

**MEDICAL RELEASE/PERMISSION TO TRANSPORT
(Youth Activities/Events/Trips Sponsored by FUMC Alvin)**

PLEASE PRINT & COMPLETE FULLY

Name of Youth Participant _____

Date of Birth _____

Full Address _____

Phone _____ Cell Phone (Parent/Guardian) _____

Emergency Contact &
Phone _____

Health Insurance Provider _____ Group/Policy # _____
Phone# _____

Dental Insurance Provider _____ Group/Policy # _____
Phone # _____

Physician Name _____ Phone _____

Dentist Name _____ Phone _____

List any/all allergies, medications being taken, medical problems, or other pertinent information:

I understand that in the event emergency medical or dental treatment is required, every effort will be made to contact me. However, if I cannot be reached, I give my permission to FUMC Alvin or an adult representative and/or sponsor to secure the services of a licensed physician and/or dentist to provide the care necessary, including anesthesia, for my child's well-being. I further give my permission for FUMC Alvin to transport my student for events.

Signed _____ Date _____
(Parent or legal guardian)

Signed _____ Date _____
(Witness)

WAIVER OF LIABILITY STATEMENT

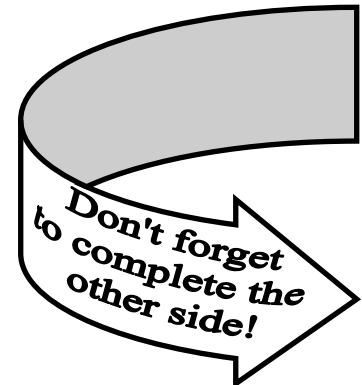
I, the parent or legal guardian of the child listed below release FUMC Alvin, together with the adult representatives, from any and all claims resulting from injury or damage that may be sustained by my child while participating in the activity listed below.

Name of Youth Participant: _____

Activity: **Youth Activities, Retreats, Camps, and/or Events (on or off church site) including necessary transportation to and from.**

Signed _____ Date _____
(Parent or legal guardian)

Signed _____ Date _____
(Witness)



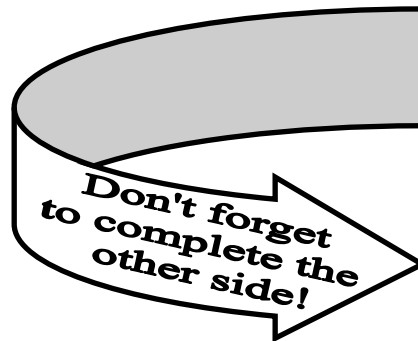
Youth Ministry Covenant

As a representative of First United Methodist Church at retreats/ministry events, I want to reflect a behavior that promotes Christian values and beliefs. In this regard, I will, to the best of my ability, conduct myself in accordance with the following guidelines:

- As a matter of courtesy and respect for the members of my Youth Group, I will be prompt in meeting at the designated places and times. I will stay within designated areas and only venture beyond such areas after receiving permission from the Youth Pastor or Sponsors.
- I understand the necessity for establishing appropriate rules and guidelines to promote a safe and fair event. I will comply with the rules established by the Youth Pastor and Sponsors as well as the rules established by those in charge of the event. Firearms, knives (or other weapons), drugs, alcohol, and tobacco products are prohibited. These will be confiscated and turned over to parents or the proper authorities. **(The purchase of the above items while on youth trips constitutes a violation of this rule and will result in the confiscation of the items and reporting to the proper authorities.)**
- The Youth Pastor, Sponsors and each member of the Youth Group are entitled to my respect. As such, I will treat everyone as I would wish to be treated. I will be attentive to the directions given by the Youth Pastor and Sponsors. Should it be necessary to explain an action, I will do so in a positive manner and with respect, knowing that I will receive the same respect from the Youth Pastor and Sponsors.
- I understand that decisions made by the Youth Pastor and Sponsors are made in my best interests. Should I feel compelled to discuss a decision made by the Youth Pastor or Sponsors, I will do so in a respectful and positive manner, knowing that I will be listened to with sincerity and given fair consideration.
- The use of appropriate language promotes positive attitudes. I will use language which encourages and uplifts my fellow youth and adults attending activities; language which shows respect for myself and others. **The use of foul, offensive language will be dealt with quickly and appropriately. Repeated violation of this rule will result in my expulsion from the event or my being sent home, at my expense, from the trip.**
- Participation in activities is an important means to fellowship and getting to know others better. I will make every effort to be an active participant.
- I will follow the Youth Ministries expectations regarding appropriate dress* while attending all youth group functions. I will also act in a manner that is worthy of the price paid for me by Christ. My actions with the opposite sex will promote purity and fidelity to God's design.

I have read and understand the above guidelines and will, to the best of my ability, follow them. Behavior that places myself or others at risk will result in parental contact and a possible request to leave the activity early.

_____	_____
Youth Signature	Date
_____	_____
Parent/Guardian Signature	Date
_____	_____
Youth Pastor	Date



***All clothing must be modest – NO** bare midriff, halter tops, tube tops, tank tops or shirts with straps smaller than 2 inches, Speedos for boys, bikinis for girls, bike shorts, spandex, or baggy clothing. Modest length shorts, please. Those not following this dress code will be asked to leave or will be asked to call their parents in order to have more appropriate clothing brought to them. **Repeated violation of the dress code will be dealt with appropriately by the Youth Pastor.**