

Medical Information

Medication Allergies _____

Food & Other Allergies _____ Date of last Tetanus shot ____/____/____

Permissions & Liability Release

I have requested that Lutherhaven Ministries enroll my child/ward, as named above, as a participant in an activity-based camp, program or activity sponsored by Lutherhaven Ministries at one of its camps or sites. As a condition of participating in this camp, program or activity, I, the undersigned, do hereby agree on behalf of my child/ward, as named above, to the following:

Known & Unknown Risks

I understand that my child's/ward's presence at and participation in this camp, program or activity presents varying degrees of certain risks—some of which are unknown—which may arise from a condition of the premises at which the camp, program or activity is held; from an action of any person in connection with the conduct of any planned or unplanned activity; or from other unforeseen elements.

While it is understood that camp programs and activities are fully supervised by qualified staff whose goal it is to make every camp experience as safe as possible, I acknowledge that such known and unknown risks exist, I understand that my child/ward may incur personal injury or property damage while attending this camp, program or activity, and I fully and willingly agree to assume all risks associated with these activities on behalf of my child/ward.

Medical Release

I consent to first aid and emergency medical care for my child/ward and authorize, if necessary, admission to a hospital for treatment of injuries that my child/ward could sustain while staying at camp.

I understand that I am responsible for any and all medical expenses that may be incurred by my child/ward, including emergency medical transport, as a result of any accident or illness while staying at camp.

I give permission for Lutherhaven Ministries to provide transportation or arrange for transportation through Emergency Medical Services, if needed, for my child/ward for medical care.

Name (please print) _____

Signature _____ Date ____/____/____

Lutherhaven Ministries Rental Group & Guest Use Of Waterfront

Requirements concerning Rental Group and Guest Use of any Lutherhaven Ministries Waterfront have been developed in consultation with similar camp facilities across the nation, with lifeguards who have supervised swimmers under comparable conditions, and with legal advisors. Standards of the American Camp Association have also been considered in developing these policies. The following requirements for waterfront use will be strictly enforced.

Groups are advised to provide their own *nationally certified* guards, who must follow Lutherhaven Ministries' written waterfront safety regulations and emergency procedures; the camp must receive written documentation of each lifeguard's current certification, prior to arrival at camp.

The following safety regulations apply to all guest use of the waterfront areas:

1. **PERSONS SWIMMING, CANOEING OR TUBING WHEN A LIFEGUARD IS NOT PRESENT DO SO AT THEIR OWN RISK.**
2. Non-registered guests **MUST** check in with the camp host at arrival.
3. Alcohol is not permitted in the swimming area; impaired behavior due to intoxication will not be tolerated.
4. Always swim with a buddy; solo swimming is never allowed.
5. Swimmers must remain within the designated swim areas.
6. A parent, adult relative or guardian must accompany and *actively* supervise a child under 18 years of age. ***Keep an eye on children at all times, even when lifeguards are present!***
7. Non-swimmers may not swim in the deep section, even with a life jacket.
8. Pets are never permitted on any beach or within any swimming area.
9. Glass containers are not permitted within any swimming area or on the beach.
10. No use of the diving board, slide, rowboats or Blob when a lifeguard is not on duty.
11. Diving from the docks is not allowed when a lifeguard is not on duty.
12. No running or horseplay.
13. No food or beverages are permitted within the dock area.
14. No smoking on the beach or within the swimming area.
15. No swimming after dusk or before dawn.
16. Canoes and other watercraft are never allowed in the swimming area. No use of camp watercraft is permitted without express permission. Voyageur canoes, sailboats and power boats are NOT available for public use.
17. Appropriate swim attire must be worn.
18. Swimming is not permitted if lightning storms are within 5 miles from the swim area or thunder is heard.
19. Group leaders and/or parents/guardians of minor children must sign Lutherhaven Ministries' informed consent release prior to use of the swim areas.
20. In the event of an emergency, contact 911 and give your location to the dispatcher.

PLEASE SIGN
AND RETURN

**Lutherhaven Ministries Waterfront
Informed Consent Release**

I understand that my or my child's/ward's presence at or participation in any waterfront activity at a Lutherhaven Ministries camp, retreat, or event presents varying degrees of certain risks—some of which are unknown—that could result in injury or death and might arise from:

- 1) a condition of the premises at which the waterfront activity is held;
- 2) from the action of any person in connection with the preparation for, supervision of or conduct of any activity whether planned or unplanned; or
- 3) from foreseeable or unforeseen elements or factors.

I have read, understand, and agree to abide by the paragraphs and general safety guidelines on the front of this release; or, in the event that I am present as a parent or guardian of a minor child, I have made sure that my child/ward reads, (or has been read to,) understands and agrees to abide by the safety guidelines.

While it is understood that Lutherhaven Ministries' goal is to make every camp experience as safe as possible, I acknowledge that such known and unknown risks exist, I understand that I or my child/ward may incur personal injury or property damage while participating in this program or activity, and I fully and willingly agree to assume all risks associated with these activities myself on my own behalf and on behalf of my child/ward.

Signature of Parent or Guardian of Minor Child or Participant Signature (if 18 years or older)

_____ Date _____

Participant Signature

_____ Date _____

Witness Signature

_____ Date _____