



BEYOND THE LINE...

Servant Reality District Training Event

**A Generation Called, Consumed & Convinced
to live beyond the line of normal.**

In partnership with



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Beyond the Line... Conference

What Is Beyond the Line?

Beyond the Line is a 1½ day leadership experience for jr. high and sr. high students that is part of the Servant Reality Follow-Up Project to the Charlotte 2003 Convention. This conference will help young leaders do three things.

1. It will help students capture a God-inspired dream for their own life.
2. It will engage students in a “team dreaming” process with other students as they brainstorm ideas for Student Led Ministry Projects affiliated with the Servant Reality Follow-Up Plan.
3. It will teach students how to take the steps necessary to turn their “Student Led Ministry Project” into reality. This will enable students and leaders to leave the Beyond The Line Conference with an action plan ready to implement when they arrive home.

In partnership with Top Flight leadership and utilizing Top Flight’s experience-based approach, Beyond the Line will challenge students using video, drama*, practical training, and leadership activities. The Beyond the Line conference will help take the Student Led Ministry Projects of the Servant Reality Follow-Up Plan to a deeper level of development and implementation.

The “Beyond The Line” Training Experience

1. **Go Dream**
This opening module with praise & worship, video, and teaching helps students understand the need for a God-inspired dream and shows them the steps necessary to get a dream.
2. **Team Dreaming**
Collectively we can do far more than any one of us can do alone. That’s the power of team dreaming. This module includes a creative brainstorming time focused on the Servant Reality Student Led Ministry Projects and will help students go to the next level in the Servant Reality Follow-Up process.
3. **Coaching For Your Dream**
We believe having a coach helps you reach your dreams with greater speed and accuracy. Using a coaching activity and some practical leadership tips, this module helps students discover the benefits of a coach and how to find one.
4. **Failing Toward Your Dream**
Failure and setbacks are a reality of life. It’s how you respond to these challenges that is crucial to your success. This module helps students identify why people fail, how to respond appropriately to failure, and how to leverage failures and setbacks to help you reach your dreams.
5. **Growing Toward Your Dream**
It’s one thing to get a dream and another to reach it. This module helps students develop a strategy for implementing their ideas for a Servant Reality Student Led Ministry Project.
6. **Inspiring Others With Your Dream**
Vision casting is important if you want to motivate others to chase a dream. This module uses experiential activities and video to teach students how to use their dream to inspire others.
7. **Keep Dreaming...Start Going**
This closing module includes a powerful closing commissioning focus to challenge students to keep dreaming while they start “going” with the dream in their heart.



*Drama sessions are only a part of the Large-Scale version of the Beyond the Line Conference.

Adult Training at the Beyond The Line Conference:

1. Capturing a Coaching Moment: How to Coach the Heart of a Young Leader
This session helps adult leaders learn how to coach students. With a focus on clarifying your dreams and developing a personal growth plan, this module will give leaders the skills to effectively coach students in the dreaming/growing process.

Additional Modules Taught by District Wesleyan Youth Leaders:

1. Servant Reality Student Led Ministry Projects
In this session for youth pastors/sponsors, and leaders, the DYP or other designated leader will provide an overview and answer questions about the Servant Reality Student Led Ministry Projects. In addition, attention will be given to the Servant Reality Student Led Ministry Projects brainstorming focus to be engaged in with students at the close of the session.
2. Called to Ministry
This session is provided for students who sense a call into full-time ministry and will be offered simultaneous to another student session taught by Top Flight Leadership. Servant Reality will assist District leaders in the preparation for this session.

Student Coaching:

One of the unique components of the Beyond the Line District Training event is the coaching that takes place for students. During the session titled, "Capturing a Coaching Moment", Top Flight leadership will teach youth leaders how to coach students. Then leaders will set up times to coach their students throughout the day, helping them understand how to clarify their dream and grow toward their dream.

Beyond the Line Budget
(Partnership with Top Flight Leadership)

Top Flight Trainer Expenses	=	\$1,000 + travel, lodging, meals
Shipping/Supplies Fee	=	\$200

Total Base Conference Fee	=	\$1,200
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Additional Expenses (Optional)

- Training Manuals* = \$4.00 each
- Additional Trainers = \$800 each + travel, lodging, meals

*If you choose not to purchase training manuals, Top Flight will email the outlines for each session to the host allowing you to make copies for each conference participant.

Facility Needs

1. Auditorium large enough to seat expected registration
2. Breakout rooms for workshop modules
3. Adequate room for coaching appointments
4. Host District pays all fees associated with facility, sound, lights, computer & appropriate staff

5. Appropriate size stage for worship team, video, etc.

Large, Mid, and Small Scale Beyond the Line Conferences

Because of the uniqueness of the Beyond the Line Conference, three versions are being offered: small, mid and large scale versions. The small-scale version offers a more intimate setting with leadership activities and training approaches that work best with groups of 50 or less. The mid-size event offers options best suited for groups of 50-150. The large-scale version offers different activities as well as drama to facilitate a group larger than 150.

Requirements for a Small Scale Event (Less than 50 in attendance):

1. One 9x12 screen (or similar) and one projector, VCR, DVD (*for main auditorium*). The projector should be bright enough to see when the lights are on.
2. Sound and appropriate staff (*soundman and appropriate staff to set-up/tear-down screen, projector, and any additional equipment.*)
3. 4-6 workers for the conference (this does not include appropriate staff for technical needs)
4. Computer with PowerPoint and a person to operate it in all modules
5. Worship leader appropriate for size of event
6. One eight foot table and two workers for Top Flight's product table
7. A Wesleyan leader to conduct the two adult sessions (see schedule and session description)

Requirements for a Mid-Size Event (50-150 in attendance):

1. One 10 ½ x 14 (or similar) screen or two 9x12 screens and one/two projectors, VCR'S, DVD's (*for main auditorium*). The projectors should be bright enough to see when the lights are on.
2. Stage lights, sound, spotlight and appropriate staff (*soundman, light board operator, spotlight operator, and appropriate staff to set-up/tear-down screens, projectors, and any additional equipment.*)
3. 6-8 workers for the conference (this does not include appropriate staff for technical needs)
4. Computer with PowerPoint and a person to operate it in all general session modules
5. Worship leader and full worship band
6. One eight foot table and two workers for Top Flight's product table
7. A Wesleyan leader to conduct the two adult sessions (see schedule and session description)

Requirement for a Large Scale Event (150+ in Attendance):

1. One 10 ½ x 14 (or similar) screen or two 9x12 screens and one/two projectors, VCR'S, DVD's (*for main auditorium*). The projectors should be bright enough to see when the lights are on.
2. Stage lights, sound, spotlight and appropriate staff (*sound man, light board operator, spotlight operator, and appropriate staff to set-up/tear-down screens, projectors, and any additional equipment.*)
3. 8-10 workers for the conference (this does not include appropriate staff for technical needs)
4. Wireless handheld mic
5. Computer with PowerPoint and a person to operate it in all general session modules
6. Worship leader and full worship band
7. One eight foot table and two workers for Top Flight's product table
8. A bed with a comforter (prop for the stage)
9. A Wesleyan leader to conduct the two adult sessions (see schedule and session description)

*The large-scale version of Beyond The Line has the option of including drama. In such a case, the district will be responsible for providing a quality drama team. We will provide the drama team with scripts and discuss details with the drama director well in advance. In addition, we will need to meet with the



drama team the morning that the event is scheduled to begin. Drama supplies (*noted in the drama scripts*) and four lapel mics (for the drama team) will also be required.

Beyond The Line Pre-Event Meeting

Before the Beyond the Line event begins, Top Flight's trainer will need to meet with workers and sound/light crew to prep for the event. This meeting is necessary to instruct workers on facilitation of leadership activities during the event and work with the tech crew on specific modules. The following pre-event schedule will be followed:

1:00	Instruction/Prep for Workers on Beyond The Line Leadership Activities
3:00	Tech Rehearsal
5:00	Break
7:00	Opening Session

*For large-scale Beyond The Line Conferences in which the host chooses to include drama, the pre-event meeting will begin at 9:00 am.

Beyond The Line District Wesleyan Youth Leadership Involvement

1. MC the Event
The host of the event will serve as the MC introducing Top Flight Leadership and facilitating communications during the event.
2. Facilitate the Servant Reality Student Led Ministry Projects Overview Session
Simultaneous to one of the sessions taught by Top Flight, the District Youth President or other designated leader will provide an overview of the Servant Reality Student Led Ministry Projects to adult leaders. This session will give general direction, answer questions, and prep the leaders for the "Team Dreaming" block of time to be conducted at the close of the session.
3. Assist with Facilitation of the Team Dreaming Session
Although Top Flight Leadership will conduct the training during this session, the DYP or other designated leader will introduce the brainstorming portion of the session helping students focus their brainstorming efforts around the Servant Reality Student Led Ministry Projects.
4. Teach a Session for those Students Called to Full-Time Ministry
Each Wesleyan District Youth President or other designated leader will present a special training session for students that feel a call into full-time ministry. This session will be held simultaneously to another student session taught by Top Flight Leadership.

Scheduling a Beyond the Line District Training Event

To schedule your District Beyond the Line Training Event, please contact:

**Servant Reality
Youth Department, The Wesleyan Church
6060 Castleway West Dr.
Indianapolis, IN 46250
317-570-5140
ServantReality@wesleyan.org**

Once a date has been selected, you will need to complete a Training Event Confirmation & Agreement form and return it to The Youth Department with a \$100 deposit to secure the event.

If you would like to book a Top Flight trainer(s) in a Sunday service following your weekend event, they would be more than happy to serve in this capacity. Their staff can challenge your congregation in a variety of ways. In addition to the training event fee, we ask the church where the trainer will speak to receive a love offering at the conclusion of the service. We would highly recommend you take advantage of this opportunity while your Top Flight Trainer is with you.

Beyond the Line

District Training Event Schedule

Modules	Friday		Saturday							
	7:00 pm	9:00 pm	9:00 am	10:30	11:30	12:30	2:00	3:30	4:30	5:30
Main Modules	Go Dream		Team Dreaming: What Can We Do Together? <i>(training & Servant Reality Student Led Ministry Projects brainstorming)</i>	Coaching For Your Dream	Failing Toward Your Dream	Lunch	Growing Toward Your Dream	Inspiring Others With Your Dream	Keep Dreaming... Start Going	Dismiss
Student Personal Growth Lab		Student Personal Dream Development								
Special Student Module					Called to Ministry <i>(led by District Wesleyan Youth leader)</i>					
Adult Breakout Module		Capturing a Coaching Moment	An Overview of the Servant Reality Student Led Ministry Project <i>(led by District Wesleyan Youth leader – 30 minutes overview & then join students for brainstorming.)</i>							
Coaching Modules				Student Coaching with Youth Leaders	Student Coaching with Youth Leaders			Student Coaching with Youth Leaders		

This schedule is subject to change as Top Flight Leadership works with the Wesleyan Youth Department to effectively meet the needs of students and leaders in the Servant Reality Follow-Up Plan.



Beyond the Line District Training Event
Confirmation & Agreement

Contact Person's Name
District
Your Role/Position:
Address
City State Zip
Phone Fax
E-Mail Address
District Youth President's Name

If the event is scheduled on a weekend (Friday & Saturday), will you be able to assist with scheduling the trainer(s) in a Sunday morning and/or evening service in the area?

Desired Dates for the Training Experience:

Estimated attendance: Nearest major airport to the event?

Agreed Training Event Fee Per Discussion with Servant Reality & Top Flight:

Enclosed is my \$100 non-refundable deposit payable to Top Flight Leadership to secure the training experience. I understand this deposit will be applied toward the total event fee. If I cancel the event 60 days or less in advance, I will be responsible for a \$250 cancellation fee in addition to any travel fees incurred that cannot be reimbursed. I understand that travel expenses include transportation plus a \$40.00 incidental fee (for expenses incurred during travel). Top Flight Leadership is committed to providing the highest quality training experience to help you reach your leadership goals. They will work with you to insure excellence in preparation and training.

Signed: Title: Date:

Top Flight: Title: Date:

Please mail this form with Deposit to:

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What Others Are Saying About Top Flight Leadership

"Top Flight Leadership is a ministry that is changing the face of leadership in the 21st century. If you want to raise up a new breed of leader or want to be a better one yourself, check out Top Flight."

Monty L. Hipp, *President, Creative Communications*

"Top Flight is at the epicenter of today's leadership training. Its resources, events, and seminars are refreshingly relevant and relational. I recommend Top Flight to anyone who has passion to create a visionary tomorrow and the courage to take themselves to a new Christ - honoring level."

Jeanne Mayo, *President, Youth Source Ministries*

"I'm excited about the creative and innovative ways Top Flight Leadership is developing young leaders around the world. I believe they are meeting a real need and encourage you to look their direction for leadership training material that hit the target when it comes to younger leaders."

Dr. Tim Elmore, *Vice President of Leadership Development, EQUIP*

"Top Flight has been an incredible partnership for the Foursquare youth ministries and I fully recommend them for your local church or denomination."

Walter R. Hoefflin, *National Foursquare Youth Minister*

"Top Flight was a wonderful resource for our student leadership retreat. Jeff, the Top Flight staff for our retreat, helped communicate important truths about our ministry to my kids that would not have been as effective as if I myself was presenting the information. I appreciated how he worked alongside me and wanted to know and understand my goals for the weekend, not just get through a pre-determined agenda. I would highly recommend Top Flight."

Mark Schmechel, *Youth Pastor, Bethel Baptist Church, Greeley, Colorado*

"It is without reservation that I wholeheartedly recommend the ministry of Top Flight Leadership. The quality of training, resources, and ministry is one of the best in the nation."

John Kenney, *Potomac District Assemblies of God Youth Director*

"Working with Top Flight is a great experience. Whether you want to arrange leadership events or need training materials on leadership, Top Flight's passion, understanding and experience is evident in everything they do. And they listen carefully to what you need, so that they can partner with you to develop your leaders."

Brett Hutchinson, *Director, Christian Endeavor*

"Top Flight's heart for leadership is very evident in everything they do. We appreciated their fresh approach as well as their relevant lessons that impacted our students."

Konan Stephens, *Ohio District Youth Director*