



Lourie Chrysalis

INFORMATION FORM -2019



WHAT IS CHRYSALIS?

Before it becomes a butterfly, a caterpillar goes through a growth stage during which it is called a “chrysalis”. On the surface it may not look like much is happening but the delicate chrysalis process changes the fuzzy caterpillar into an awesome butterfly with wings of intricate designs and intense colours. The chrysalis process symbolizes how Christ can transform you into something beyond your dreams. It happens when you grow beyond yourself, opening your life to Jesus’ power and love.

Chrysalis is the name that was chosen for the youth/young adult version of the Walk to Emmaus, its parent movement. The Emmaus movement is based on the story of the two followers who encountered the risen Christ on the road to Emmaus in Luke 24 : 13 -35.

A Chrysalis Flight / Journey is a three day spiritual renewal event, which provides participants with an opportunity to grow in their faith. It is a time to experience Christian love and make new commitments. The focus will be on how, through the prayers and actions of other Christians, one can experience Jesus as a friend. The point is to inspire, challenge and equip you for a closer friendship with Christ and for Christian action at home, church, school and community.

WHAT HAPPENS AT CHRYSALIS?

You’ll spend three days with other people in worship, prayer, fellowship, creative expression, recreation, singing and discussion. You’ll experience the love of God through prayers and the acts of service from a loving support community. Think of it as three days for you to discover or re-discover your spiritual self, to analyze and realize who you are in Christ. You’ll hear talks that focus on the needs of maturing youth and young adults, the message of the gospel and the love and example of Jesus Christ. Each day speakers present topics with life examples, followed by discussion, reflection and creative expression of how these messages can encourage your personal faith.

WHAT IS THE PURPOSE?

The purpose of Chrysalis is commitment to Jesus Christ through the local church. Chrysalis will inspire, challenge, and equip local church youth for a closer friendship with Christ. It will also encourage Christian action at home, school, university and in the community.

In order to achieve its purpose, Chrysalis offers specific opportunities after the weekend. As part of a larger community these include:

- Regular gatherings for fellowship and worship
- Meetings to maintain spiritual accountability
- Training to participate in future Chrysalis or Emmaus events

WHO SHOULD GO ON A CHRYSALIS FLIGHT?

Chrysalis is for the development of Christian youth and young adults, of any denomination, between the ages of 16 and 22. It is for those who wish to strengthen their friendship with Jesus Christ, may have unanswered questions about their faith, understand that being a Christian involves responsibility, are open to dedicating their everyday life to God.

HOW TO APPLY FOR A CHRYSALIS FLIGHT?

The attached form needs to be completed by:

1. The Applicant
2. The Spiritual sponsor. This is someone who has attended a Chrysalis Flight/Journey or Walk to Emmaus and who will undertake to explain the weekend as well as pray for the participant and assist in practical requirements.
3. The Applicant’s own Minister or Pastor, must complete and sign the application form, as the applicant is under submission to the home church (if the Minister or Pastor requires more details, the Chrysalis Spiritual Director can be contacted).

The SPIRITUAL SPONSOR then needs to email the completed form to: registrar@emmauslourie.co.za.

Your application will be prayerfully considered and you will be informed of your acceptance. In the event of cancellation or query, please contact the Registrar.

COST OF THE WEEKEND

The Flight/Journey fees for 2019: **R990**
 Payment can be made by deposit/EFT into the following bank account:
 Lourie Emmaus Community
 Standard Bank, Nelspruit
 Account No.: 33-067-458-7
 Branch code: 052-852
 Reference: Name and surname & Flight No.

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT

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INFORMATION FORM -2019

I WOULD LIKE TO ATTEND THIS YEARS FLIGHT @ PENRYN COLLEGE	DATES	TICK
Young Men's Flight/Journey #33	5 – 7 JULY 2019	
Young Girl's Flight/Journey #34	5 – 7 JULY 2019	

Please scan & send your completed form to The Registrar via E-mail: registrar@emmauslourie.co.za. **CLOSING DATES: 24 JUNE 2019**

TO BE COMPLETED BY THE APPLICANT

Preferred Name & Surname:				ID No.:		
Email address						
Home Tel No		Cell No		Facebook	Yes	No
Date of birth		Age		Gender	M	F
School/College/University/Working				Grade/Year		
Church attended						
Briefly state your current church involvement & ministry areas						
Why do you wish to attend Chrysalis						
Please specify any conditions that might affect your Chrysalis Flight i.e. health, concerns, handicaps, medication or dietary requirements etc.						
Signature of applicant				Date		
Signature of parent / guardian (if applicant is under 18)				Date		
Full name of parent / guardian (if applicant is under 18)						
Contact details of parent / guardian						
Medical Aid Plan:				Medical Aid Number:		
Doctor Contact No.				Emergency Contact No.		

Chrysalis or any associated organization does not take any responsibility for any loss or injury during the weekend

CONTACT PEOPLE CLOSE TO YOU

During the Chrysalis weekend it may be necessary to contact someone close to you. Please give us the contact details of family or friends.

	Name & Surname	Contact Number	Email address
1			
2			

TO BE COMPLETED BY THE MINISTER, PASTOR OR PRIEST

I support the application to attend a Chrysalis Flight/Journey

Full Name		Church	
Email address		Cell Phone No	
Signature		Date	

TO BE COMPLETED BY THE SPIRITUAL SPONSOR

I accept the commitment explained in the Spiritual Sponsor Information Form

Full Name		Church	
Email address		Telephone No	
Postal address		Cell Phone No	
Are you serving on team this weekend	YES	NO	Have you sponsored anyone before
			YES
			NO
Signature		Date	

PLEASE NOTE THIS INFORMATION IS FOR THE SPIRITUAL SPONSOR ONLY NOT TO BE GIVEN TO THE CATERPILLAR.
PLEASE COMPLETE PAGE 4 AND RETURN WITH APPLICATION FORM.

WHAT IS A SPONSORSHIP?

Each young person who attends Chrysalis has a "SPIRITUAL SPONSOR" who supports and encourages him/her before, during and after the Chrysalis experience. Sponsorship does not require paying for the participants, but rather ensuring that they derive spiritual benefit from the Flight or Journey.

Sponsorship is the way in which the Chrysalis experience is passed on from person to person, reflecting the manner in which God purposefully reaches out to people through other people. After a Chrysalis weekend, participants want to share the gift of those three days with others. Sponsorship provides them a caring and disciplined way for them to share. And in doing so, sponsors participate in and demonstrate God's outreaching love.

WHY IS SPIRITUAL SPONSORSHIP SO IMPORTANT?

Sponsorship is taken for granted in many communities. The assumption is that everyone knows the how and why of sponsorship. Sometimes sponsorship is only discussed with reference to the number of participants signed up for a Chrysalis weekend. Sponsorship, however, is the most important job in the Chrysalis movement. It is a job shared by the adults who have been through Emmaus and the young people who have been through Chrysalis. It is more than simply "signing youth up". The importance of a Chrysalis Community being educated about good sponsorship cannot be overemphasized. The quality of sponsorship impacts the new participants, the health of the Chrysalis Movement in an area, and the churches being affected by Chrysalis. Sponsorship is integral to some of the unique features and strengths of Chrysalis – a discerning approach to recruitment, personal agape and prayer for the caterpillar, plus the sponsor's presence at sponsor's hour, send off, candlelight, closing and getting the butterfly involved in a reunion/accountability group. Wise sponsorship assists Chrysalis in making the three days an act of relevant and appropriate sacrificial love from the beginning to the end.

WHO CAN BE A SPIRITUAL SPONSOR?

A "Spiritual Sponsor" can be anyone who has attended a Chrysalis Flight/Journey or a Walk to Emmaus, who is NOT serving on the same Flight/Journey that the participant will be attending. Exceptional cases will be considered by the Board, and a Co-Sponsor will then be needed.

WHAT DO I DO AS A SPIRITUAL SPONSOR?

Being a Spiritual Sponsor means a commitment to the person that you consider sponsoring on the Flight/Journey.

It involves the following:

- 1) Prayerful selection of applicants in consultation with the sponsor's accountability group and the applicant's minister or pastor.
- 2) Support for the Flight/Journey before, during and after.

This includes the following:

- Praying for the applicant before, during and after the Flight/Journey (this includes taking a prayer slot on the 72 hour prayer schedule)
- Explaining the Flight/Journey to the candidate and his/her family before submitting this application form.
- Discuss the Flight/Journey with his/her family/friends for appropriate support and encouragement and care for them over the period of the Flight/Journey.
- Arrange transport to and from the Flight/Journey venue.
- Participate in activities that make the Flight/Journey a special blessing.
- Help the applicant attend follow-up activities after the Flight/Journey.

PRACTICAL STEPS TO FOLLOW ONCE APPLICANTS HAVE BEEN PRAYERFULLY CONSIDERED

- 1) Make sure that application form is FULLY COMPLETED AND SIGNED.
- 2) Make sure that you have FULLY COMPLETED the SPIRITUAL SPONSORSHIP CHECKLIST (See page 4 of this application), and send it in with the application form.

FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CONTACT

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I WOULD LIKE TO SPIRITUALLY SPONSOR A CATERPILLAR TO ATTEND ONE OF THIS YEAR'S FLIGHTS/JOURNEY

NAME OF CATERPILLAR YOU ARE SPONSORING:		Young Men's Flight/Journey #33 5-7 JULY 2019
		Young Girl's Flight/Journey #34 5 – 7 JULY 2019

To be completed by the SPIRITUAL SPONSOR and sent with the application form to the Registrar via E-mail: registrar@emmauslourie.co.za

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- 1) A Caterpillar's attendance at a Flight/Journey needs to be prayerfully considered and is dependent on you as a sponsor fulfilling your obligations.
- 2) Please read the following checklist and initial next to each responsibility to indicate that this sponsorship has been approached appropriately.
- 3) This form MUST be returned with the Caterpillar's application form before the Registrar will consider the application.

SPONSORSHIP CHECKLIST

1) I have prayerfully considered this Caterpillar's suitability and readiness for Chrysalis	
2) The Caterpillar is currently committed to or involved in the church	
3) I have approached the Caterpillar's minister or pastor who indicates his/her support	
4) I have explained the Chrysalis programme and the financial implication to the Caterpillar	
5) I have taken a prayer slot/s on the weekend 72-hour prayer schedule	
6) I have organized and will collect agape letters for the Caterpillar. No presents, flowers or large items please	
7) I am aware of my commitment to my Caterpillar over the weekend: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - I have arranged to take my Caterpillar to Penryn College, Nelspruit on the Friday morning - I will attend Sponsor's hour, pray for my Caterpillar and attend send-off - I will attend Candlelight - I will attend the Closing Ceremony - I will collect my Caterpillar on the Sunday after closing 	
8) Which Accountability/Reunion Group will you encourage your caterpillar to join? (Name of Group)	
9) I will accompany my Caterpillar to attend future gatherings/social events with me as per dates provided	
10) I will encourage my Caterpillar to follow through on new commitments	
11) I will encourage my Caterpillar to serve the Chrysalis community (and future Flights/Journeys)	
12) I will help my Caterpillar sponsor others	
13) I will continue to pray for my Caterpillar	

SPIRITUAL SPONSOR DETAILS

I accept the commitment explained in the Spiritual Sponsor Information Form

Full Name		Church	
Email address		Tel No.	
Signature		Date	

CO-SPIRITUAL SPONSOR DETAILS

I accept the commitment explained in the Spiritual Sponsor Information Form

Full Name		Church	
Email address		Tel No.	
Signature		Date	