

# **Christian Tall Ship Ministries**

Bellingham, Washington

## ***Program Outline***

### **Mission Statement:**

To provide an opportunity for young men to experience the unconditional love and guidance of Jesus Christ through discipleship, devotion, study, worship, prayer, and encounters on the open sea in hopes of inspiring in these young men a greater sense of self respect, self worth, and accomplishment, thus equipping them to excel in their personal walk with our LORD and Savior, Jesus Christ.

### **Target:**

- Junior High and Senior High (12 to 18 years of age) students across the country
- Youth on the edge of dropping out
- Youth submersed in, or on the verge of, crises

### **Leadership:**

#### ***Crew Manifest Outline:***

Expected capacity of 24 people for overnight voyages:

- Crew of 12
  - 6 Professional- Crew hired with professional experience.
  - 6 Volunteer- Students from previous voyages.

#### ***Shore Side Support:***

Expected shore side administrative support of 5 needed.

- Office of Administration

***Shore side functions:***

- Family contact
- Organization of schedule
- Booking for student program and family sail

***Leadership Training:***

- Purpose
- Topics

**Program Structure:**

- 3 week term
  - 3 days at dock
  - 5 days at sea
  - 5 days camping on local island (Possible Mission Portion)
  - 5 days at sea
  - 3 days at dock

**Annual Budget:**

\$77,240 Including moorage, fuel, food and insurance (All volunteer work)

**Resources:**

- 200-ton Brigantine
- 150' Dock/Slip (power/water)
- Gear/tools/supplies
- Blankets, pillows, t-shirts, books, and ed supplies