Odessa Hills Campgrounds Camp Guidelines Agreement

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Participation

Because we're at camp to learn more about our relationship with our Heavenly Father, it will also be important to grow in our relationship with each other by participating in all camp activities. It is also to be expected that each camper will be helping with cleaning up and other chores that may be necessary.

Food Allergies

If a camper has food allergies it is the parent/guardian's responsibility to contact the cook prior to camp, discuss the camper's need and provide food substitutions if necessary. It is the cook's responsibility to provide a menu and work with the families to determine what substitutions are necessary and reasonable. This only applies to medical needs and not food preferences.

Off limits!

- No boys in girls' cabin areas and no girls in boys' cabin areas.
- Kitchen food supply areas are also restricted.
- Additional restricted areas may be determined by the directors.

Dating relationships

We'd rather you use this time to build up your relationship with God instead of building a romantic pursuit. Stay public and take a break from hand holding, hugging, kissing, etc.

Electronic Devices

Because we're taking time out from the usual activities that might distract us, please leave at home any items such as cell phones, MP3 players, radios, portable game systems, etc.

Substances

Items such as tobacco, alcohol and drugs are prohibited, as campers should be receiving a spiritual high that will surpass any man-made chemical.

Medications

Please turn in a list of and all medications (prescription and over the counter) that the camper will be needing during the time at camp, and the nurse will make sure campers receive them at the appropriate times. Exceptions can be made for asthma medications, so please discuss any concerns with the nurse.

Visitors/Leaving camp/Phone calls

- No one will leave camp without permission of the director. If a camper leaves without prior permission from the directors, they forfeit their opportunity to return to the camp.
- Visitors are not allowed during camp.
- Campers may make emergency phone calls by provision of the director.

Dress Respectfully

- Footwear needs to be worn at all times
- Shirts on during recreation
- Because we would like to cover rather than expose, please, no tube tops, spaghetti straps or halter tops
- Please, no clothing with logos conveying a drug, alcohol, anti-Christian themes
- When placing your arms straight down at your sides, we require shorts to be no shorter than the end of your fingertips.
- Shirts need to overlap outer garment waistband by 1 1/2 inches or more. No halter tops. No midriffs. Button shirts must remain buttoned unless worn over another shirt.
- No bikinis, or if swimwear is found to be unacceptable, the camper must wear a colored T-Shirt.

<u>Miscellaneous</u>

- Lakes: Life jackets must be worn while canoeing. NO swimming in the lakes at anytime
- No profanity or innuendos
- Campers who have driven themselves need to turn in their keys while at camp/retreat

Legal

I recognize that there are risks involved in participating in this event and hereby assume all risk of injury, illness, harm, damage, or death to participants in connection with his/her participation in this activity.

To the fullest extent permitted by law, I release Odessa Hills Campground, its trustees, officers, directors, employees, agents and representatives from any injury, illness, harm, damage or death which may occur to myself or my minor child while participating in the activities and agree to save and hold harmless Odessa Hills Campground, its trustees, officers, directors, employees, agents and representatives from any claims arising out of my participation in the activity.

I/We have read and agree to abide by these Camp guidelines and the hold harmless statement.

Camper: ______

Date: _			
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Parent / Legal Guardian Signature: _____