EMPOWER 19
Immeasurably More
Ephesians 3:20-21

Red Lion Hotel
Harrisburg, PA
January 18-19, 2019

For Online Registration and more information, visit www.northeastregion.org
We are excited to invite Girls Ministries (GM) leaders to join the Royal Ranger leaders at EMPOWER 19. Both ministries have the same mission, which is to mentor students and help them to grow up to be disciples of Christ. There will be combined training and sessions for both ministries’ leaders and gender specific sessions for Ranger leaders and GM leaders as well.

EMPOWER19 will continue to build on the momentum that has been established over the past 27 years and provide anyone involved in ministry the opportunity for great training, excellent fellowship, and a time of spiritual renewing. This year we welcome National Royal Rangers Director, Karl Fleig; National Girls Ministry Training Coordinator, Jen Whalen; and Rev. Michael Petrucci as our guests. We will hold a World Class Outpost Seminar and encourage the GM Leaders to participate in this outstanding seminar as well, since we will have certain breakaway sessions designed specifically for both ministries’ leaders. Everyone in the family is welcome, even if you are not involved in ministry – so bring the spouse and kids! The regional staff and our national ministry representatives look forward to seeing you in Harrisburg, PA in January 2019!

Yours in Christ,

Dwight Walters
Northeast Regional Coordinator

From Royal Rangers,

Who Should Attend? You!

- Local Outpost Leaders
- Sectional Leaders
- District Staff
- Junior Leaders
- Girls Ministries Leaders
- District Superintendents
- District Youth Directors
- Christian Education Directors
- Men’s Ministry Directors
- Pastors
- Youth Pastors
- Spouses
- Children

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SPECIAL GUESTS

Karl Fleig
National Royal Rangers Director

Karl S. Fleig has served as the National Director of Royal Rangers since July 2014. Karl has been involved in Rangers since 1985, when he attended National Training Camp. Since that time he has served in multiple positions in the local outpost and on district staff for Royal Rangers. Prior to his present position, Karl served the Indiana District Council as the Christian Education and Men’s Ministries director for 13 years. He pastored Bethel Assembly, Huntington, IN. and he pastored (and youth pastored) in Chicago, IL. Karl was credentialed by the Ohio District Council in 1985 and is a graduate of Central Bible College (1985) in Springfield, MO. Karl and his wife, Cindy, have a daughter and two sons.

Jen Whalen
National Girls Ministries Leadership Development Coordinator

Jen and her husband, Tim, have been married for 15 years. They share 2 beautiful children; Timmy and Gracie. Jen grew up in the ministry and attended Zion Bible College (now Northpoint) earning her degree in Church Ministries with an emphasis on Christian Education. She has served in the roles of Children’s Pastor, Christian Education Director, Girls Ministries Sponsor and has been involved in children’s ministries for most of her life. She is also professional interpreter for the Deaf and has been involved in Deaf Ministries for more than 20 years. Jen now serves as the Leadership Development Coordinator for National Girls Ministries. Jen LOVES the Titus 2 principle of Girls Ministries – women mentoring girls. She has a heart to train leaders to become all that God has called them to be.

Michael Petrucci
Northeast Region Royal Rangers Chaplain

Rev. Michael Petrucci (Pastor P) has served as lead pastor at Praise Assembly in Newark, Delaware for 20 years and serves as Chaplain for the Northeast Region Royal Rangers. He began pastoring in Massachusetts as a church planter for seven years and then pastored in New Jersey for 13 years. Pastor Petrucci has spoken at numerous Men’s, Royal Rangers, and Light for the Lost events, often speaking on leadership and about men and gender issues. He has traveled extensively overseas - to more than 50 countries- to speak at pastor’s conferences and national men’s conferences. Pastor holds a bachelor’s degree from Oral Roberts University and a master’s degree in school psychology from Rowan University. He and his wife Cathy have been married 40 years. They have three grown, married children and 4 grandchildren (and 2 on the way).
Top 5 Reasons to Attend EMPOWER 19

1. Learn to Be a Better Leader
   Training is one of the core focuses of the EMPOWER Conference. The students need us prepared for whatever comes into their lives. Let’s make sure we are doing everything we can do to be trained and ready.

2. Catch Up With Old Friends and Meet New Friends
   Some leaders have known each other for many years. This is your chance to gather with those who have the same passion and meet someone new! After all, we are in this together!

3. Be Part of Something Big
   You are not alone in what you do! There are Ranger and GM Leaders in your area, district, region, and even all across the USA who have a passion to Mentor Future Men & Women. Explore what EMPOWER has to offer.

4. Incredible Worship and Speakers
   Sometimes we get so carried away with the task that we forget why we serve. The spiritual focus should never be forgotten. Join us for a time to worship our Lord and our Creator and be inspired by our guest speakers and musicians.

5. You Never Know What Might Happen
   Although we strive to provide you with enough information about EMPOWER, we like to keep a few surprises. You will have to show up to see what happens. Don’t miss out!
SCHEDULE AT-A-GLANCE

THURSDAY
4:00 pm Check-in (on-site lodging)
5:00 pm Dinner (on your own)
6:00 pm Registration

FRIDAY
7:00 am Registration Continues
7:30 am Breakfast (on your own)
8:30 am Friday Sessions
12:00 pm Lunch (on your own)
1:30 pm Friday Sessions Continue
6:00 pm Dinner (on your own)
7:30 pm Opening Dessert Reception

SATURDAY
7:00 am Registration Continues
7:00 am Breakfast (on your own)
8:30 am General Session
10:30 am Education Session S1
   Ladies Devotion
11:30 am Lunch (on your own)
1:00 pm Education Session S2
2:30 pm Education Session S3
4:00 pm Ministry Breakaways
5:15 pm Final Session
6:00 pm Head Home

Pre-Registration Ends January 3, 2019!
EMPOWER Conference has a variety of seminars and tracks where church ministry leaders can attend together, connect with peers and learn about topics most relevant to their responsibilities at a local, sectional or district level. The following Tracks are suggestions:

**New Leader Track**
This track is designed to meet the needs of new leaders in Rangers and GM. Enhance your teaching skills and become more effective in the classroom with Momentum Bronze (Education) and Momentum Silver (Community) on Friday. Then on Saturday attend Proper Discipline in Your Outpost, RK Activities, Heart of a Leader, and Ministry to the Whole Child.

**Outpost Leader Track**
These sessions are designed for the leader that serves at the Outpost Level. Classes include the WCO, Momentum (Bronze & Silver), and First Aid/CPR/AED on Friday and on Saturday, you get your choice of additional education sessions: Maximize Your Ranger Staff, RK Activities, Discipline in Your Outpost, Heart of a Leader, and Ministry to the Whole Child.

**Ranger Kids Leader Track**
This unique track is designed specifically for Ranger Kids Leaders. On Saturday, take advantage of the Ranger Kids Activities session and make a difference in the boys’ lives today!

**Pastors (Senior, Youth, and Kids)**
Designed for Pastors, Children’s Pastors, Youth Pastors, District Superintendents, District Youth Directors, District Christian Education Directors and anyone else that serves at the administrative level within the church or district to demonstrate the importance of Royal Rangers at all levels of the church. Pastors will find a wealth of knowledge in all sessions throughout the weekend.

**Organizational Leaders Track (Sectional/Area, Divisional, & District)**
Organizational Leaders are important for the growth of the Royal Rangers Ministry. Organizational leaders will find the Momentum training series beneficial as well as WCO, if you have not already attended. The Training Academy is available for Ranger Leaders who are interested in becoming certified instructors (please discuss with your District Director first).

**Girls Ministries (GM) Leaders Track**
These sessions are designed specifically for GM Leaders. Friday, Jen Whalen will offer the Momentum Series (Bronze and Silver). Saturday, the GM specific breakaways include Using GM Curriculum to Communicate and Developing a Missional Lifestyle. KidMin based seminars apply to both GM and Ranger Leaders and will include Heart of a Leader and Ministry to the Whole Child. Finally, World Class Outpost (WCO) will be offered Friday and Saturday and has been repackaged to be relevant and beneficial to both Ranger and GM leaders.
FRIDAY SESSIONS

**World Class Outpost/Club**
This seminar is designed to expose the outpost/club leadership team to a successful set of practices, methods, strategies, and tools that will enable them to develop into a World Class Outpost or Club. The greatest benefit of this event is achieved when the outpost/club/church leadership attends and completes this event together as a team. Separate breakout sessions will be included for Outposts and Girls’ Clubs to assess their specific progress.

**Momentum Leadership Development Unit: Education (Bronze) – 8:30 – 11:30 am**
The Momentum series will help volunteers (GM and Ranger Leaders) get to a higher level of preparation by helping them to sharpen their skills and become more effective in the classroom. The material covered is vitally important to all who minister in the local church. Units incorporate strategies to help develop or further enhance a teacher’s skills in the area of education. You will foster your understanding of the unique needs of every student. Includes Children with Special Needs or Disabilities, The Dynamics of Mentoring, and Understanding Learning Styles. (CLE credit for RR Leaders)

**Momentum Leadership Development Unit: Community (Silver) – 1:30 – 4:30 pm**
The material covered is vitally important to all who minister in the local church. This unit is designed to help develop or further enhance a teacher’s skills in the areas of community. In this unit, you will take your leadership skills one step further. Units include: Blending the Generations, The World in Your Classroom, and Community Outreach. (CLE credit for RR Leaders)

**First Aid/CPR/AED Course**
An American Heart Association Certified Course in Standard First Aid, Adult CPR, and AED. This will be offered as one course and certification will be for two years. **Cost of course must be paid in full at time of pre-registration.** (limited spaces available)

**Training Academy**
This seminar prepares leaders to teach other leaders in the Rangers Ministry Academy and is a prerequisite for attending all other academies. Training Academy will take place during all Friday and Saturday Sessions. **This class is by invitation only.**
SATURDAY SESSIONS

Heart of a Leader*
How often do leaders prepare everything but the most important aspect of leadership? The heart of a leader may be the most important element of being prepared for weekly ministry. Discover perspectives of heart preparation that will inspire you to do ministry in a new way for the rest of your life.

Maximizing Your Ranger Staff
Does your outpost have a procedure for ensuring that the right staff are in the right place? How do you recruit & keep leaders? This workshop will identify and review the crucial steps necessary to creating and maintaining an efficient Royal Rangers staff.

Ministry to the Whole Child*
Did you ever wonder why your preschoolers can’t remember what you just said or why your 6th grader is always in a different mood? Children go thru different characteristics at different ages. We will look at those and talk about what they mean to the spiritual growth of the child

Proper Discipline in Your Outpost
We’ve all experienced one boy in our group who is just out of control. His actions disrupts the entire night and the meeting seems like a total failure. What do we do? This seminar will help leaders with practical methods of proper classroom discipline. Learn to control the classroom rather than the classroom controlling you!

Ranger Kids (RK) Activities
Each age group within Royal Rangers meet the unique needs found in the boys in those groups. Learning how to plan for those specific needs will bring you greater success in your outpost group. In this session, learn about the types of activities boys in Ranger Kids can do outside of the outpost meeting and how to plan them.

Using Girls Ministries Curriculum to Communicate
The key to curriculum in knowing how to use it. NGM Leadership Development Coordinator, Jen Whalen, will help you identify key elements and resources that can enhance your club time.

Developing a Missional Lifestyle
Penn-Del District GM Director, Sharon Poole, will discuss practical ways to empower girls of all ages with the passionate heart of our Lord to reach others for Him.

*These sessions are designed to benefit both Girls Ministries and Royal Ranger leaders.
Saturday, January 19

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All Saturday only sessions are free of charge with registration.

*These Seminars are relevant to both Ranger and GM Leaders

**UNIFORM/DRESS**

Although a dress code is not required, leaders are recommended to wear Royal Rangers or Girls Ministries attire (casual) during the conference. If you don’t have these items, come anyway and dress business casual. We will have a good stock of Ranger and GM items available in the conference store.
World Class Outpost Seminar

World Class Outpost Seminar is a day and a half training event designed to expose the outpost leadership team to a successful set of practices, methods, strategies, and tools that will enable them to develop into a World Class Outpost. The greatest benefit of this event is achieved when the outpost/church leadership attends and completes this event together as a team. This year, we are offering this seminar to our fellow Girls Ministries leaders with special breakaway sessions designed specifically for Girls Ministries Clubs.

Other areas of focus include:

- Spiritual Foundations of Leadership
- Leadership & Teamwork
- Relationships
- Communications
- Motivational Gifts
- Personality Types
- World Class by Design
- Outpost/Club Assessment
- Outpost/Club Strategic Ministry Plan
- Using Curriculum to Communicate (Girls Ministries)
- Leading Like Daniel (GM)
- Group and Individual exercises
- Evaluation & Adjustment
- Personality Survey
- Motivational Gifts Survey

Ministry Leaders - YOU are responsible for building World Class Outposts and Clubs where leaders will evangelize, equip, and empower the next generation of Christlike men and women.

Registration for this class must be done through the national office: http://royalrangers.com/training/events. Leaders will also need to register for EMPOWER19. A conference registration discount of $25 will be given to all those attending WCO. Please use “WCO19” on the online registration. WCO registration is Friday morning from 7-8:30am. This seminar runs all day Friday and in the afternoon on Saturday. You must attend all sessions to complete the seminar.

For the consideration of all, children are not permitted in the education or general sessions. Unfortunately, due to lack of interest in the past years, kids programming will not be provided this year.
**OPENING NIGHT RECEPTION**

The Opening Night Reception will be a fun-filled evening. Relationships are so important when it comes to ministry, so join us for a night of FELLOWSHIP, FUN, and SWEETS! Dessert will be provided for this awesome party, and many surprises are in store. You won’t want to miss this amazing time together.

**EXHIBITS & VENDORS**

There will be a supply of Royal Rangers and Girls Ministries items for sale from MyHealthyChurch to help you resource your ministry. In addition, other vendors will have items for display and sale. This will be a great opportunity to save shipping costs! Districts/Networks and other great organizations will have exhibits as well.

**REGIONAL AUCTION**

The regional auction is one of the ways of raising funds for missions projects sponsored by the region.

This year, the money will be divided between the BGMC Master’s Toolbox Project *Nepali Translation for Royal Rangers Curriculum* and the BGMC Coin’s for Kids 2019 Project.

For more information, head over to the [BGMC Mater’s Toolbox website](#) or the [BGMC Coin’s for Kids website](#). Let’s continue to make a great contribution to BGMC. There will be a variety of incredible items available at the auction. Donations for the auction are encouraged and accepted. Districts will once again be competing for the gavel award, the most creative auction item.

Contact [brian@northeastregion.org](mailto:brian@northeastregion.org) with questions.
The Northeast Region has been given a **Special Rate** at the Red Lion Hotel Harrisburg Hershey for $84 per night + tax per room. This rate is for single, double, triple or quad occupancy. **In order to guarantee the Special Rate room discount, you must make reservations by Thursday, January 3, 2019.** To reserve a room, please click on the following website **Red Lion Hotel.** Or call 717-939-7841 and mention group “Northeast Royal Rangers or group code NORT0117.” Please note: check in is at 4:00 PM. Early check in may be requested, however, it is not guaranteed by the hotel.

There will be several options for meals at the Conference. In addition to room service meals, the on-site restaurant “Season’s” serves a wide variety of American Cuisine. There are also several local restaurants and fast-food establishments nearby, including Chick-fil-A, Friendly’s, Chilis, Moe’s SW Grill, Bob Evans, Five Guys, and much more!

**AMENITIES**
- Free Wi-Fi & Internet throughout
- Indoor Pool & Health Center
- Two Queen-sized beds in standard rooms
- 32-inch flat panel TV in each room
- Coffee maker, hairdryer, iron
- Smoke-free

**NEARBY ATTRACTIONS**
- Harrisburg Mall w/Bass Pro Shops
- Hershey Chocolate Factory
- Hershey Outlets
- Whitaker Center for Science & Arts
- National Civil War Museum

**DIRECTIONS**
Red Lion Inn Harrisburg Hershey is located at 4751 Lindle Road, Harrisburg, PA 17111. For detailed directions, please see the hotel website at [www.redlion.com/harrisburg/maps](http://www.redlion.com/harrisburg/maps)
EMPOWER 19 Registration Form
Northeast Region Leaders Conference

Pre-Registration is "STRONGLY" recommended due to limited space in education sessions. Pre-Registration deadline is January 3, 2019. Walk-ins are welcome however education sessions may not be available. REGISTER ONLINE @ www.northeastregion.org or tinyurl.com/empower19nerr

The following information is required. PRINT CLEARLY AND LEGIBLY. Questions regarding this form may be emailed to: marcos@northeastregion.org

Name: ___________________________ Spouse: (use separate form if taking education sessions)
Address: ___________________________ Age: _____ Phone: (_____) _______-
City: __________________ State: ___________ Zip: ___________
Outpost: ___________________ District: ___________ Email: ________________

SECTION 1 - REGISTRATION FEES
(Note: Registration Fees are non-refundable)

☐ Check here if registration includes spouse who is not attending seminars - $15
☐ Individual Reg Postmarked BY 1/3/2019 - $50/Chartered RR and all GM Leaders
☐ Individual Reg Postmarked BY 1/3/2019 - $60/Non Chartered
☐ Standard Reg & Walk-in Postmarked AFTER 1/3/2019 - $60/Chartered RR and all GM
☐ Standard Reg & Walk-in Postmarked AFTER 1/3/2019 - $75/Non Chartered
☐ Junior Leaders (AR/ER) - $25/Chartered
☐ Junior Leaders (AR/ER) - $30/Non Chartered

SECTION 2 – EDUCATION SESSIONS (ADULTS)

FRIDAY SEMINARS: (Note: Fee for sessions are non-refundable and must be paid in full WITH registration fee)

☐ First Aid/CPR/AED @ $45.00
☐ WCO *(register @ www.royalrangers.com)
☐ Momentum Bronze @ $15.00
☐ Momentum Silver @ $15.00
☐ Training Academy @ $30.00
☐ Using GM Curriculum (S1)
☐ Heart of a Leader* (S2)
☐ Developing a Missional Lifestyle (GM) (S3)
☐ Maximizing Ranger Staff (S1)
☐ Maximizing Ranger Staff (S2)
☐ Discipline in the Outpost (S1)
☐ Ministry to the Whole Child* (S2)
☐ Ministry to the Whole Child* (S3)
☐ Ranger Kids Activities (S1-S3)
*Session is designed for both GM and Ranger Leaders
☐ Jr. Comdt.
☐ Sr. Comdr.
☐ District Dir.
☐ NE Region mail/email
☐ GM Leader
☐ NE Region Website/FB
☐ Other ________________________________

SATURDAY EDUCATION SESSION: (Saturday Sessions are included in registration fee, please select one education session per block)

☐ Using GM Curriculum (S1)
☐ Heart of a Leader* (S2)
☐ Developing a Missional Lifestyle (GM) (S3)
☐ Maximizing Ranger Staff (S1)
☐ Maximizing Ranger Staff (S2)
☐ Discipline in the Outpost (S1)
☐ Ministry to the Whole Child* (S2)
☐ Ministry to the Whole Child* (S3)
☐ Ranger Kids Activities (S1-S3)

By registering, I hereby grant to the Northeast Region Royal Rangers the right and permission to copyright and/or use, reuse, publish and/or republish photographic or video images or pictures of those being registered taken during any sanctioned event of the Northeast Region Royal Rangers for advertising and/or promotional purposes. I hereby release, discharge, and agree to hold harmless the Northeast Region Royal Rangers from any liability resulting from use of the above-mentioned photography, videos, or use of my name. I understand that I will have no control over the manner of use of materials produced and hereby waive any right to preapprove or inspect materials prior to distribution.

REGISTRATION COSTS SUMMARY

1. Section 1 Fee $________________ (Registration)*
2. Sum of Section 2 Fees $________________ (Education Sessions & Activities)
3. Discounts $________________ (Discounts – see below)
4. TOTAL DUE $________________ (Add Lines 1, 2, & 3) Mail in this total with registration form

OR REGISTER ONLINE @ tinyurl.com/empower19nerr

☐ *Royal Rangers Alumni (RRA) members are eligible for a 20% ($10.00) discount off registration fee
☐ *GM & RR Leaders that register for WCO thru www.royalrangers.com will receive a $25 discount off Conference Registration. Use "WCO19" discount code on EMPOWER19 online registration

Make Checks Payable to: Northeast Region Royal Rangers
Mail completed registration form with payment to: NE Regional Royal Rangers
210 Laurel Street., Vineland, NJ 08360

BY 1/3/2019
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EMPOWER 19 - Northeast Region Leaders Conference
Permission Slip, Medical Release, and Model Release Form for Junior Leaders (AR/ER)

Name: ___________________________ Date of Birth: ___________________________
Father's Name: ___________________________ Daytime Phone: ___________________________
Mother's Name: ___________________________ Daytime Phone: ___________________________
Address: ___________________________ City: __________ Zip: __________

Church Name: ___________________________ Outpost #: ___________________________
Church City/State: ___________________________ District: ___________________________
Name of Adult you are attending Conference with: ___________________________
Adult's Phone Number (cell preferred): ___________________________

Activities Consents
I am the parent or guardian of the above-named minor who is attending EMPOWER 19, the 2019 Northeast Region Leaders Conference, in Harrisburg, PA on Jan. 18-19, 2019. I understand that my son's activities at the Conference or off-site may include (but are not limited to) swimming, exercise room, seminars and workshops, and more. Unless otherwise noted on this form, my son has permission to take part in any and all sanctioned activities of the Conference for the Jr. Leaders. This includes, but is not limited to transportation to and from activities, as well as participation in the activities. I will hold harmless the Northeast Region Royal Rangers, the National Royal Rangers Ministry, the General Council of the Assemblies of God, Red Lion Hotel Harrisburg Hershey, and any and all leaders/adults responsible for these activities for any unforeseen accidents or injuries. Please list all activities that you do NOT consent to in the space below:

Model Release
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Medical Authorization and Consents
I, ___________________________, from ____________________________, the parent/guardian
of ___________________________, a minor who is attending EMPOWER 19 do hereby give
(Ranger’s Name)
consent beforehand (in the event that all reasonable attempts to contact me and/or
(Emergency Contact Name), (Emergency Contact Phone #) have been unsuccessful)
for the administration of any treatment deemed necessary by a licensed medical professional. I understand that my personal insurance is the primary insurance to be billed in the event of an accident or injury.

Please list any medical issues and/or drug allergies here: ___________________________

Parent’s or Legal Guardian’s Signature ___________________________ Date ___________________________