

OAK RIDGE YOUTH DEVELOPMENT SCHOOL ACTIVITIES RELEASE FORM

I am signing this release because I want my child, _____ (child's name) to use the facilities, services, and programs provided during the summer school program by Oak Ridge Youth Development School (ORYDS). This includes but is not limited to:

_____ 1. Participation in the READ program that utilizes therapy animals through Pets for Life and MO-KAN Pet Partners. I understand that my child will have access to different certified animals that are insured by these agencies at ORYDS throughout the program.

_____ 2. Participation in programming by Bike Walk KC, where my child will have the use of a working bicycle to ride, repair, and work on during lessons on bike riding, bike safety, and bike repair. These activities will be conducted in the ORYDS/ORMBC parking lot for safety.

_____ 3. Participation in "Belonging," an art class taught at ORYDS by Nelson-Adkins volunteers on a weekly basis throughout the program. This will culminate in a field trip at the end of the program to the museum, for which I consent that my child may participate in. Transportation will be provided by ORYDS and ORYDS staff will be in charge of all students during this time.

_____ 4. Participation in Show Me Riders programming. My child will have access to horses to learn about equestrian activities and the history of Black Cowboys. I understand that the children will be supervised by Show Me Riders volunteers as well as ORYDS staff.

_____ 5. Participation in programming through MOCSA (Metropolitan Organization to Counter Sexual Assault). Programming is age appropriate and teaches children about body positivity, unsafe touches, safe adults, healthy relationships, sexual harassment, and consent.

_____ 6. Participation in the Juneteenth Parade. Executive Director, Charlie Jennings, will be driving her personal vehicle and pulling a float in the parade. All children attending ORYDS for the summer program will be invited to attend additional activities to determine a theme for the float, decorate the float, and ride on the float. Parents will be responsible for transporting their children to the designated parade area to get on the float and will also be responsible for picking up their children after the parade at the same designated areas.

_____ 7. Participation in the Juneteenth Festival. This year, ORYDS will not be closed on this holiday and will instead have activities for the children to engage in the celebration as well as attending the festival as a field trip. Transportation will be provided by ORYDS and ORYDS staff will supervise the children.

_____ 8. Participation in the Red Tail field trip. Students have been invited to learn about the Tuskegee Airmen and a flight school at the downtown airport for underserved youth who wish to become pilots. ORYDS students will be able to view planes at the

airport and participate in flight simulation programs. Transportation will be provided by ORYDS and ORYDS still will supervise the children.

_____ 9. Participation in YMCA swimming lessons. See YMCA forms for further details.

_____ 10. Participation in ORYDS Field Day. Children spend the day playing different games outside at the end of the summer program.

_____ 11. Participation in Kids in the Kitchen, where they will learn kitchen safety and use their reading and math skills to create and enjoy healthy recipes.

_____ 12. Home Depot Engineering Projects. Student will utilize tools and Home Depot pre-packaged projects to create different objects using math and engineering skills.

By signing below, I agree that I have had an opportunity to request further information about these 10 programs/activities through ORYDS and accept that they are safe and reasonably suited for the purpose of my child's participation. I hereby release, waive, and discharge both for myself and my child, any and all claims or demands against and covenant not to sue ORYDS, it's directors, officers, employees, volunteers, and other participants for injury to or death of me or my child, damage to my or my children's property, or loss of companionship or affection that arises or results from my or my child's use of the facilities, services or programs at ORYDS. I fully understand the risk of injury to or death of me or my child or that of others and of damage to property (mine, my child's, or others) that might result from my or my child's use of the facilities, services or programs of ORYDS. Nonetheless, I assume full responsibility for that risk. My child and I are in good health, and I know of no reason why my child or I are not capable of using ORYDS's facilities, services, or programs. I also agree to indemnify, defend and hold harmless ORYDS from and against any claim for injury to or death of persons, damage to property, or other loss, including without limitation claims asserted by other participants in ORYDS programs or activities and members of the public that ORYDS may incur due to my or my child's use of ORYDS facilities, services or programs. This indemnity shall survive my and my child's use of any or all ORYDS facilities, services or programs.

I intend that this agreement be as broad and inclusive as applicable law permits. If any portion is held invalid, I intend for the balance to continue and remain in full legal effect. I have read this release and waiver or liability and indemnity agreement, have signed it voluntarily, and fully understand its meaning. This agreement shall remain in effect until I deliver a written cancellation to ORYDS.

Print Name:
Signature: _____ Date: _____

