

# 2023 MIDDLE SCHOOL (completed 6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup>) BRPC WORKCAMP INFO

**Monday, July 24th – Friday, July 28th, 2023**

Basking Ridge Presbyterian Church, 1 E. Oak St., Basking Ridge, NJ 07920

## WORK ASSIGNMENTS:

We will be partnering with **Camp Johnsonburg** to help with camp repair projects as well as our local **Raritan Valley Habitat for Humanity** team doing simple repairs for elderly, disabled, low income and veteran neighbors.

## WHEN and WHAT:

### **Monday-Wednesday, July 24th-26th at Camp Johnsonburg**

We will depart from the East Allen Lot at BRPC on Monday morning at 7:15am to head up to Camp Johnsonburg. Once there, and after taking a COVID rapid test (per Camp JB policy), we will drop off our belongings and immediately head to work for 3 hours.

Once we finish for the day, we will have team building activities, swimming, campfire, participation in summer camp worship as well as all meals provided. We will return at approximately 11am on Wednesday morning back to the East Allen parking lot at BRPC. Go home and rest up for Thursday and Friday.

### **Thursday, July 27th and Friday, July 28th: 9am-pickup time TBA**

**Volunteer at worksites with Raritan Valley Habitat:** do simple home repairs for elderly, disabled, low income, or veteran neighbors. When we know the sites, we will ask parents to drop off youth at 9am and pick up youth at 12 noon at the worksite. We will then head back to BRPC and have lunch together in the Youth Center on Thursday and Friday and talk about the day together. Bring your own sack lunch.

## COST:

**\$175 (\$150 for siblings)** per youth **NOTE:** Financial aid is available. Make checks payable to BRPC!

**Registration Deadline Sunday, June 11th, 2023**

## SAFETY REQUIREMENTS

- A minimum of 2 adults will be present at worksites during each workday.
- Families will set up and provide their own transportation for July 27th and 28th.
- As always, if any youth is experiencing any symptoms of sickness/COVID related issues, parents will be notified immediately as a precaution.

## PREP SESSION and INFORMATION MEETING for AT LEAST 1 PARENT PER FAMILY, YOUTH and ADVISORS:

**June 25th from 5-6:30 pm in the BRPC Youth Center:** ALL ARE EXPECTED TO ATTEND.

Important info including directions, carpooling arrangements and other updated workcamp info will be distributed and discussed.

# 2023 Middle School Workcamp (completed 6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> grade) REGISTRATION

Name of youth \_\_\_\_\_ (Nickname) \_\_\_\_\_

School \_\_\_\_\_ Grade completed \_\_\_\_\_ T-shirt size: S M L XL XXL

E-mail address (student) \_\_\_\_\_ Student Cell phone \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address (parents) \_\_\_\_\_ Parent/Guardian Cell \_\_\_\_\_

Is this youth's first time in M.S. Workcamp?  yes  no How many times has youth gone? \_\_\_\_\_

If not a church member, who invited youth to sign up for Workcamp? \_\_\_\_\_

Does youth attend another church? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, which one? \_\_\_\_\_

Any allergies or special needs \_\_\_\_\_

Anything else important to know? It's better to share more than less so we can be there for your child.  
\_\_\_\_\_

## **WORKCAMP PARENTS: (Mark ALL that apply)**

\_\_\_\_ My child will adhere to our Workcamp Covenant. Specifics will be addressed at our June 25th Parent Meeting. Failure to adhere will require youth to leave.

\_\_\_\_ I will arrange transportation to and from all worksites and gatherings.

\_\_\_\_ My child will bring all necessary supplies (clearly marked) to worksites and gatherings.

\_\_\_\_ My child AND I will attend our **mandatory Prep Session** on **Tuesday, June 25th (5-6:30 pm)**

\_\_\_\_ I understand that the **deadline** to return forms is **June 11th**. Youth who submit forms after June 11th will be on a wait list – dependent on how many worksites we can repair.

## **Items to return are:**

1. \_\_\_\_ I have included the 2022 - 2023 Youth Medical Consent Form
2. \_\_\_\_ I have included a copy of medical Insurance Card **OR** \_\_\_\_ We don't have medical insurance
3. \_\_\_\_ I have included the Youth and/or Adult Registration form
4. \_\_\_\_ I have included the waiver from Habitat for Humanity
5. \_\_\_\_ I have paid \$175 per youth (\$150 for siblings) (*list "Middle School Workcamp"*) via:  
\_\_\_\_ Church Website or \_\_\_\_ check (Presbyterian Church of Basking Ridge)  
**OR I will need financial aid and can afford to pay this much in total \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

PARENT Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Print Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Return to: Basking Ridge Presbyterian Church, Attn: Toby Montgomery, 1 E. Oak St., Basking Ridge NJ 07920**

**2023 Middle School Mission Workcamp Covenant:**

- To treat myself and all others with love and kindness, and to act in a way that supports the entire Workcamp.
- To be respectful of the privacy, property, feelings, and bodies of others.
- To uphold the greatest commandment, which is “to love the Lord with all my heart, with all my soul and with all my strength; and to love my neighbor as myself.”
- To study and learn from our Workcamp community, and find places in my life where positive choices will help me personally, the fellowship group, humankind and our environment.
- To live enthusiastically as part of the fellowship community, being at the right place at the right time, recognizing that we are the Body of Christ and that the group is not complete without me.
- To follow all safety guidelines when it comes to health as well as following all safety guidelines given to us by adults/mission site coordinators.
- I will **NOT** bring any cigarettes/vaping devices, alcohol, recreational drugs or controlled substances on the Workcamp trip. I understand that I will be sent home for using or possessing such substances, for engaging in inappropriate sexual behavior, inflicting physical harm on others or for reported instances of overt disrespect for people within our Workcamp and its community .

Youth Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Print Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

As the PARENT of a 2023 BRPC Workcamper, I understand that my child has committed to the covenantal rules outlined by the Basking Ridge Presbyterian Church. I have read the covenant agreement, and understand that if my child violates any covenantal rules, I am responsible for arranging transport & supervision from either Camp Johnsonburg or the Raritan Valley Habitat Worksite.

PARENT Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Print Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

# YOUTH MEDICAL CONSENT FORM for May 1, 2023 - October 1, 2024

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Youth Cell \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_ School \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_ Youth Email \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian name \_\_\_\_\_ Cell phone \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian name \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ Family  
 doctor \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Last tetanus  
 shot \_\_\_\_\_ Blood type (if known) \_\_\_\_\_

The undersigned does hereby give permission for our (my) child \_\_\_\_\_, to attend & participate in **all youth fellowship events** sponsored by The Presbyterian Church, Basking Ridge, NJ.

The undersigned shall be liable and agree(s) to pay all costs and expenses incurred in connection with medical and dental services rendered to above named individual pursuant to this authorization. Should it be necessary for our/my child to return home due to medical reasons or otherwise, the undersigned shall assume all transportation costs. The undersigned does also hereby give permission for our/my child to ride in any vehicle designated by the adult in whose care the minor has been entrusted while attending and participating in activities sponsored by The Presbyterian Church, Basking Ridge, NJ. The undersigned does also release The Presbyterian Church, Basking Ridge, NJ, its employees and volunteers from any responsibility and liability for injury, damages or loss occurring during the aforementioned activity to our/my child who, with the undersigned, assumes all risks in the use & enjoyment of said activity.

\_\_\_\_\_ Parent or  
 legal guardian name *(please print)* Signature of Parent or legal guardian Date

Insurance company \_\_\_\_\_ Policy number \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ YES, I have attached a copy of current medical card to this form or scanned and emailed it to [jleotti@brpc.org](mailto:jleotti@brpc.org)  
 This is REQUIRED, if youth is insured.

Please list any ALLERGIES (to medication or food) and any MEDICAL or EMOTIONAL concerns your child may have:

Please list any other pertinent information: \_\_\_\_\_

List any and all medication youth is presently taking (this information is kept confidential): *(You may continue on back)*

Name of medication	Dosage	Reason for medication	Can your child self-medicate?

Is the youth currently being treated for any medical/emotional problems? \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No

If so, please provide the following: condition being treated \_\_\_\_\_

Doctor's name & telephone number (if different from above) \_\_\_\_\_

Do we have permission to post your child's photo and/or 1<sup>st</sup> name on our website/social media? \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No (NOTE:

Last names of youth will NOT be included in any postings.)

## Release and Waiver of Liability for Minors

**PLEASE READ CAREFULLY! THIS IS A LEGAL DOCUMENT THAT AFFECTS YOUR LEGAL RIGHTS!**

This Release and Waiver of Liability (the "Release") executed on \_\_\_\_\_ (date) by \_\_\_\_\_, a minor child (the "Volunteer") and \_\_\_\_\_, the parent having legal custody and/or the legal guardian of the volunteer (the "Guardian"), in favor of Habitat for Humanity International, Inc., a nonprofit corporation, and Raritan Valley Habitat for Humanity Inc., a New Jersey nonprofit corporation, their directors, officers, employees, and agents (collectively, "Habitat").

The Volunteer and the Guardian desire that the Volunteer work as a volunteer for Habitat and engage in the activities related to being a volunteer (the "Activities"). The Volunteer and the Guardian understand that the Activities may include constructing and rehabilitating residential buildings, working in the Habitat offices, and living in housing provided for volunteers of Habitat.

The Volunteer and the Guardian hereby freely, voluntarily, and without duress execute this Release under the following terms:

**Release and Waiver:** Volunteer and Guardian do hereby release and forever discharge and hold harmless Habitat and its successors and assigns from any and all liability, claims, and demands of whatever kind or nature, either in law or in equity, which arise or may hereafter arise from Volunteer's Activities with Habitat.

Volunteer and Guardian understand that this Release discharges Habitat from any liability or claim that the Volunteer and Guardian may have against Habitat with respect to any bodily injury, personal injury, illness, death, or property damage that may result from Volunteer's Activities with Habitat, whether caused by the negligence of Habitat or its officers, directors, employees, or agents or otherwise. Volunteer and Guardian also understand that Habitat does not assume any responsibility for or obligation to provide financial assistance or other assistance, including but not limited to medical, health, or disability insurance in the event of injury or illness.

It is the policy of Habitat that children under the age of 16 not be allowed on a Habitat worksite while there is construction in progress. It is further the policy of Habitat that, while children between the ages of 16 and 18 may be allowed to participate in construction work, ultra hazardous activity such as using power tools, excavation, demolition, or working on rooftops is not permitted by anyone under 18.

**Medical Treatment:** Volunteer and Guardian do hereby release and forever discharge Habitat from any claim whatsoever which arises or may hereafter arise on account of any first aid, treatment, or service rendered in connection with the Volunteer's activities with Habitat or with the decision by any representative or agent of Habitat to exercise the power to consent to medical or dental treatment as such power may be granted and authorized in the Parental Authorization for Treatment of a Minor Child.

**Assumption of the Risk:** The Volunteer and Guardian understand that the Activities may include work that may be hazardous to the Volunteer, including, but not limited to, construction, loading and unloading, and transportation to and from the work sites.

Volunteer and Guardian hereby expressly and specifically assume the risk of injury or harm in the Activities and release Habitat from all liability for injury, illness, death, or property damage resulting from the Activities.

**Insurance:** The Volunteer and Guardian understand that, except as otherwise agreed to by Habitat in writing, Habitat does not carry or maintain health, medical, or disability insurance coverage for any Volunteer.

**Each Volunteer is expected and encouraged to obtain his and her own medical or health insurance coverage.**

**Photographic Release:** Volunteer and Guardian do hereby grant and convey unto Habitat all right, title, and interest in any and all photographic images and video or audio recordings made by Habitat during the Volunteer's Activities with Habitat, including, but not limited to, any royalties, proceeds, or other benefits derived from such photographs or recordings.

**Other:** Volunteer and Guardian expressly agree that this Release is intended to be as broad and inclusive as permitted by the laws of New Jersey, and that this Release shall be governed by and interpreted in accordance with the laws of New Jersey. Volunteer agrees that in the event that any clause or provision of this Release shall be held to be invalid by any court of competent jurisdiction, the invalidity of such clause or provision shall not otherwise affect the remaining provisions of this Release which shall continue to be enforceable.

Raritan Valley Habitat for Humanity expects all volunteers to behave in a way that reinforces the Habitat Mission and founding principles of the organization. All people should be accorded respect and consideration, which contribute to a safe and productive workplace.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Volunteer and Guardian have executed this Release as of the day and year first above written.

Volunteer Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Group: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State & Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (H): \_\_\_\_\_ (C): \_\_\_\_\_





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Volunteer Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Group Name (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State & Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (H): \_\_\_\_\_ (C/W): \_\_\_\_\_



## Waiver

Guest Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Group: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Group: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: Day: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Evening: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: Day: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Evening: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

### Participant Agreement

In consideration for the named person on this account ("Participant") being allowed to participate in activities at the Presbyterian Camps and Conferences, Inc. (the "Camp"), I hereby acknowledge and agree to this release of liability, waiver of legal rights, and assumption of risk under the following terms:

I acknowledge that participating in activities or presence at the Camp, including, without limitation, the attendance at or participation in any event held at the Camp facility (whether presented, hosted or sponsored by the Camp or a third party), involves participation in or observance of physical recreational activities that involve inherent dangers that no amount of care, caution, instruction or expertise can eliminate. The activities that the participant may participate in include, but are not limited to, challenge course activities, high ropes course activities and other high adventure activities including, but not limited to, boating/paddling, backpacking, rock climbing, mountain biking, and hiking. These activities can be a strenuous and require the Participant to be in good physical condition.

I acknowledge that participation in the activity described above involves risk to the participant (and to the participant's parents or guardians, if the participant is a minor), and may result in various types of injury including, but not limited to, the following: sickness, exposure to infectious/communicable disease, bodily injury, death, emotional injury, personal injury, property damage, and financial damage.

I certify that the participant does not suffer from any physical infirmities or illnesses which would affect the participant's ability to engage in these activities. I understand that during some of these activities, participant may be exposed to psychologically and physically challenging situations. I acknowledge that although the program has taken precautions to provide proper organization, supervision, instruction and equipment for each activity it is impossible for the program to guarantee absolute safety. Also, I understand that the participant and I share responsibility for safety of the participant, and I assume that responsibility. I accept responsibility for verifying the health of the participant and certify that the participant has no physical or psychological problems that would prohibit the participant's participation in this program.

I hereby release, waive, discharge, and covenant not to sue the Camp and any its affiliates, members, owners, managers, directors, officers, employees, trustees, agents, subsidiaries, affiliates, administrators, staff, directors, and all other persons involved with such entities (collectively, "Releasees") from any and all demands, claims, suits, losses or damages of any nature and kind on account of property damages or personal injury (including without limitation death or paralysis) caused or alleged to have been caused, in whole or part, by the negligence or willful acts of the Releasees (collectively, "Damages"). I hereby agree that if any provision of this Waiver and Release Form is held invalid or is prohibited, the balance of the document shall (notwithstanding such invalidity or prohibited provision) continue in full force and effect.

All disputes, claims, questions, or differences arising from, relating to or in connection with this Waiver and Release or the participant's participation in any activity at or presence at a Camp facility, including, without limitation, the enforceability or applicability of all or any portion of this Waiver and Release, shall be finally settled by arbitration administered by the American Arbitration Association in accordance with the provisions of its then current Consumer Arbitration Rules by a single arbitrator. The place of arbitration shall be in New Jersey. The arbitration shall be governed by laws of the State of New Jersey. I understand that

the decision of the arbitrator shall be final, binding and conclusive upon me and the Camp. The arbitrator shall not have the power to award any consequential or punitive damages. I agree to hold the existence, content and result of the arbitration in confidence, except to the limited extent necessary to enforce a final settlement agreement or to obtain or enforce a judgment on an arbitration decision and award. I ACKNOWLEDGE AND AGREE THAT THE INCLUSION OF THIS ARBITRATION CLAUSE SHALL IN NO WAY IMPAIR THE VALIDITY OR ENFORCEABILITY OF ANY WAIVER OR RELEASE OF LIABILITY SET FORTH HEREIN.

Participant's Signature (if at least 18 years old) or Parent/Guardian's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

### Media Release

I further give permission and consent for the use of photographs, videotapes, or interviews (collectively, "Media") of Guest, while participating in the Camp's activities to be used to illustrate, report, promote and advertise the Camp. Use of any such Media may include, but is not limited to: brochures, posters, letters, news articles, videos, ads, electronic news, web sites, blogs and social media promoting or reporting on the Camp. I hereby agree that the Camp may use such Media of Guest with or without Guest's name for any lawful purpose (including, without limitation, advertising, marketing, education, publicity, illustration, promotion, and web content), without compensation to me or Guest, and without any additional consent from me or Guest. I hereby release and agree to hold harmless the Camp from any and all claims, damages, and/or losses that I or Guest may have which relate in any way to the Media including, without limitation, claims for violation of right of publicity, invasion of privacy, and libel. I hereby agree that all Media are owned exclusively by the Camp. I hereby waive any and all proprietary rights or interests I have or may have in any Media. I understand and intend that the rights granted to the Camp hereunder are worldwide, irrevocable, royalty-free, perpetual and assignable.

I Agree

I Disagree

Participant's Signature (if at least 18 years old) or Parent/Guardian's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

### Things you should know about health services while you are at camp:

- (a) In case of an emergency, we will call the local ambulance service. It takes at least 15 minutes for an ambulance to get to camp.
- (b) There will not be a nurse/doctor on site at all times. Johnsonburg's hospitality and program staff are trained in first aid and CPR.
- (c) There will be a basic first aid kit in each building.
- (d) There are two AEDs on site. Johnsonburg does not have portable oxygen on site.
- (e) There are several urgent care facilities, 2 hospitals, and pharmacies available to you in two different towns (Newton and Hackettstown). These are 15 minutes from camp

Last update: 2/15/22