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Christmas Break: December 7 – 20, 2014 and December 28, 2014 – January 19, 2015

Spring Break: March 8, 2015 – April 18, 2015

May Term: May 9, 2015 – June 6, 2015

Website: [baptistrelief.org/collegiateteam](http://baptistrelief.org/collegiateteam)

Check out our Facebook Page: <https://www.facebook.com/SBDR.Rebuild>

**Who may participate:** Adults, college age and older.

#### **Fees:**

There is a \$20 per person **required** registration fee that covers accidental insurance, t-shirt and Sandy Rebuild badge. There is an additional \$20 per night fee that covers food and lodging. **No refunds** will be made for registration. No food/housing fees will be refunded within two weeks of planned arrival dates. Please note we require a minimum of a 3 night stay at the lodging facility to participate.

#### **How to Register:**

Contact the Sandy Rebuild office at 770.410.6075 or [sandyrecovery@namb.net](mailto:sandyrecovery@namb.net) to confirm there is space available for your team and to get the registration code. You should then log into the website and pay the registration fees to reserve spaces for your team even if you do not have all of the participant information. You must return to the website, enter the individual participant information, and provide the remaining payment by the Registration Deadline (see below).

#### **Cancellation:**

The \$20 per person Registration Fee is **non-refundable**. Requests for refunds of housing fees paid will be granted until 14 days prior to scheduled arrival. **Substitutions** are permitted prior to arrival, log into your registration for instructions. No onsite registration will be taken due to capacity limits and planning needs.

#### **Registration Deadline:**

You must complete registration and provide total payment no less than 14 days prior to arrival. Registrations after the deadline may be accommodated if space and resources permit. You must contact the Sandy Rebuild staff at [sandyrecovery@namb.net](mailto:sandyrecovery@namb.net) or 770.410.6075 before registering additional team members.

#### **Lodging:**

Sandy Rebuild Base Camp, Challenger Hall  
New York Institute of Technology  
300 Carleton Avenue  
Central Islip, NY, 11722

All participants must bring their own linens for bedding and showers. There are bunk beds and male and female sleeping areas are on different floors. There are no separate dressing areas.

While we know all Sandy Rebuild staff and long-term volunteers have passed a background check we cannot guarantee that participants in other groups have been background checked.

#### **Capacity:**

The housing capacity is 150 participants per night. All individuals must be registered at least 14 days prior to departing for New York unless you have received an exception from the Sandy Rebuild staff.

#### **Meals:**

Meals will be provided onsite by a Disaster Relief feeding team. We are unable to take special dietary requests. Lunch will be a self-prepared sack lunch each day to be taken to the worksite.



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### Showers:

Shower and restrooms are provided on the hall. Shower shoes are suggested.

### Laundry:

Laundry facilities are NOT available.

### First Aid:

Students/groups need to provide their own first aid kits.

### Worksites:

The area where teams are working is a heavily damaged, inner city region and leaders need to be prepared to provide adequate supervision at all times. Due to the nature of disaster recovery we are unable to give specific work assignments at this time. If you have particular expertise in construction, please let us know.

### Each participant needs to bring the following:

- warm work clothes that will get dirty
- a pair of inexpensive leather work gloves
- sturdy shoes (leather work boots are best)
- a pair of inexpensive safety glasses
- bedding and shower liners

### Tools we recommend participants bring:

- hammer
- tool belt/nail apron
- tape measure
- utility knife and blades

### These items are not required but are suggested:

- hat
- scarf
- gloves

### **DO NOT BRING:**

**Hair Dryers, Curling Irons, or Flat Irons – there will be very limited electricity**

### Transportation:

Transportation to and from housing locations, and to and from work locations, is at the expense of the group and/or individual. Parking is limited onsite and we recommended nothing larger than a 15 passenger van be used. If charter buses are to be used, please contact Sandy Rebuild staff prior to registration, as special considerations will need to be made. Trains and subways are not sufficient to provide needed travel to and from the housing locations or the worksites.

There are tolls, which must be paid in cash, to get to the housing locations but you will not have to pay tolls between your housing location and the work areas. Please check the Port Authority's website for more information (<http://www.panynj.gov/bridges-tunnels/>).

### Sightseeing:

Teams that want time to visit downtown New York City or other areas are asked to let us know when you plan to do so, prior to arrival, so that we can plan work assignments appropriately.

### Questions?

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