## INTERESTED IN HOSTING A STUDENT FROM JAPAN THIS AUGUST???

Schaumburg Oyanokai, a NFP organization that provides Japanese Cultural experiences to the Dooley school community, is working with the Schaumburg Sister Cities Commission to help accommodate Japanese students from Namerikawa, Japan (Schaumburg's Sister City) that will be visiting the Schaumburg area this August. The students are boys and girls in the 8th or 9th grades.

There are about 20 Japanese students that will be visiting and we are looking for homestays for them the weekend of <u>Friday</u>, <u>August 18th to Sunday</u>, <u>August 20th</u>. You <u>DO NOT</u> have to speak or understand Japanese to host and visiting students <u>DO NOT</u> require a private room (meaning they can share with another <u>child</u> of the same sex).

Visiting students will be touring SHS on Friday, August 18th and host families are invited to join them for a Boomer's baseball game the evening of August 18th.

Please feel free to share this letter with other family and friends in the area and please let me know as soon as possible if you might consider hosting a student.

This is a great opportunity for you and your family to experience the beauty and fun of hosting a student from another country. My family has hosted adults and students from other countries before and it has always been a positive and great learning experience for my family.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions at gvollkom@aol.com.

Best regards, Robi Vollkommer



