



FOR YOUTH DEVELOPMENT®
FOR HEALTHY LIVING
FOR SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

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Black Achievers Registration

Our Mission: Helping people reach their God-given potential in Spirit, Mind and Body.
A United Way Agency

Black Achievers Registration Form

Date of Registration: __/__/20__

My child is a YMCA member Program participant

My child attends Middle school High school

Child's Information (Please print legibly)

Child's name (first/middle/last) _____ Name called _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Male Female Birth date _____ Age (as of registration date) _____ Grade _____

Email Address _____ Cell Phone _____ School _____

Check all that apply to your child, or check "None" for those that don't apply:

Allergies (type) _____ None

ADD ADHD None

Special circumstances (see last page and provide additional information if necessary) None

Family Information (check parent to contact for payment and other questions)

Mother/guardian's name _____ Employer _____

Home address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Home # _____ Work # _____ ext. _____ Mobile # _____ Pager # _____

Email address _____

Father/guardian's name _____ Employer _____

Home address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Home # _____ Work # _____ ext. _____ Mobile # _____ Pager # _____

Email address _____

Emergency Information

In case of emergency, please contact the following first: Mother/guardian Father/guardian

Child's doctor _____ Doctor's phone _____

Hospital preference _____

Insurance company _____ Policy # _____

If mother, father, or guardian cannot be reached, call:

Name _____ Relationship to child _____

Home # _____ Work # _____ ext. _____ Mobile # _____ Pager # _____

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Home # _____ Work # _____ ext. _____ Mobile # _____ Pager # _____

I hereby acknowledge that the YMCA will assume that either parent of the child may pick up the child at any time during the program unless there is sufficient court documentation on file at the Branch that indicates otherwise.

I hereby authorize the Branch to allow the following individual(s) to pick up my child (Photo ID will be required):

Persons not authorized to visit or pick up my child: (Court documentation must be attached)

Youth Programs Policy

Child's Name _____

Please read each of the following policies and sign below to indicate your understanding of these policies.

Waivers/Permissions:

I permit my child to participate in activities the YMCA conducts outside the fenced-in play areas at YMCA facilities.

Field Trips – I permit my child to leave the YMCA on authorized trips under the supervision of the YMCA staff. I may review a written schedule of activities to be conducted off the YMCA premises.

Photography – I permit the YMCA to use images of my child as a YMCA program participant in internal and external promotional material. This includes any printed material, broadcast and print advertising, promotional videos and the YMCA website which are produced or published by the YMCA. I also permit the YMCA and/or the media to use images of my child in broadcast and print media news coverage of the YMCA. I understand that my child's name is not published.

Payment Policies

I understand policies concerning payment, cancellation and refunds. I may not register my child for a new program until outstanding balances due on past programs are paid.

Insufficient Funds – If my bank returns a draft or check due to insufficient funds, immediate payment is required to keep my child's account up to date. I understand that I will be charged a fee for each returned check or draft. I will need to send cash, money order or a certified check for the draft or check within 10 business days. Personal checks will not be accepted. Payment in full is required before my child can continue to participate in YMCA programs. **If I have two returned drafts or checks within a six-month period, I will no longer have the bank draft privilege and will be required to pay program fees in full, in advance.**

Cancellations – Non-attendance, without written cancellation, does not relieve me of the responsibility to pay for the program. I will refer to the registration receipt for details on specific program cancellation policies.

Bank draft participants – I understand that I must cancel, in writing, 30 days prior to the date of bank draft in order to stop payment.

Refunds – I understand that non-attendance does not entitle me to a refund. I understand that no refunds or adjustments are granted for illness, vacation or when YMCA programs are cancelled due to inclement weather. All refunds or program credits given for other reasons are issued on a prorated basis. I understand that the YMCA reserves the right to apply any credit due to other outstanding balances. Refunds are issued within 30 days of cancellation.

I have read and understand all the policies stated above.

Parent/guardian signature _____ Date _____

Medical Treatment Policies

Accident Insurance – Participants are responsible for their own accident insurance when using the YMCA and when participating in YMCA programs off-site.

Medication – The YMCA does not normally administer any medication and will do so only when directed in writing by the child's parent or guardian. However, in the event of an emergency in which the parent cannot be contacted, Emergency Medical Staff and the YMCA may take appropriate action in the best interest of the child.

Immunization Records – Current copies of each child's immunization records must accompany this form.

Blood Borne Pathogen Exposure – I understand that, while my child is in the care of the YMCA, if a child is exposed to a body fluid on broken skin or mucous membrane (e.g. splashing in mouth or eye), from another child, the YMCA will contact the parents of both children. They will explain what has occurred, and then provide the name of the attending physician of the source child to the parents of the exposed child. If a staff member has a blood or body fluid exposure from a child, the YMCA will provide the name and telephone number of the child's attending physician to the staff member.

I have read and agree with the statement and specifically authorize the YMCA to release the name and telephone number of my child's physician, and a description of the event to the parent or guardian of any child who is exposed to blood or body fluid or any staff member who experiences such an exposure from my child.

Program Policies

Babysitting Policy – The YMCA strives to employ the very best staff possible in all of our programs. During staff time-off or after they are no longer employed with us, these persons are private citizens and no longer subject to our employment rules and procedures. The YMCA cannot and does not endorse or recommend its present or former staff members as babysitters to any parent or guardian of any child in any of our programs. Any babysitting arrangements with present or former staff of the YMCA is separate and independent from any YMCA program and must be based on the independent investigation, responsibility and judgment of the parent or guardian. I agree that the YMCA shall not be responsible and will be held harmless from any claims or liability in connection with such babysitting activities.

Pickup Policy – I hereby acknowledge that the YMCA will assume that either parent of the child may pick up the child at any time during the program unless there is sufficient court documentation on file at the Branch that indicates otherwise. A pickup card is always required to pick up your child.

Inclement weather – Please refer to local media sources or, if available, www.ymcanwnc.org for program closings related to inclement weather.

Lost Items – I understand that the YMCA is not responsible for any personal items lost or stolen at our programs.

Behavior Expectations and Discipline Policy

Child's Name _____

It is important that staff maintain good order and discipline in all programs. Top objectives in all YMCA programs are safety and a positive atmosphere for learning and developing social skills. The YMCA makes every effort to help children understand clear definitions of acceptable and unacceptable behavior.

The YMCA does not condone and will not permit:

1. Corporal punishment
2. Ridiculing, threatening, using an inappropriate loud voice
3. Leaving children unsupervised
4. Use of profanity

3. If the child's behavior continues to be disruptive and/or unsafe, the child will be subject to suspension or dismissal.
4. Failure of the parent(s)/guardian to attend conference(s) and cooperate will subject the child to suspension or dismissal.

A child's behavior is expected to be consistent with the following:

1. Use appropriate language at all times.
2. Cooperate with staff and follow directions.
3. Respect other children and staff, equipment and facilities, and yourself.
4. Maintain a positive attitude.
5. Stay in program areas – running away is not acceptable.

Behaviors which may result in immediate dismissal include but are not limited to:

1. Any action that could threaten or pose a direct threat to the physical/emotional safety of the child, other children or staff
2. Fighting
3. Possession of a weapon of any kind
4. Vandalism or destruction of YMCA property or property of others
5. Sexual misconduct
6. Possession of or use of alcohol or controlled substances unless under the prescription of a doctor
7. Running away
8. Biting

The Discipline Policy

1. If a child is unable to comply with the behavior expectations, a conference will be held by the program director with the child. The parent(s)/guardian will be notified in writing.
2. If after the above meeting the child is still unable to comply with the behavior expectations, the program director will set up a conference with the parent(s)/guardian. A behavior contract will be established and signed by the child (if appropriate), parent(s)/guardian and the program director.

Special Circumstances

Parents or guardians are required to inform the YMCA in writing, prior to a child's acceptance in a YMCA program, of any special circumstances which may affect the child's ability to participate fully and within the guidelines of acceptable behavior, including but not limited to any serious behavioral problems or special circumstances regarding psychological, medical or physical conditions.

Upon being informed of such circumstances, the branch director (or his or her designee, i.e., senior program director, youth director) may require a conference with the parent(s)/guardian to discuss these circumstances.

I understand and acknowledge that: (i) it is the responsibility of the parent(s)/guardian to make full disclosure to the YMCA of any special circumstances which may affect the ability of my child/ward to participate, as described above; (ii) it is the responsibility of the parent(s)/guardian to inform the YMCA of any requested accommodation believed by the parent(s)/guardian to be necessary and readily achievable for such participation; and (iii) full disclosure of any special circumstances is material to the YMCA's evaluation of the child's/ward's ability to participate and the YMCA's consideration of any requested accommodation.

Please initial, indicating that you have read and understand the above:

Parent/legal guardian

Date

I have read, understand, and agree with the policies as stated in this document and have discussed the expectations of behavior with my child/ward.

Parent/legal guardian signature

Date