Hello West Pine Laclede Neighborhood Association,

My name is Diana Wise and I work for Council on International Educational Exchange (CIEE), a nonprofit that brings international high school exchange students to the U.S.

I’m reaching out to the community in hopes you might help us find host families for two fantastic students arriving **this August**: *Michelle from China and Armin from Germany.*

**Would you be willing to share this with the West Pine Laclede Neighborhood Association network?**

Michelle (Mingxiao) is 15 years old and loves drawing. She also enjoys baking, painting, and hanging out with her friends and sister. She would describe herself as active and open.

Armin is 15 years old and is the recipient of a prestigious grant allowing him to come on program! He likes basketball, student government, and is interested in debate and music. He says he is open-minded and talkative.

**Host Families Provide:**

* A welcoming home (room can be shared)
* Three meals a day
* A seat at the table and a spot in everyday life

**CIEE Students:**

* Bring their own spending money and full health insurance
* Have strong English and academic prep
* Have support from our local and national staff
* Attend the high school nearest their host family

The students are coming for the 25-26 school year, and host families can host for the entire duration or for the first semester.

If someone you refer hosts one of these students, we’ll send a **$200 thank-you donation** to you.

Thank you for your support!

Warm regards,

Diana

 **P.S. Do you know anyone who may be interested in hosting an exchange student for either short or long-term? Send me their contact information and I'm happy to answer any questions. When they host, YOU will earn $200!! This is a limited offer, so please don't hesitate to reach out - students are all excited to meet their host families!**