community in the ascendant.**”

The Universal House of Justice
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“A Community in the Ascendant”

The school program will include:

- “Eating, Drinking, Breathing and Teaching” with Auxiliary Board member Bedi Mesbah
- “Seminar on Home Visits” with Mr. Ravi Starr
- “Holding Neighborhood Children’s Classes” with Mrs. Nina Scott
- “Being a Successful Junior Youth Animator” with Mr. Greg Schweitz

....Coming to Heartland Bahá'í School is like *coming home*. Features include:
Fully staffed nursery
Outstanding children’s and youth classes
Devotions, music and singing, and evening programs for entertainment and fellowship
Friday (opening day) afternoon free for relaxing and socializing; school begins at 7pm
Millikin has a café/lounge area for socializing

More details inside! Or visit the Heartland website:
www.heartlandbahaischool.com

Adult Program

What are the skills necessary to win the goals of the **Five Year Plan**? Learn them at workshop seminars on how to have successful: Conversations on the Spiritual, Neighborhood Children's Classes, Junior Youth Groups, and Home Visits. Use these stories of success to create a **Personal Action Plan**. Sunday will feature **Action Stations** to learn music, art and movement for core activities.

Outdoor Activities

We will take advantage of the outdoor Quad to have lots of group games for players of all ages.

Children and Youth Programs

Children ages 3-11 will have special learning materials and activities based on the **Teacher's Toolbox**, the excellent materials provided by the National Education Office. A nursery will be available for children ages 2 and under and will be staffed during program hours. Youth and Junior Youth will have their own classrooms and activities.

Devotions and Music

In addition to opening and closing devotions, there will be a gathering place for morning prayers. Group singing, devotional music, and musical entertainment will add to the spirit of the school! **Ms. Susan Engle** will be our leader.

Evening Programs

Do you like to play games where everybody wins? Then join us on **Friday** evening for inter-generational team building activities!

Bring your music, poetry, and other creative arts for the **Variety Show** on **Saturday** evening.

Sponsorship Required for Ages Under 18

Everyone under age 18 who attends Heartland School must be accompanied by a parent, legal guardian, or sponsor who will be responsible for their conduct and well-being. Contact the Registrar for more information.

Schedule

Registration opens 4 pm Friday, July 24

Richards Treat University Center (RTUC)

School begins 7 pm Friday, July 24

Morning Sessions 9 am Saturday and Sunday

School ends 1 pm Sunday, July 26

Mail this form and payment to:

Heartland Bahá'í School

Debbie Martin, Registrar

2031 Cochran Rd.

Murphysboro IL 62966

To contact the Registrar: Phone: 618-687-2513

Or Email: heartlandbahai@gmail.com

School Fee

Late fee of \$10/registration form if registering after July 15, 2009.

11 - Adult	\$25
3 - 10	\$10
0 - 2	Free

\$60 Maximum per family

Housing

Millikin University

1184 W. Main Street . Decatur, IL 62522

Directions & Map. www.millikin.edu/visit/maps.asp

Dolson Hall –Air Conditioned

Residence Hall Overnight for Friday and Saturday: This is a college dorm with bathrooms shared between 2 rooms. You will need twin sheets or sleeping bags.

Bring your own linens: towels, blankets, pillows

Room Rates	11 - Adult	Child 6-10
Single Occupancy	\$32/night	
Double Occupancy	\$22/night	\$12/night

Children 0-5 free

Directions:

Richards Treat University Center (RTUC) and **Dolson Hall** are both off of Oakland Avenue. Parking is to the east of Oakland just after the athletic fields. Park in any of the lots in spaces not marked as special.

Other Housing: There are several hotels in Decatur.

Please make your own arrangements if you choose this option.

Meals

Meals will be available for Saturday Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner and Sunday Breakfast, Lunch. We will provide pizza and salad on Friday night at the school.

Meal Prices	2-10	Adult
Breakfast (B)	\$ 3.00	\$ 5.00
Lunch (L)	\$ 5.00	\$ 7.00
Dinner (D)	\$ 6.00	\$ 8.00

A full complement of meals would be **BLDBL**: meals for Saturday and Sunday at \$32.00 for adults, and \$24.00 for children 10 and under. Mark on the form which meals you will be eating in the form XXXXX or BLDBL for the two days of the school XLDXX for 2 meals on Saturday.

Payment of School Fees/Meals/Housing

Payment of Deposit can be made by check for \$15/family with balance paid by check or cash at the school. Paypal can be used to pay by credit card at www.paypal.com, click on **Send money** and then **Send Money Online**--fill in the **To:** heartland-reg@nbs.usbnc.org plus your personal e-mail and amount. If you already have a PayPal account you will be prompted for your password.

REGISTRATION FORM

Registration Required by July 15, 2009 or \$10 Late Fee/Registration Form

Heartland Bahá'í Summer School 2009

Individual Information for each member of your Family	School Fee (\$60 family max)	Housing Fee Friday Night	Housing Fee Sat. Night	Meal Code BLDBL	Meal Fee	Total
Name: _____ Gender: _____ Child's Age: _____ Ethnicity* _____						
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TOTALS:						

*C=Caucasian P=Persian Afr=African Am. H=Hispanic PI=Pac Island As=Asian Am. AI=Am. Indian M=Multi Ethnic O=Other

Charge to PayPal www.paypal.com

Click on Send Money and then Send money Online

To: heartland-reg@nbs.usbnc.org From: Your e-mail Amount: TOTAL

TOTAL:

Deposit enclosed (\$15/family):

Balance due upon arrival at school:

MEAL CODES: (See Flyer Detail) Ex. BLDBL or XLDXX

NOTE: Videos and photos of Heartland Bahá'í School activities may be used for future promotional purposes.

Arrival date: _____ Time: _____

Mailing Address: _____ Cell Phone: _____

E-mail Address: _____

Complete other side for:
 Sponsorship Agreement
 Special Needs of Children or Adults
Medical Release must be filled out for minors (18 and under)

Mail this form and payment(or Paypal) to:

Heartland Bahá'í School
 Debbie Martin, Registrar
 2031 Cochran Rd.
 Murphysboro IL 62966

Must be postmarked by July 15, 2009!

For more information, contact the Registrar, Debbie Martin at (618)687-2513 or heartlandbahai@gmail.com

You may register via email – however, space is NOT reserved until check is received by mail or PayPal payment is received.

Please do not send credit card information by Email!

Complete this side for ALL minors, and for adults with special needs.

Sponsorship Agreement

Each child under age 18 who attends the school without a parent or legal guardian must be accompanied by a sponsor who will be responsible for the child's conduct.

I, _____ Cell: _____

(Print sponsor's full name)

agree to be responsible for the behavior and well-being of:

(Print child's full name below)

in conformity with the standards of conduct of the Bahá'í Faith and the established rules of the Bahá'í School and the facility management during the time the above named is/are in attendance at the Heartland Bahá'í School from (date) _____ to (date) _____.

Signature of Sponsor: _____

I hereby indicate my understanding and approval of the above sponsorship.

Signatures:

(Parent) _____

(Student) _____

(Student) _____

Request for Special Assistance

If anyone in your party requires special assistance due to mobility or sensory impairment, please list names and needs below:

Medical Release (To be completed by parents of all students under 18.)

Child's Name

Age

The staff at the Heartland Bahá'í School have my permission to obtain whatever medical care or diagnostic tests they deem necessary for the well-being of my children while they are attending the Heartland Bahá'í School.

Parent/Guardian can be located at:

Address _____

Telephone _____

Family Doctor _____

Telephone _____

Allergies, handicaps, special dietary needs or medications. (Please identify which child.)

Medical Insurance: _____

Policy # _____

Parent's Signature: _____

Children with Special Needs

To assist teachers in preparing for them, please list names and needs of children with learning disability, physical handicap, emotional or behavioral difficulty, etc.:
