

June 12, 2009

Dear Parents and Seventh Graders,

We are asking all incoming seventh graders to perform some type of community service. This means voluntary or free work that benefits someone other than the student's family. Students can volunteer to help at a religious organization, public library, recreational program sponsored by a community, nursing home, or school. Students may also complete work for elderly neighbors, join the Lincolnwood Rescue Rangers or help with projects at school through STAR. **Please look on the Lincoln Hall website at <http://www.sd74.org> for a list of places your child can volunteer.**

We are asking for your help and support in this program. Many of our students turn in their hours of service at the beginning of the school year and continue to do service in the community throughout the year. When your seventh grader has completed the form on the reverse side of this letter, please have him/her bring it to the office. Additional forms may be completed throughout the school year. Instilling in our young people a sense of commitment to the community is an integral part of citizenship and character development.

We are asking each child to perform at least FIVE hours of community service as part of their seventh grade program. Of course, your child can perform more. If you have any questions, please contact your student's resource teacher.

Thank you for your support.

Seventh Grade Team

COMMUNITY SERVICE HOURS

Name: _____

1) Date of community service:

Place of community service:

Description of community service:

Hours completed:

Signature of an adult where community service
was performed:

2) Date of community service:

Place of community service:

Description of community service:

Hours completed:

Signature of an adult where community service
was performed:
