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To Whom it May Concern:

This letter confirms the existence of the **International Pathfinder Camporee** to be held in Gillette, Wyoming, United States of America. The event will take place August 5-11, 2024.

The Seventh-day Adventist church operates a positive youth development program called Pathfinders. Similar to boy scouts, it is a global model, led by volunteer church members investing in the spiritual, mental, social, and physical development of youth and young adults. Regional church leaders provide a structure and training to ensure quality services in most countries on every continent but Antarctica.

Every year local camporees bring together groups within a country or larger region. Every five years this international event draws up to 50,000 guests from all around the world to participate in training and adventures in holistic development for the week. Location and resource limitations call for control of attendance through purchased tickets.

We can confirm that tickets for this event have been purchased by people all around the world, however, the visa applicant cannot show their ticket because a US visa is a previous requirement to purchase such tickets.

There is no official invitation, but local Seventh-day Adventist churches vet those who purchase tickets and regional leaders to ensure their intentions are to attend the event and they are known to be of honorable character locally.

Feel free to contact us with any questions. Thank you for your consideration as people presenting this letter are making their own travel arrangements.

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