

Seneca Waterways Council 2320 Brighton-Henrietta Town Line Road Rochester, NY 14607

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August 21, 2014 Dear Student,

Recently we were made aware of your interest in careers in **Veterinary Medicine.** We are pleased to invite you to participate in the Veterinary Medicine Explorer Program. This program is designed to inform you of the many opportunities available to students considering a career in animal health.

This program will offer sessions on many aspects of veterinary work, including:

- What goes on behind-the-scenes at a veterinary hospital
- Hands-on demonstrations and training with canine and feline CPR mannequins
- Guest speakers discussing a variety of animal care topics
- Field trips to community facilities, such as the Genesee Valley Equine Clinic
- Educational requirements to become a certified veterinary professional: Doctor of Veterinary Medicine (DVM) or Licensed Veterinary Technician (LVT)
- What are staff roles in a veterinary practice: DVM, LVT and Animal Care Assistant (ACA)

Students and their parents/guardians will be invited to an informational meeting to be held on:

Monday, September 15, 2014 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. Seneca Waterways Council Office 2320 Brighton-Henrietta Town Line Road Rochester, NY 14623



Program participation will be limited to 30 students. Once we reach the 30-student limit, all others will be placed on a waiting list. **Confirmation of your reservation from our office is required** for attendance at the program that evening. The program will provide you with an orientation to Exploring and a brief presentation of the Veterinary Medicine Explorer Program. Please bring a check in the amount of \$33 made out to "Exploring" to cover the registration fee.

To assure a place at this meeting, please email Keith Gomez at Keith.Gomez@scouting.org. If you don't have access to email, call Keith at 241-8558. Please leave your name, age of participant, phone number and that you are contacting him in reference to reserving a place for the Veterinary Medicine informational meeting. We look forward to meeting you on September 15th.

Sincerely,

Beth Zogby Rochester Hope for Pets

Keith Gomez Exploring Executive