



Georgia District Youth Ministries UPCI Event Registration Consent Form, Request to Participate, Hold Harmless and Release Agreement (the "Agreement")

SECTION 1 – REGISTRATION INSTRUCTIONS AND FEES

Participant, Participant's Parent(s)/Legal Guardian(s) (if Participant is under the age of 18 on the date this Agreement is signed) and Participant's Pastor must complete and sign this Agreement and submit it to the Georgia District United Pentecostal Church International (the "District") Youth Ministries ("GDYM"), together to complete the Registration process at the door, in order to participate in the following event sponsored by the GDYM to be held at the District campgrounds in Milner, Georgia (the "Event"):

- Hyphen Retreat Teen Camp Senior Camp Extreme Weekend

SECTION 2 – PARTICIPANT'S INFORMATION (PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY)

Participant's Full Legal Name ("Participant"): (First/MI/Last) _____
Current Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____
Date of Birth: ____/____/____ Age: _____ Gender: Male Female Email: _____
Cell Phone: (____) _____ Home Phone: (____) _____ Work Phone: (____) _____

SECTION 3 – PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN INFORMATION (if Participant is under 18 years of age) (PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY)

Name of Parent/Guardian 1 (First/MI/Last): _____
Current Address (if different than Participant's): _____ City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____
Cell Phone: (____) _____ Home Phone: (____) _____ Work Phone: (____) _____
Name of Parent/Guardian 2 (First/MI/Last): _____
Current Address (if different than Participant's): _____ City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____
Cell Phone: (____) _____ Home Phone: (____) _____ Work Phone: (____) _____

SECTION 4 – HEALTH INFORMATION AND HISTORY (PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY – ADD ADDITIONAL SHEETS IF NECESSARY)

Has Participant ever required any psychiatric counseling or hospitalization? YES NO If yes, explain: _____
Has Participant been diagnosed or treated for head lice in the last 14 days? YES NO
Does Participant have any condition that would prevent him/her from participating in normal rigorous activities or that Event staff should be aware of, including physical handicap, chronic illness/disease, serious injury, disability or past operations? YES NO
If yes, explain: _____
Any current medications (send with written instructions) or dietary modifications? _____
Any allergies (including to medications)? YES NO If yes, describe effects or symptoms: _____
Name of Participant's Doctor: _____ Doctor's Phone: _____
Name of Health Insurance Company: _____
Insurance Policy No. _____ Group No. _____
Any other health related information that is necessary for Event staff to know? _____
Are there activities in which the Participant may not participate? YES NO If yes, explain: _____

SECTION 5 – PASTOR CONSENT TO PARTICIPATE (PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY)

Pastor's Name (First/Last) ("Pastor"): _____ Phone: (____) _____
Church Name: _____ City: _____ State: _____
I am Participant's current Pastor or the Pastor's authorized signatory for purposes of this Agreement. I have advised the Participant of all Event rules and policies (the "Guidelines") and the obligation to follow them. **The authorized signature below indicates that Pastor: (1) supports the Guidelines and will support the GDYM's enforcement of them; (2) consents to the GDYM's distribution of GDYM promotional materials directly to the Participant; and (3) recommends and approves the Participant to attend the Event.**
Signature of Pastor or Pastor's Authorized Signatory: _____ Date: _____
Pastor's Authorized Signatory's Name (First/Last) (if applicable): _____ Title/Position: _____

SECTION 6 – REQUEST TO PARTICIPATE, HOLD HARMLESS AND RELEASE AGREEMENT (PLEASE READ CAREFULLY)

I, the undersigned, am the Participant and/or the Parent/Legal Guardian of the Participant and request that Participant be permitted to enroll and participate in the Event. I understand and agree that Participant must abide by the Event Guidelines. The GDYM reserves the right to dismiss Participant from the Event due to Participant’s disruption of the Event for any reason, including but not limited to, verbal/physical aggression or failure to follow instructions/Guidelines. I agree that Participant’s dismissal will be at the GDYM and Event director’s discretion. If Participant is dismissed from or voluntarily leaves the Event after registration, no refund of the registration fee will be given.

In consideration for permitting Participant to participate in the Event and for other valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are confessed and acknowledged, I enter into this Agreement, which I understand and agree covers the following persons and entities, as well as their respective trustees, directors, board members, directors, officers, agents, employees, volunteers, contractors, representatives, successors and assigns, both in their individual and official capacities, and in any capacity or relationship with or for any of the following: the District, the GDYM, and Event staff (each an “Indemnified Party,” and collectively, “Indemnified Parties”).

I HAVE CONSIDERED THE RISKS OF ALLOWING PARTICIPANT TO PARTICIPATE IN THE EVENT, AND RELYING ON MY OWN JUDGMENT, I VOLUNTARILY CHOOSE TO ALLOW PARTICIPANT TO PARTICIPATE AND AGREE TO ASSUME ALL OF THE RISK THAT MAY BE ENCOUNTERED ON THE EVENT, INCLUDING ACTIVITIES PRELIMINARY AND SUBSEQUENT THERETO. I knowingly and voluntarily release and waive, and further agree to indemnify, hold harmless, and reimburse all Indemnified Parties from and against any now existing or hereafter arising liability, actions, causes of actions or claims that I, Participant, any other parent/legal guardian, any relative or any next of kin of Participant, or any other person, firm or corporation now or hereafter may have or claim to have (whether known or unknown, seen or unforeseen, directly or indirectly, or within or without control of those persons and entities) for or on account of any losses, damages, personal injuries, pain and suffering, death, property damage, or contract claims resulting from, or arising out of, during, or in connection with Participant’s participation in the Event, or the ownership, operations, use, maintenance, or control of any property, vehicle, equipment or goods provided or used in connection with the Event, or in any way connected with or arising out of instruction, training, emergency care, or operations incidental to the Event. I understand and agree that the District, the GDYM, Event staff members (their agents and representatives), and other participants may, from time to time, take photographs, films, or videos during the Event, that such photographs, films, or videos may appear in various promotional materials, newsletters, websites, advertisements, or presentations. I consent to the use of Participant’s image and expressly agree to hold harmless and release all Indemnified Parties and all other participants from all liability in regard to such disclosure or dissemination.

If Participant has medical conditions which may be relevant to a physician in the event of an emergency, I have listed them on the prior page of this Agreement. I hereby authorize any adult member of the Event staff to make emergency medical decisions for Participant and to seek medical treatment for Participant, including undertaking, arranging for, and/or consenting to medical procedures or treatment in the adult Event staff member’s sole discretion. I understand, acknowledge and agree that I will be responsible for any and all expenses/fees of any kind related to any medical care for the treatment of any emergency, illness, injury, accident, sickness, or condition while Participant is attending the Event (“Medical Expenses”). I further understand, acknowledge and agree that none of the Indemnified Parties are liable for any such Medical Expenses under any circumstance. A decision by the District or the GDYM to pay any insurance co-pay or co-insurance in no way constitutes an admission of liability or invalidates or negates the effect or enforcement of this comprehensive waiver and indemnification that I give herein.

I expressly agree that this Agreement is intended to be as broad and inclusive as permitted by law. Each provision herein is severable, so that if any provision or portion of such provision is held invalid, the remainder shall continue in full legal force and effect. This Agreement shall not establish a legal or other relationship that does not in fact exist. Nothing in this Agreement shall constitute a waiver of any legal defense available to any Indemnified Party. This release contains the entire agreement between the parties hereto and the terms of this release are contractual and not mere recitals. The validity, interpretation, and effect of this Agreement shall be governed by the laws of the State of Georgia.

I certify that Participant is physically and emotionally able and fit, and expressly permitted, to participate in all Event activities on site (or off site for the Hyphen Retreat participants), including but not limited to softball, basketball, volleyball, dodge ball, flag football, inflatable games, water slides and activities, wrestling, zip line, paintball, etc., unless I have indicated otherwise in Section 4 on the prior page of this Agreement.

I understand and agree that: (1) the Event has a closed campus policy; (2) I am responsible for the cost of any damage caused by the Participant; and (3) I am responsible to provide transportation home if the Participant is dismissed early for misbehavior. I have read the Event Guidelines and will support the GDYM’s enforcement of them.

I HAVE CAREFULLY READ THE FOREGOING AGREEMENT, KNOW THE CONTENTS THEREOF, AND SIGN THIS AGREEMENT AS MY OWN FREE ACT. This is a legally binding agreement which I have read and understand.

SIGNATURE OF PARTICIPANT: _____ Age: _____ Date: _____

SIGNATURE OF PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN 1: _____ Date: _____

SIGNATURE OF PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN 2: _____ Date: _____

For GDYM Use Only:

Participant Verbally Certified that Signature(s) above is/are his/hers and Parent’s/Legal Guardian’s

SIGNATURE OF GDYM STAFF: _____ Date: _____



EVENT GUIDELINES

General Guidelines

1. Participants must show respect for authority and a proper attitude at all times.
2. All registered participants must submit to the supervision of event staff/leadership.
3. No firearms, knives, or weapons of any kind are permitted on the campgrounds.
4. No physical contact with the opposite sex is allowed.
5. Participants must attend ALL scheduled services and sessions unless excused by supervisory staff.
6. GDYM Events have a closed campus policy on the campgrounds. All participants must register upon entering the campgrounds. Only registered participants are allowed to be on the grounds during the day or to reside in the dorms.
7. Outside visitors to any GDYM Event is limited to the evening services only. All evening service guests will be asked to leave the grounds within twenty (20) minutes of the conclusion of the service. Other visitors will be allowed only at the discretion of the Event Director.
8. No participant will be allowed to stay in or use a private camper or mobile home without the Event Director's prior approval of both the arrangement and the adult supervision who must reside in the private home with the participant at all times.
9. The Hyphen Retreat is officially over on Saturday at 10am. Teen & Senior Camp are officially over at the close of Friday's awards lunch at 1:00pm An authorized adult must pick up all participants at that time.
10. Participants may be sent home for failure to comply with rules.

Young Ladies' Dress Code

1. Slacks, pants, culottes, shorts, or any other garment that divides the legs may not be worn as an outer garment.
2. Hemlines of skirts or dresses must be below the knees both standing and sitting down.
3. Splits must end 1 inch below the knee. Wrap around skirts should follow this same principle.
4. All skirts and/or dresses must be modest in fit.
5. All blouses and dresses must have a modest neckline. All buttons are to be buttoned with the exception of the collar button.
6. All blouses and shirts must be of sufficient length so as not to expose the midsection at any time.
7. Modest sleeve lengths are to be worn which do not expose the underarm area at any time.
8. No sheer (see-through) fabric is acceptable as outer clothing. Sheer material should not come above the knees or elbows.
9. Shoes or sandals must be worn at all times outside the dorm.

Young Men's Dress Code

1. Shirts are to have a modest neckline and all buttons are to be buttoned with the exception of the collar button.
2. All clothing must be modest in fit. No tight-fitting pants or shirts.
3. Shorts may not be worn outside the dorms.
4. All shirts are to be of sufficient length so as not to expose the midsection.
5. Modest sleeve lengths are to be worn which do not expose the underarm area at any time.
6. No long hair is permitted (over the ears or shirt collar).
7. Beards and/or mustaches are not permitted. (Determination of mustache or beard will be based upon the sole judgment of the Event Director and Principal.)
8. Shoes or sandals must be worn at all times outside the dorm.

General Dress Code

1. No outer garment or caps are to be worn that have lettering and/or symbols that represent, advertise, or promote Hollywood-promoted persons or films. This also includes secular musical identification.
2. No make-up of any type including foundation liquid, powder, blush, lipstick, or colored lip-gloss.
3. No jewelry of any kind.
4. An executive committee consisting of the Event Director, Principal, District Superintendent, and District Secretary must approve the necessity of enforcement of any dress code or other rule that may arise and is not covered by these prescribed rules.