

2016 MIDDLE SCHOOL YOUTH RALLY CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF RICHMOND

ADULT Registration Form

Please indicate rally location: _____ Virginia Beach (10/22/2016) _____ Charlottesville (10/23/2016)

ADULT INFORMATION

First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

First/Nick Name for Badge: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____

Cell Phone: _____

Email: _____

Parish Name: _____ City: _____

Gender: _____ Date of Birth (MM/DD/YY): _____

Adult T-Shirt Size: _____

SAFE ENVIRONMENT

All adults who participate in a youth event sponsored by the Office for Evangelization must be in compliance with the Diocesan Safe Environment Policies. Please indicate that you have completed each component listed below:

YES NO Screening One (completed every 5 years)

YES NO VIRTUS Training (completed once)

EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION

Name: _____

Cell Phone: _____

Relationship: _____

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Medical Information and Release Form

All information is kept private and confidential

Name of Participant: _____

MEDICAL INFORMATION

In many cases, our staff and volunteers are not familiar with the medical, physical, and/or emotional history of each participant. Please share **ANY** information relating to the participant in detail. **BE AS SPECIFIC AS POSSIBLE.**

Does the participant have any dietary restrictions?

YES NO

Select any restrictions that apply to this participant:

Gluten-free **Peanut-free** **Vegetarian**

List any other dietary restrictions (i.e. vegetarian, allergies)

Is the participant allergic to anything?

YES NO

List any details of allergies below (this may include food allergies, allergies to specific medications or chemicals, allergies to any substances):

Is the participant currently taking or has taken any prescription medication in the last 6 months?

YES NO

List the specific prescription medications, reasons for medication, and daily dosage. Indicate if the medication is currently being administered.

Does the participant have any emotional, physical or sensory conditions?

YES NO

List any emotional conditions that may impede participation in the event. This may include counseling, treatment for emotional conditions (i.e. depression, eating disorders), and/or family situations that may have a significant impact on the participant. List any physical and/or sensory conditions of which we should be aware or of which need special accommodations (e.g. hearing loss, visual impairment, mobility).

RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND MEDICAL RELEASE

I agree on behalf of myself, my heirs, assigns, executors, and personal representatives, to hold harmless and defend the Catholic Diocese of Richmond, its officers, directors, agents employees, or representatives associated with this event from any and all liability, loss or damage arising from or in connection with my participation in this diocesan event.

Furthermore, I hereby warrant that to the best of my knowledge, I am in good health and assume all responsibility for my health. In the event of an emergency, I hereby give permission to transport me to a hospital for emergency medical or surgical treatment. I wish to be advised prior to any further treatment by the hospital or doctor or that my emergency contact be notified prior to any further treatment. I will not hold the Diocese of Richmond responsible for authorizing any medical treatment beyond necessary transportation to the hospital.

Adult Signature: _____

Date: _____

USE OF PICTURES AND/OR VIDEO

I give permission for pictures and/or video of myself engaged in activities related to any Diocesan event to have those pictures and/or video posted in the Diocese of Richmond publications or websites. Names of participants **will not** be used without expressed permission from the participant. If no box is checked below, the Diocese of Richmond assumes you give permission.

YES NO Adult Signature: _____

Date: _____

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ADULT CODE OF CONDUCT and EXPECTATIONS

Adult participants must read, understand, agree, sign and return this sheet with the Medical Information and Release form. Each participant is expected to adhere to the following principles while at the 2016 Middle School Youth Rally:

Role of Chaperones

The Office of Evangelization depend on Adult Chaperones to help facilitate order and to serve as a network of support for the youth. It is important that the Chaperones be an example of obedience and cooperation with the following policies as well as with our staff and volunteers on site.

Chaperones should be constantly assessing the youth in their group to be aware of any special needs. They should feel comfortable talking and sharing with the youth. Adults should also be willing to pray with the youth in their group. Adult Chaperones are responsible for their students at all times.

Duties of a Chaperone

A Chaperone's responsibilities include, but are not limited to, the following areas:

1. Participation

- ✓ It is expected that all rally participants (youth, chaperones, group leaders) will be present at scheduled sessions during the rally.
- ✓ At no time should a youth participant leave the rally site without one of their Adult Chaperones. Adults are strongly discouraged from taking youth off site, except in the case of an emergency.
- ✓ It is to be understood that the said adult takes full responsibility for a youth once off the rally site grounds.

2. Relational Ministry and Small Group Leading

- ✓ It is expected that the adults will engage their youth throughout the day, not only making sure they are behaving appropriately, but participating with them. Adults should sit **AMONG** their youth and **PARTICIPATE** with the youth in the fun activities, the prayer activities, and the Catholic Olympics.
- ✓ Adult Chaperones will all be given a small group to lead through the Catholic Olympics, which are seven stations in seven different classrooms. We will announce when it is time to switch stations. Adults should take the time given in the first station to meet their group and help them function as a group through the stations. The stations will rotate 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 7, 1, 2, etc., until each group has gotten to each of the stations.

3. Alcohol, Drugs, and Smoking

- ✓ All state laws concerning alcohol and drugs will be strictly enforced.
- ✓ Possession and/or consumption of alcohol or drugs are not permitted on site during the rally.
- ✓ All buildings are smoke-free facilities.

4. Appropriate Dress

- ✓ All participants are expected to dress in a fashion that represents modesty, respecting other participants and our Lord.
- ✓ Clothing must cover all undergarments and midriffs. Male participants must wear shirts at all times during the rally.
- ✓ Adult Chaperones are expected to communicate these expectations to the youth and enforce the dress code at all times.

5. Insubordination

- ✓ It is expected that youth and adults will follow the direction of all rally staff and volunteers.
- ✓ Any instances of lack of cooperation or insubordination will not be tolerated and will be subject to appropriate discipline.
- ✓ The first and primary method of dealing with discipline problems will be to work through the Group Leader.
- ✓ The Catholic Diocese of Richmond reserves the right to deny entrance to, or request the ejection of any group or individual who does not comply with the regulations and policies for the Middle School Youth Rally. In the event that entrance is denied or a person(s) is ejected, **NO REFUND** will be made.

I have read, understand, and agree to the above principles. Any violation of the above principles may result in immediate dismissal from the Middle School Youth Rally and participants will forfeit their registration fee.

Adult Signature: _____

Date: _____

Printed Name: _____

Parish: _____