



## 2010 CONTRACT

Each church attending Snow Daze 2010 is asked to estimate how many students they anticipate coming, and how many students they are willing to guarantee to come. The anticipated number will be used only for estimating how quickly we will meet our capacity. The guaranteed number should be a lower number that your church will have no problem being financially responsible to meet.

Please do remember this is a first-come-first-served situation. No one is guaranteed a spot until the contract is mailed in and you receive confirmation. E-mail your basic registration information (name, gender and shirt size) in as you receive them but understand that ALL basic registration information (name, gender and shirt size) is due by January 11. If you send any registrations in after January 12 but before January 19 they will be accepted if there is room but there will be an additional charge of \$20.00 and that student is not guaranteed a shirt. After January 19, registrations will be accepted only if there is room at the camp. A registration form will be needed for each leader as well.

Please do not sign this contract unless you fully understand that you will be **financially responsible** for the **guaranteed number** to which you commit. Please fill in the two lines below and sign at the bottom. Mail in this contract after filling it out to: **CMA Snow Daze Attn: Bob Long, 14955 El Vista, Oak Forest, IL 60452**

**This contract must be mailed in on or before December 17, 2009.**

**All registrations and \$135 per person is due before January 19, 2010.**

After January 19, registrations and \$155 due by January 26, 2010.

Anticipated Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Guaranteed Number (financially responsible for): \_\_\_\_\_

Group Coordinator's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Church Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## INFO FOR MIDDLE SCHOOL LEADERS:

**When:** Friday, January 29 at 7 p.m. through Sunday, January 31, 2010 at 2 p.m.

**Where:** Lake Geneva Youth Camp and Conference Center, which is just across the Illinois border in Wisconsin

**Who:** Students in grades six through eight and their adult sponsors / counselors

**What:** Snow Daze is a Converge MidAmerica Middle School Retreat. We have assembled a group of youth pastors from the suburbs of Chicago and combined their gifts and talents to offer a great winter retreat experience to all MidAmerica churches. We would love to have you join this year. This winter retreat will challenge students to have a deeper relationship with Christ. Our goal is to see students' faith challenged and changed through Biblical teaching, worship, and more fun than you can put on paper.

**Cost:** \$135.00 if group payment mailed before January 19  
\$155.00 if group payment mailed after January 19

**Signing-Up A Group:** Read over the *contract* above very carefully. Every group needs to mail in this contract after filling it out. After you send your contract in you will receive a confirmation with a schedule and other important information about the weekend.

**Registration:** Reproducible forms are included. Each student and leader in your group needs to fill one out. The group coordinator is responsible for making sure they are completely and correctly filled out. **Please e-mail names, genders and shirt sizes to [realbobbob@gmail.com](mailto:realbobbob@gmail.com), before January 11 to ensure correct shirt/hoodie sizes.** You may hold onto the registration forms and hand them in when you arrive at camp. **Make checks out to: Converge MidAmerica.**

**More Information:** Contact Bob Long at [realbobbob@gmail.com](mailto:realbobbob@gmail.com) or through <http://www.midwestbap.org/ngi>



# Contract & Information from Bob Long

Director of Student Ministries for Converge MidAmerica



CONVERGE MIDAMERICA MIDDLE SCHOOL WINTER RETREAT

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## SPEAKER, WORSHIP & THEME:



Heather Flies, Junior High Pastor at Wooddale Church in Minneapolis and a trainer for Youth Specialties, is our speaker for the weekend. Since 1991, Heather's high energy and passion for life have allowed her to minister effectively to middle school students at such a vital time in their lives. She has co-authored "Help! I'm a Woman in Youth Ministry" and "Great Talk Outlines 2." Her first book, "I Want to Talk with My Teen about Girl Stuff" has been published through Standard Publishing.



Heather loves football, NASCAR racing, country music, nail polish (she owns 179 bottles!), and wearing one of her 98 pair of shorts during Minnesota winters. She is the daughter of a long distance truck driver and the youngest of six children. She and her husband, Chad, live in Eden Prairie, MN. During Snow Daze, Heather will explore the theme "Friendrelationships"—how we can have better relationships with our friends, our parents, and especially our God.



Josh and Rachel Weaver will be leading us in worship for the weekend. Josh is the worship director at Pathway Community Church in Elmhurst, IL. Josh and Rachel have been leading groups in worship at retreats, conferences, and camps for over five years. He enjoys writing songs and sharing his music with others, leading worship, hanging out with his wife, recording, playing xbox 360, reading a good book and sitting down with a good cup of coffee.

