



Eastern Ottawa

Area Committee

Mission

Committee members experience a front row seat in introducing kids to Jesus Christ and helping them grow in their faith.

Purpose

To partner with EOYoungLife staff to ensure healthy Young Life ministry thrives throughout the east side of Ottawa County by executing the 5 core functions of a Young Life Area.

Spiritual Development | Leadership Development | Direct Ministry
Ministry Support | Resource Development

Expectations

Pray for EOYoungLife

Advocate for EOYoungLife
in our community

Serve in a specific
committee role (see
Committee Roles)

Work as a team

Seek partnerships with
like-minded organizations

Attend monthly committee
meetings (2nd Wednesday
of months Aug - May)

Participate in and invite
others to EOYoungLife
events

Help with the financial
needs of EOYoungLife

2 year minimum
commitment

Qualifications

The Area Director (AD) and Committee Chair (CC) will work together to lead members of the committee in the following roles:

Spiritual Development

Prayer Coordinator - Develop and carry out a yearly prayer strategy
Events, meetings, emails, newsletters, etc.

Church Liaison - Develop relationships with local churches
Meet with churches/pastors, create communication bridges

Leadership Development

LST Coordinator (Leadership Support Team) - Empower adults to care for leaders
Support LST members, Thank-quet, leaders gifts

Staff Care - Encourage, support and care for EOYoungLife staff/church partners
Pray for, mentor, and encourage

Direct Ministry

New Ministry Champion - Partner with AD & CC to seek opportunities for growth
Meet with schools, churches, and community members

Campership Coordinator - Promote & provide opportunities for kids to go to camp
Coordinate camp fundraisers and celebrations such as Fill The Bus

Ministry Support

Finance Manager - Ensure financial responsibility of EOYoungLife
Review monthly expenses, cash flow, giving report and annual budget

Social Media Manager - Tell the story of EOYoungLife through the medium of Social Media
Manage area Facebook Page and maintain internet presence

Resource Development

TDS (Taking Donors Seriously) - Identify and build relationships with area donors
Thank through gifts and meals. Ask when needed.

Alumni and Friends - Reconnect & care for EOYoungLife alumni volunteers and kids
Care for recent graduates, recruit potential donors and committee members

Yearly
Calendar



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Aug

NO Area Committee Meeting

Nov

Area Committee Meeting

Feb

Area Committee Meeting
Spring Leadership Placement Night

May

Area Committee Meeting

Sept

Area Committee Meeting

Dec

Area Committee Meeting
Young Life Winter Weekend
Work Crew Weekend
Area Leadership Christmas Party

March

Area Committee Meeting

June

NO Area Committee Meeting
Golf Outing
Summer Camp Trips

Oct

Area Committee Meeting
Fall Leadership Placement Night
Area Banquet

Jan

Area Committee Meeting
WyldLife Winter Weekend

April

Area Committee Meeting
5k & Fun Run
Thank-quet

July

NO Area Committee Meeting

Seasonal Teams

Banquet - (June - Oct)

5K & Fun Run - (Feb-April)

Golf - (Jan - May)

Leadership Support - (Sept - April)

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