

10 Ways to Recruit **TIP SHEET**



DON'T rely on...

Pulpit Announcements ♦ Newsletters ♦ Bulletins ♦ Twitter
FaceBook ♦ Emails ♦ Social Media

DO this ONE ON ONE and be personable ...

1. Know that God is in control

Knowing this will help you recruit with confidence!

2. Enlist /Recruit with a Vision

If you share the vision with those you are recruiting they will catch your excitement and more easily buy into reaching others for the Lord. Great resource book: Its Worth It (Landry Holmes)

3. Be Enthusiastic

If you are excited about VBS it will spread and others will want to be part of something exciting and fun.

4. Organization is Your Friend

Organization allows you to better know your needs and it gives others confidence that there is a direction and purpose to the ministry.

5. Share the Joy

Recruit others to share the load with you and experience the joy of reaching out to see God's Kingdom grow through your church.

6. Use a job ministry description

Ministry descriptions help communicate what needs be done and share the expectations.

7. Don't forget the MEN!

Sometimes we forget to invite and involve the men to participate and volunteer in VBS. They have some great skill sets that can really enhance your VBS ministry.

8. Consider the Buddy System

Working alone can be intimidating. Consider offering buddies for teachers and rotation leaders. This is a great way to build a team.

9. Train and Equip

Don't assume everyone knows how. Provide some fun and creative training to not only inform but to build team and loyalty.

10. Provide Support and Show Appreciation

The best way to ensure retention of your volunteers is to provide awesome support (anticipate their needs) and let them know you appreciate them!

DON'T FORGET

Your #1 Fan / Recruiter / Appreciator is your PASTOR!