**Background** — The First Tee and Auntie Anne’s have partnered to create an exciting event that combines leadership and entrepreneurship from Auntie Anne’s with The First Tee Life Skills Curriculum. During the three-day Forum, participants will attend interactive sessions covering career and community leadership from Auntie Anne’s executives and franchise partners. They will also learn about what it takes to work for Auntie Anne’s and spend time at Disney theme parks.

**Event Details**—The First Tee home office will fly up to 50 participants to Walt Disney World Resort in Orlando, Fla. All ground and air transportation (up to $400 for domestic and $1200 for international), lodging and meals will be provided for the duration of the program. Arrival day into Orlando is set for Thursday, October 16th and departure will be Sunday, October 19th. Participants will be housed at one of the Disney resorts. The First Tee home office will not reimburse any airline baggage fees. Students selected to participate will receive a completed event packet with travel instructions, code of conduct, release forms, dress code and event itinerary.

**Eligibility** — For participants of The First Tee to qualify to participate in the Auntie Anne’s Leaders & Entrepreneurs Forum, they must meet all of the following requirements:

* Classified as a high school sophomore, junior or senior as of the fall semester 2014
* Successfully completed Birdie certification requirements as of August 1, 2014
* Entered in The First Tee participant database by December 31, 2012
* Active in The First Tee database upon submittal of application
* Chapter must have signed their contract two years prior to application deadline in order to be eligible to submit applicants
* Chapters may submit a maximum of three participants
* Participants who attended the Auntie Anne’s Leaders & Entrepreneurs Forum in 2013 are not eligible to apply

**Receipt of Applications**—Applications MUST be sent directly from the chapter, with the Chapter Submission Form, to The First Tee home office contact person listed on page two. The First Tee will not accept correspondence from families of participants. The application must be **postmarked on or before August 1, 2014** and must include:

* Part I: Chapter Submission Form
* Part II: General & Participant Family Information (Forms A & B)
* Part III: Application (Essays and School & Community Activities Chart)
* Part IV: Chapter Participation Survey
* Part V: Completed and signed forms A & B

**NOTE:** The First Tee will not follow up on missing information, instead, standard deductions will be taken.

**Selection** — Each chapter may nominate up to three (3) participants for the Auntie Anne’s Leaders and Entrepreneurs Forum. The First Tee home office will collect all applications. The application form, student essay, School & Community Activities Chart, and Chapter Participation Survey will be distributed to the selection committee. The selection committee will be comprised of The First Tee chapter and home office staff and Auntie Anne’s personnel. Student essays will be judged on content and linkage to The First Tee Life Skills Curriculum. **The names of the 50 participants selected will be announced on September 3th** via email and *Impact Today.* Final selection will be at the discretion of the committee.

**Questions** — For questions regarding the Auntie Anne’s Leaders and Entrepreneurs Forum please contact Laura Díaz at The First Tee home office at ldiaz@thefirsttee.org or 904-940-4338.

**DO NOT MAIL THIS PAGE WITH APPLICATION!**

**Deadline: Applications Must Be Postmarked By August 1, 2014**

**Mail them to: The First Tee**

**DO NOT STAPLE APPLICATION!**

**Attn: Laura Diaz**

**425 South Legacy Trail**

**St. Augustine, Fla. 32092**

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| **Chapter contact Information** | |
| *This person will receive all event details if participants are selected* | |
| Name: | Position at Chapter: |
| Phone number: | E-mail: |
| The following form is to be completed by a chapter staff member. It must be returned to The First Tee home office by the chapter with the participant applications, postmarked by August 1, 2014.  Be sure each application contains the following items:   * Part I: Chapter Submission Form * Part II: General & Participant Family Information (Forms A & B) * Part III: Application (Essays and School & Community Activities Chart) * Part IV: Chapter Participation Survey * Part V: Completed and signed forms A & B | |
| Also, please ensure that each participant is:   * Entered into The First Tee participant database at the appropriate achievement level   Remember there are two eligibility requirements relating to the database to be eligible:   * + Minimum of Birdie Certified by August 1, 2014   + Entered in the database by 12/31/2012 | |
| I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  (name) (title)  of The First Tee of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ nominate the following  (chapter)  participant(s) for the Auntie Anne’s Leaders & Entrepreneurs Forum. I am confident that each of these juniors meet the established eligibility requirements. I have reviewed each of these applications and ensure that each of the applications include all required application materials listed above.  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  Signature (Month/Day/Year) | |
| Names of participant applications included in this packet:  (Please list in rank order with 1 as your best applicant. The committee MAY consider this ranking)   1. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 3. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_   **Completed applications MUST be sent to The First Tee home office directly from the chapter.**  **The First Tee will NOT accept correspondence from families of participants.** | |

**Part II: Form A**

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| **Please use this form for the following opportunities:**  **International Junior Golf Academy Training Program; Speedgolf National Championship; RBS Achievers of the Year; PLAYer Advanced Academy; Life Skills & Leadership Academy; Coca-Cola America’s Future; Nature Valley First Tee Open at Pebble Beach; Auntie Anne’s Leaders & Entrepreneurs Forum**  ***participants: save PART II FORMS A&b TO YOUR COMPUTER SO you are able to update/reprint for every 2014 application*** | | |
| **participant Information** | | |
| Name: | | |
| Chapter: *The First Tee of* | | |
| Parent’s names: | | |
| Current home address: | | |
| City: | State: | ZIP Code: |
| Participant’s cell phone number: | Parent’s cell phone number: | Home phone number: |
| Other phone number: | | |
| Participant’s email: | | |
| Parent’s email: | | |
| Date of birth: MM/DD/YYYY | | Age **as of date of event**: |
| School grade level **as of September 2014**:  Freshman  Sophomore  Junior  Senior \_\_\_College Freshman | | Grade Point Average (based on a 4.0 scale): |
| Gender: Male Female | | |
| Ethnic Background:  African American  Native American  Asian American  Caucasian  Hispanic  Other | | Adult Shirt Size:  Small  Medium  Large  XL  XXL  XXXL |
| Years playing golf: | | USGA Handicap: |

**Part II: Form B**

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| **participant family information** | | |
| Name (first and last) as you would like it to appear on your event identification: | | |
| Name of Parent(s)/Guardian(s): | | |
| Parent(s)/Guardian(s) Permanent, Legal address: | | |
| City: | State: | ZIP Code: |
| Parent/Guardian(s) place of work: | | Phone: |
| Parent/Guardian(s) occupation: | | Phone: |
| Parent/Guardian(s) place of work: | | Phone: |
| Parent/Guardian(s) occupation: | | Phone: |
| Emergency Contact Name: | Relationship: | Contact phone:  Other phone: |
| **Participant medical Information** | | |
| Is participant covered by insurance? Yes No If yes, please specify the type below: | | |
| Military Medicaid  Insurance Company Name: | | Policy number: |
| Type of coverage (check all that apply):  Health Accident Major Medical | |  |
| Does participant have any physical condition or handicap that requires special medical treatment, diet or other consideration? Yes No  If yes, please explain: | | |
| Does participant have any allergies (food, drugs, stings, pollens, etc.) | | |
| List the medications this child currently takes: | | |
| List any previous illnesses/surgery: | | |
| I authorize The First Tee and its affiliates to provide medical treatment and other necessary medical services for my child during the entire period that he/she is a participant in the Auntie Anne’s Leaders & Entrepreneurs Forum. I affirm that all of the above information is correct to the best of my knowledge. | | |
| Parent(s)/Guardian(s) Signature : | | Date: |
| Participant Signature: | | Date: |

**Part III: Participant Application—Essays**

* Answer ALL of the following three questions
* Please use the space provided below or attached typed answers on a separate page. If attaching a separate page, make sure the question is typed above the answer and your name is at the top of the page.
* Response must be 300 words or less per question

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| 1. **Provide an example of an adult you admire as a leader, businessperson or entrepreneur and explain why they are significant to you.** |
| 1. **Tell us about your career aspirations upon finishing your education and how The First Tee has helped you set career goals.** |
| 1. **What do you currently know about what it means to be an entrepreneur and what do you hope to learn about entrepreneurship at this Forum?** |

**Part III: Participant Application—School & Community Activities Chart**

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|  | Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | | | Chapter: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | | |
|  |  | **Dates From-To** | **Time Spent** | | | Responsibilities / Accomplishments |
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**Part IV: Chapter Participation Survey**

**PLEASE TYPE** — The following form is to be completed for each applicant by a chapter coach, program director or executive director. It must be returned to The First Tee home office by the chapter with the participant applications, postmarked by August 1, 2014.  ***If attaching a separate page, make sure the question is typed above the answer that and your name and contact information are listed on the page.***

Please note, this form is a vital part of the evaluated criteria to participate in the Auntie Anne’s Leaders and Entrepreneurs Forum. Because of that, please complete this section thoroughly. Please type directly onto this form, or attach a separate typed page with numbered answers.

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| **Participant Name:** |
| **The First Tee of:** |
| 1. **How often does this participant visit your chapter?** |
| 1. **How many total hours has this participant spent in programming at your chapter?** |
| 1. **How many years has this participant been involved with your chapter?** |
| 1. **In what capacity is this participant currently involved at your chapter?** |
| 1. **Provide examples of how the participant uses lessons learned at the chapter and comment on this participant’s level of commitment to The First Tee.** |
| Name of chapter representative: |
| Signature: |

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| Position at chapter: | Email address: |
| Date: | Phone number: |

**Part V: Form A**

**The First Tee Model Release**

(For use with minors)

For mutual consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, I hereby assign and grant to The First Tee, a division of World Golf Foundation, Inc., (“The First Tee”) the right and permission to copyright and/or publish and republish, and to sublicense to its sponsors and licensees, photographic pictures of the below named minor (“the Model”) in which the Model may be included in whole or in part, in color or black and white made through any media by, or on behalf of, The First Tee, including the use of any printed matter in conjunction with such photographs for advertising, trade or any other lawful purpose. I warrant that I am the parent or legal guardian of the minor named below and have the authority to execute this release on their behalf.

I hereby waive any right to inspect and/or approve the finished photograph or advertising copy or printed/digital matter that may be used in conjunction with or contain such photographs, or to the eventual use that it may be applied.

I hereby release and discharge to The First Tee from and against all any liability as a result of any distortion, blurring, alteration or optical or computer illusion that may occur in the taking of the picture or processing or reproduction of the finished product.

I have read this release, understand and approve its contents and waive any rights in the premises.

The Model: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Model’s Parent or

Legal Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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(Print Name and Address)

Signed this \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 2014.

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Parent or Guardian Signature Witness

**Part V: Form B**

**Release of Liability and Acknowledgement of Risk**

In consideration of my child, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, being admitted to the Auntie Anne’s Leaders & Entrepreneurs Forum at Walt Disney World Resort in Orlando, FL, and being permitted to participate in activities associated with the program, I, the undersigned parent/guardian, in full recognition and appreciation of the dangers and hazards inherent in participating in the program, do hereby agree to assume all risks and responsibilities surrounding and pertaining to my child’s participation in the Auntie Anne’s Leaders & Entrepreneurs Forum at Walt Disney World Resort in Orlando, FL and associated activities; and

Further, I do for myself, my child, and my personal representative(s), heirs and assigns, hereby agree to defend, hold harmless, indemnify, release and forever discharge the State of Florida, Walt Disney World Resort, and The First Tee; their officers, agents, employees and affiliates from and against any and all claims, demands and actions, or causes of action, on account of damage to a personal property, personal injury or death which may result from my child’s participation in said program and associated activities, whether or not such injury or damage or death was caused by their acts of negligence.

Also, I give permission for my dependent, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, to participate in all activities sponsored by the Auntie Anne’s Leaders & Entrepreneurs Forum at Walt Disney World Resort in Orlando, FL and to travel in the vehicles provided by the event directors.

I understand that the drivers provided by the Auntie Anne’s Leaders & Entrepreneurs Forum at Walt Disney World Resort in Orlando, FL will be adult employees.

I hereby release the Auntie Anne’s Leaders & Entrepreneurs Forum at Walt Disney World Resort in Orlando, FL from liability for \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ during travel to and from activities sponsored by the event.

In witness whereof, I have caused this assumption of risk and release to be executed this \_\_\_\_\_\_\_day of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 2014.

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Date Parent/Guardian

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Date Parent/Guardian

***Parents/Guardians Please Note: Children will not be accompanied by an adult chapter escort, but they will be met at the destination airport by authorized representatives of The First Tee.***

***Please indicate if you will allow your child to travel unaccompanied.***

**YES**   **NO**