



YMCA OF SOUTH HAMPTON ROADS
Camp Red Feather

PARTICIPANT AGREEMENT

An atmosphere of acceptance and caring pervades this YMCA Day Camp Program. Counselors and their campers plan, work, play, and grow together as they strive to build a Judeo-Christian-centered community of caring, honesty, respect, responsibility and faith. Opportunities abound for making new friends; meeting people from around the world and around the corner; learning and practicing outdoor and leadership skills; taking responsibility for themselves and the world around them; having barrels of fun; laughing a lot; and reaching out to others.

In order for you, your fellow group members, and your counselors to build such a community, to face the challenges of a rustic outdoor environment, to have a safe camp experience, to learn new skills, and to have the fun we all wish to have, it will require that we work constructively and cooperatively together. To encourage this, Camp Red Feather requires all participants and their parents/guardians to sign this agreement:

I AGREE TO:

- Actively participate in all planned events when physically able.
- Help make and live by the agreements which will guide my tribe as we build our Judeo-Christian-centered community.
- Willingly do my share of my tribe’s work responsibilities.
- Listen respectfully to what other campers and my counselors have to say.
- Let my counselors know if I have a problem, a concern, or feel uncomfortable.
- Respect other people’s things and use them only if they give me permission.
- Stay with my tribe at all times unless I have permission to leave.
- Leave at home all UNWELCOMED items which are listed on the “What to Bring” list including cell phones, hand-held games, personal toys and weapons of any kind.
- Use language that would make my grandparents proud and my parents smile.
- Take responsibility for my actions and accept the consequences of my behavior (which could include temporary removal from the tribe or an activity; a call home to inform parents/guardians of my behavior; or dismissal from camp).
- Cooperate with my counselors and other adult leaders.
- Wear comfortable, non-revealing clothing that has only appropriate messages on it.
- Find peaceful ways to solve any problems or disagreements...physical and/or verbal aggressiveness or harassment will not be tolerated.

I hereby give permission for my child to:

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| • be transported by the YMCA and related activities: | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> | No <input type="checkbox"/> |
| • participate in Swimming and Water play activities: | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> | No <input type="checkbox"/> |
| • participate in Waterfront activities: | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> | No <input type="checkbox"/> |
| • participate in Archery: | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> | No <input type="checkbox"/> |
| • participate on the Challenge Course (ropes course): | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> | No <input type="checkbox"/> |
| • participate on the Alpine Tower: | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> | No <input type="checkbox"/> |
| • participate in the Nature Course: | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> | No <input type="checkbox"/> |
| • take my child on supervised walking excursions: | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> | No <input type="checkbox"/> |
| • participate in Arts & Crafts: | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> | No <input type="checkbox"/> |
| • participate in Music & Drama: | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> | No <input type="checkbox"/> |

Parent’s Signature/Date

Child’s Name (please print)

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