

Lycées Français Games

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Building on the success of the first Inter-Lycées Games in June 2008, the Lycée Français de Chicago is again hosting and organizing the 2009 Lycées Français Games, an athletic competition between numerous French schools in the United States, Canada, and Mexico. We hope that this unique sporting and cultural event will become a tradition and will show what can be accomplished through true collaboration between schools. The Lycée Français de Chicago and the French community in Chicago wish to show their enthusiastic support for the city's bid for the 2016 Olympic Games.

The Lycées Games will take place from June 8 – 11, 2009 in the Lycée's gymnasium, Recreation Drive Park, and Montrose beach. This competitive event will include team sports, track and field, racket sports, acrobatics, swimming, and kayaking on the lake. The Games will open and close with official ceremonies. This large-scale sporting event will be known to the entire French community in North America, as most of the French schools in the major cities have expressed interest in participating. They include Lycée Français de Chicago, Lycée International de Los Angeles, Lycée Français de New York, Lyceum Kennedy in New York, Lycée Français La Pérouse in San Francisco, Lycée Rochambeau de Washington, Collège Marie de France and Lycée Stanislas in Montréal, Lycée Français de Toronto, Lycée Claudel in Ottawa, Lycée Pasteur in Calgary, and Lycée Franco-Mexicain de Mexico.

Each participating school will bring a team of 20 students. More than 300 participants and family members will be directly involved in the Games. Beyond these participants, however, the Games will touch and inspire all students and their families from all participating schools.

We believe that the Games will be extremely well received by the public and the media and that this success will establish the Games as the “not to be missed” sporting event for all French schools in North America. The event will promote sportsmanship and school values, such as commitment, challenging oneself, fraternity, team spirit, respect for others and for the rules of sport, fair play, and solidarity. We are asking our partners to join us in sharing these values and the belief in excellence in education for our young people.

Partners and sponsors of the Lycées Français Games will participate in festivities and will benefit from visibility in all aspects of the competitive event, including banners, t-shirts, magazines, press, websites, and programs.

The Lycée Français Games Committee



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GOALS

Perpetuate the success of the 2008 event.

Provide students of various French schools in North America with the opportunity to participate in a unique social, athletic and cultural experience.

Open up new sporting horizons for our schools, following the model of major American schools.

Show parents, students and the educational community that a network of Lycées exists and is able to develop ambitious projects for its students.

Develop contacts and facilitate exchanges among students of the participating schools.

Turn this event into a yearly rendezvous that will help reinforce the ties between French schools as well as facilitate relationships between parents, teachers and students.

Promote our schools and improve their public image through media coverage of the event: monthly magazines like France-Amérique or the local press may cover this event.

Showcase this event as a way for the school to support and associate itself with the city of Chicago's 2016 Olympic bid, and work to gather the support of city administration and community sponsors.



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EVENT ORGANIZATION

PARTICIPATING SCHOOLS:

Lycée Français de Chicago
LILA, Los Angeles
Lycée Français de New York
Lycéum Kennedy, New York
Lycée Français Lapérouse, San Francisco
Lycée Français de Toronto
Lycée Rochambeau, Washington
Collège Marie de France, Montreal
Collège Stanislas, Montreal
Lycée Franco-mexicain, Mexico City
Lycée Paul Claudel, Ottawa
Lycée Louis Pasteur, Calgary

DATES:

Monday, June 8, 2009
Tuesday, June 9, 2009
Wednesday, June 10, 2009
Thursday, June 11, 2009

LOCATION:

The games will take place at three (3) sites: The campus of Lycée Français de Chicago, Montrose Beach, and the playing fields of the Chicago Park District in Lincoln Park.

PARTICIPANTS:

Mixed teams of 20 students per school chosen among 8th graders, with the possibility to enroll students from grades 6 and 7.

HOUSING:

Participating students from visiting schools will be housed by Lycée families, starting Sunday evening. Teachers from visiting schools will be housed by their Chicago colleagues.



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EVENTS:

Mascot contest:

Each school's students will create their own mascot to be judged by students from other schools.

Sporting events include:

Team Sport Events:

Basketball, Beach Volleyball, Soccer, Baseball, Football, Sandball

Track and Field Events:

Sprint and middle distance races, throwing and jumping

Tennis

Badminton

Table Tennis

Acrobatic Gymnastics

Kayaking

Swimming



EVENT ORGANIZATION

SCHEDULE:

| | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY |
|------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------|---------------------------------------|
| MORNING | | | | |
| Indoor | Opening Ceremony Basketball (Boys) | Badminton Table Tennis | Basketball (Girls) | |
| Outdoor | Tennis Track & Field | Swimming Soccer | Flag Football | Kayak Beach Volleyball Sandball |
| | LUNCH | LUNCH | LUNCH | LUNCH |
| AFTERNOON | | | | |
| Indoor | Basketball (Boys) | Acrobatic Gymnastics | Basketball (Girls) | Closing Ceremony |
| Outdoor | Track & Field | Soccer | Track & Field | |

Tuesday Dinner: “Dancing/pizza party” at the gymnasium from 7:00 to 10:00 p.m. and return to host families.



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RULES AND REFEREEING:

Participating students waiting for their turn to compete will be asked to judge/referee their peers' performance under adult supervision. Head-judges will receive marks.

The number of students per Lycée team varies according to the sport.

Each event is organized as a mini championship with teams earning points according to their ranking in each championship.

The team with the most points at the end of all events will be declared the Games winner.

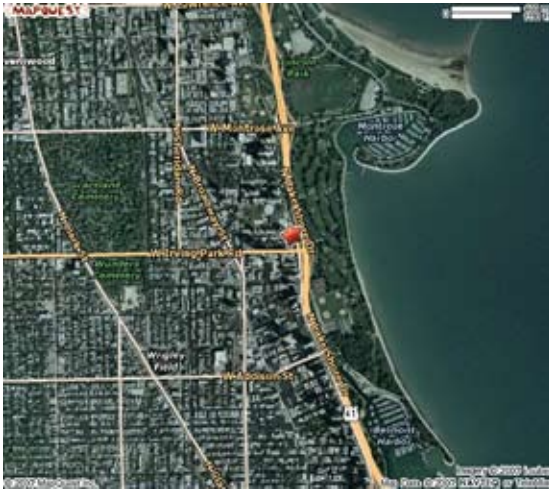
Each participating student will receive a t-shirt, a medal and a certificate, a trophy will be awarded to all participating schools.

The winning school will earn the right to organize next year's games. Should the winning school decide to forfeit this right, Chicago could organize it a third year in a row.



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FACILITIES



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Lycée Français de Chicago



Lincoln Park Tennis Courts



Lincoln Park (4 baseball fields)



LFC's Gymnasium



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2008 EDITION

DATE:

June 2 - 4, 2008

LOCATION:

Lycée Français of Chicago

SCHOOLS PARTICIPATING:

Nine schools: Chicago, New York, Los Angeles, Washington, Montreal, San Francisco and Mexico. More than 200 students from all over North America were welcomed by Lycée families.

TOURNAMENTS:

Basketball, flag football, baseball, soccer, beach volleyball, tennis, badminton, table tennis, track & field, aerobic gymnastics and regatta.

MEDIA COVERAGE AND PARTNERS:

CLTV, France-Amérique magazine, Chicago 2016 and the Chicago Park District.

SPONSORS:

Evian, United Airlines, Arcelor-Mittal, DreyfusCommodities, Veolia, Quaker, Language Stars, Lecture de France, MikaPhoto, France-Amérique, Otherwise Incorporated.





FINANCING

Each school is responsible for financing:

Transportation to LFC.
Cold lunch (estimated at \$5 per student / per day).

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| Special Event Permit | \$ 350 x4 | \$ 1,400 |
| Softball Fields | \$ 240 x 4 | \$ 960 |
| Tennis Courts | \$ 60 x 4 | \$ 240 |
| Trophies & Medals | | |
| - Trophy | | \$ 1,500 |
| - Medals | | \$ 700 |
| T-Shirts | \$ 6 x 350 | \$ 2,100 |
| Banner for Event Programs | | \$ 200 |
| | | \$ 2,000 |
| Wristbands for Athletes | | \$ 100 |
| Event Material | | |
| Tent | | \$ 600 |
| Chairs | | \$ 90 |
| Tables | | \$ 60 |
| Audio | | \$ 475 |
| Delivery | | \$ 116 |
| Water, Lunches, Snacks, Pizzas... | | \$ 7,000 |
| Kayak | | \$ 2,000 |
| Beach Volleyball | | \$ 1,000 |
| TOTAL | | \$ 20,747 |



EVENT SPONSORSHIP

The Lycée Français de Chicago provides potential partners and sponsors with the opportunity to invest in an ambitious educational project, and to join our school in supporting the city's bid for the 2016 Olympic Games by contributing to an important sporting event.

Sponsors willing to associate their name to this event can elect to have their logo printed on various supports such as posters, t-shirts, etc. The names of our sponsors and partners will also be published on the Lycée's website and newsletter, as well as on the Official program of the event. Contributing companies will be invited to the school to talk to participants.

This Event benefits from the support of the General Consulate of France in Chicago that will also showcase the event on its website and magazine, along with the names of all sponsors and partners. Finally, the local press and bi-monthly magazine France-Amérique and TV channels will ensure the media coverage of the event.

With more than 300 participants representing many French schools, this event will be the talk of an important part of the French community in North America. Parents who send their children to French schools in North America include many potential clients in the United States and in Europe that will certainly notice and appreciate the involvement of our sponsors. By supporting this event, sponsors will improve their public image with the city, the parents and all the schools involved.



EVENT SPONSORSHIP

The Lycée Français de Chicago is looking for sponsors and partners interested in trading their financial and/or logistical support for a strong and visible presence during the entire event. The event will be covered by the media (newspapers, CBS, etc.)

Level: Logo presence:

- \$500 T-shirt, 1 billboard provided by the sponsor, official program
- \$1000 T-shirt, 3 billboards provided by the sponsor, official program, Lycée Français website, live announcement
- \$2000 T-shirt, 3 billboards provided by the sponsor, official program, Lycée Français website, live announcement, General Consulate of France website, billboard that will serve as background for all official photography

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