



# New Jersey AmeriCorps Bonner Leader Program

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## 2009-2010 Program Calendar

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### **AmeriCorps 101 Orientation for Community Partner Members** *September 1st, 2009*

Full-time and part-time community based NJ AmeriCorps Bonner Leaders who will be enrolled in the Fall are required to participate in a two hour AmeriCorps 101 Orientation on September 1st; location TBA.

### **Campus Program Orientations** *Throughout August and September 2009*

Every Campus Bonner Program is hosting a Bonner Orientation for students. For a full calendar of these Orientations please check out the Bonner Program Calendar on the NJBLP Wiki.

### **Democracy House Initiative Orientation** *September 18th - 19th, 2009 at TCNJ*

This year the three Community Colleges that participate in the NJ Bonner Leader Program will have a joint two day orientation at The College of New Jersey on September 18th and 19th.

### **Playground Build with KaBOOM!** *September 26th, 2009 at Princeton Family YMCA*

This event is not required for members, but we are hoping to send as many volunteers as possible!

### **New Jersey State Commission AmeriCorps Launch** *October 9th, 2009 at Rider University*

All full-time and 900 hr members are required to attend this event. College student members are required to attend unless they have class.

### **The NJBLP Summit and Make A Difference Day** *October 30-31, 2009 at the New Jersey School of Conservation, One Wapalanne Rd. Branchville, NJ 07826-5116*

This year, in place of the NJBLP Launch, we are hosting the NJBLP Summit, a two day conference of workshops about issues facing New Jersey and how Bonners are addressing these issues through service.

### **MLK Day of Service** *January 18, 2010*

More information about this event TBA, but all of your members are expected to attend. This is a "day on" of service for AmeriCorps members.

### **National Youth Service Day** *April 24, 2010*

This year, programs are expected to work with their respective youth programs to plan a service day for elementary or high-school students. More information about the timeline for this project is forthcoming.

### **BLP End of the Year Event** *April or May 2010*

All members and directors are encouraged to attend. AmeriCorps Members of Excellence will be awarded at this event.

### **AmeriCorps Week** *May 9th-15th, 2010*

*Events surrounding AmeriCorps Week TBA.*

**\*\*Full-time and 900hr members will also be expected to attend monthly training gatherings hosted by the Bonner Foundation.\*\***

**\*\*NJ State Commission may announce more required events, we will keep you informed.\*\***