

Faribault's Future Application

Finalists for the upcoming Faribault's Future Class will be selected by the board based on the items submitted with this application.

Full Name _____	Title _____
Occupation _____	E-Mail Address _____
Business/Organization Name _____	
Business/Organization Address _____	
City _____	State _____ Zip _____
Telephone Number _____	Fax Number _____

ITEMS THAT MUST BE SUBMITTED WITH THIS APPLICATION

Each item below must be typed.

- A. Biographical Data
Submit an autobiography, which includes employment and current community involvement.
- B. Write a statement of why you want to be a member of the Faribault's Future program.
- C. Identify one current issue/topic facing our community that you are interested in.

TUITION

The tuition cost for the ten-month program is \$750. **Tuition covers all program costs**, including materials, meals, lodging for the two-day leadership retreat, and transportation for the Business Day at the Capital.

POLICIES

There are no refunds for the Faribault's Future program. No participants added after October 1. Once the class begins all participants have the right to complete the program regardless of their employment status.

SCHOLARSHIPS

A limited number of partial scholarships are available. If you need financial assistance, include a separate letter with this application requesting a partial scholarship and indicate why the scholarship is needed.

PAYMENT POLICY

If you are accepted to the leadership program, full tuition must be paid by July 1, 2008. Due to the limited number of participant slots available and the popularity of this program, class participation will be confirmed once payment has been received.

ATTENDANCE

Class attendance is essential for graduation. Should circumstances require that you miss the opening sessions, the overnight retreat or more than two regular class sessions, or be absent from portions of the class on a regular basis, you will be required to meet with representatives of the Faribault's Future Board to determine appropriate make up provisions in order to graduate with your class.

Faribault's Future class session generally run from 7:45 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. once a month, September through June, including a two-day mid-winter leadership retreat. Classes are tentatively scheduled for the second Thursday of each month.

2008/2009 Tentative Class Schedule

<i>September 11 and 13</i>	<i>February 13 and 14*</i>
<i>Opening sessions</i>	<i>Tentative overnight retreat</i>
<i>October 9</i>	<i>March 12</i>
<i>November 13</i>	<i>April 9</i>
<i>December 11</i>	<i>May 14</i>
<i>January 8</i>	<i>June 11 Graduation</i>

Participants are expected to attend all sessions. Participation in the class community service project is also required, which may take time outside of the assigned schedule. Please consider your availability carefully. Attendance at all classes and the overnight retreat is an expectation for completion of the program. Class attendance is essential for graduation. Should circumstances require that you miss the opening sessions, the overnight retreat or more than two regular class sessions, or be absent from portions of the class on a regular basis, you will be required to meet with representatives of the Faribault's Future Board to determine appropriate make up provisions in order to graduate with your class.

EMPLOYEE COMMITMENT

I have read the Faribault's Future materials and discussed the program and time commitment with my supervisor. If selected, I agree to participate in ALL sessions.

Name of Applicant (please print) _____

I have reviewed and understand the "Policies" on the other side of this page.

Signature of Applicant: _____

EMPLOYER COMMITMENT

I understand the time commitment involved with Faribault's Future program. I support this employee's participation in the program will allow the time to attend ALL class sessions.

Name of Supervisor (please print) _____

Title _____

I have reviewed and understand the "Policies" on the other side of this page.

Signature of Supervisor: _____

Send completed application to:

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