

## How to Apply

Individuals may apply on their own or may be nominated by their business or organization. Full support of the business or organization is necessary as active participation and monthly attendance is required.

For more information or to receive an application contact:

Lake Superior Community Partnership/LSLA  
501 S. Front Street, Marquette, MI 49855  
(906) 226-6591

SEND ME AN APPLICATION!

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Company Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_

Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Mail to above address or fax to the LSCP at  
(906) 226-2099 to receive an Academy application

## About LSLA

**Overnight Retreat**– Dinner and ice breaking activities are led by Dr. Larry Peppers, founder of Simsoc which utilizes a group simulation game that forces participants to cope with the problems that accompany governing society.

**Regional Economy Day** showcases the challenges and opportunities of doing business in Marquette County. You'll hear from dynamic business owners and staff on entrepreneurship, large business challenges, work-force needs and product marketing.

**Justice Day** begins with an in-depth look at police force issues, judicial guidelines, court cases, prosecution and defense, imprisonment of offenders and ends with a tour of a State Maximum Security Prison.

**Education Day** highlights the changes taking place in education from K-12 and higher education.

**Government Day** lets students explore the dynamic interactions that occur between the local, state and federal branches of government. Students may have the opportunity to talk one-on-one with a State Senator and Representative.

**Leadership Day** utilizes the ROTC experts on the campus of Northern Michigan University. Student's are challenged to explore and demonstrate leadership skills.

**Media Day** takes students into the world of print, audio, visual and the web. Students tour media facilities and learn from those reporting the news. Also given insights on how to get your news in front of an audience.

**Health & Human Services Day** provides students with an insight into the medical and mental health services in our community. From business to service organizations, students see first hand the health and human services needs of our community and how they are currently being met.

**Arts & Culture Day** lets students tour local museums and galleries while gaining insight into the importance and significance of the art and culture that enhances our quality of life.



## A Professional Development Class Preparing Marquette County's Present and Future Leaders for New Challenges and Opportunities

A Program Designed and Administrated by



## Mission

To bring together present, emerging and potential leaders from the Marquette County area to address pertinent community needs, strengthen individual leadership abilities and encourage participants to personally commit to assuming leadership roles in the community.

## Objectives

- Identify potential community leaders
- Provide leadership skills
- Educate participants on relevant community issues
- Provide networking opportunities with community leaders and other class members
- Develop personal and professional relationships for the betterment of the community
- Match the talents of participants with community leadership needs



Class of 2013

## Selection

The Academy committee solicits applications from the Marquette County area. The Academy is limited to 25 qualified candidates. Our goal is to select candidates who:

- Demonstrate a desire to further develop their leadership skills and gain a greater understanding of the community needs
- Are active in their positions in the community
- Are able to make an eight month commitment to the program
- Represent a diverse cross-section of the community



Empire Mine Visit

## Tuition

Tuition costs will be borne by the individual or sponsoring company/organization. A limited number of partial scholarships are available. Please contact the LSCP office for more information on scholarship funds available.

Tuition for LSCP members.....\$1,100

Tuition for non-LSCP members.....\$1,300

## Testimonials

“Participation in the Lake Superior Leadership Academy not only helped me grow personally, by opening my eyes to businesses and organizations integral to our area, but professionally as well.”

Marina Dupler, Class of 2013, NMU

“Leadership Academy is a great way to obtain a new perspective on the community and the number of ways to become involved. I learned about so many activities and programs going on in my community that I had no idea even existed.”

Barbara Krause, Class of 2013, Northern Initiatives

“I can’t say enough good things about the Lake Superior Leadership Academy. It gave me the ability to see and explore the many working parts that make up Marquette County, while at the same time giving me incredible networking and skill-building opportunities.”

Scott Reddinger, Class of 2013, VAST

