

## CODE OF CONDUCT

The goal of ERI Youth Adventure is to provide a safe, fun, and positive experience for all participants. As a youth participant, you play a valuable role in attaining this goal. Please read through this Code of Conduct and show your agreement by your signature below.

As a participant of the ERI Adventure Youth Weekend I agree to:

- Respect the individual rights, safety, and property of others.
- Treat others with respect. I will not use aggressive, abusive, vulgar, or violent language or behavior towards others, nor be insubordinate to the volunteers, staff, or chaperones.
- Not possess, use, or distribute alcoholic beverages, tobacco, illegal drugs, or prescription medicine on the premises or at any ERI activity, or remain in the presence of individuals who possess or use these items.
- Attend and be actively involved in the activities and remain at the event until the event is scheduled to end.

Unacceptable behavior during the ERI Youth Adventure Weekend (as defined within this Code of Conduct or through a review process by the ERI staff/volunteers) will result in consequences to the participant. Consequences may include:

- Early release from the event without refund. If a parent/guardian cannot be reached, ERI staff/volunteers will determine an alternative course of action.
- Responsibility for the cost of damages and repairs in the event of damage/destruction of property.
- Releasing the participant to the nearest law enforcement agency and/or the proper authorities.

*By my signature below, I acknowledge that I have read, understand, and agree to abide by the expectations described herein. I am aware that if I act inappropriately I will have to accept responsibility for my actions that may result in the consequences listed above.*

Youth Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

*I have discussed and reviewed this Code of Conduct with my child. I understand that failure to abide by this Code of Conduct may result in the consequences listed above. In the event that this code is violated, I agree to come to the event to pick up my child at the request of the adult in charge. I further understand that if I refuse to pick up my child, am unavailable, or fail to make timely arrangements to retrieve my child, event staff/volunteers may contact law enforcement or social services to provide necessary arrangements. I acknowledge responsibility for all fees/charges that may result from said services.*

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_