



CONSENT TO ATTEND AND PARTICIPATE VIRTUAL CAMP

I hereby give consent for my child(ren)/ward(s) _____, hereafter referred to as “child,” permission to participate fully in all the programs and activities of **Camp Kids Are Kids Chicago (CKAKC)**.

RELEASE, HOLD HARMLESS AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT

I understand and agree to the following:

- I retain full supervisory responsibility for any and all activities that happen as a part of CKAKC.
- Camp staff refers to adults who have been screened, approved and trained and may be paid staff or volunteers.
- I will not expect camp staff to provide supervision for my child.
- I understand that participation in these events is at my and my child’s own risk. While measures are being taken to manage any risk, there is still the risk that something unexpected may happen. If my child gets hurt while participating in any CKAKC activity or activity recommended by CKAKC, I will assume full responsibility.
- I will maintain and supervise any Zoom account that my child uses to participate in all Virtual Camp activity during the camp week.
- I understand that the Zoom sessions that my child participates in will be closed and will only allow registered participants and approved staff and volunteers to participate.
- For all Zoom sessions I shall ensure that my child is appropriately dressed and that the computer and camera that they are using does not show inappropriate things in our home. Please consider having your child sit with camera facing a blank wall, decorating the wall with camp drawings, using a Zoom background, or blurring the background. If something is noticed on your child’s video that is determined not appropriate, your child’s video will be turned off until the issue is resolved.
- I understand that all recordings of Zoom sessions shall be done through CKAKC. If there is any unauthorized documentation by any participants, I will not hold CKAKC responsible.
- Appropriate behavior for participants will be expected. Camp staff will review appropriate and inappropriate behaviors with campers. Bullying, including cyberbullying, during a session or outside of a session is not appropriate. Issues and consequences will be addressed with camper and parent including and not limited to temporary or permanent removal from CKAKC.
- I understand that CKAKC is using Zoom, a third party platform, to facilitate our virtual sessions. CKAKC assumes no liability for any performance issues with Zoom.

PHOTO AND MEDIA RELEASE

- I understand that my child may be in either a screenshot and/or video record. These may be used by CKAKC for current or future advertisements.
- I hereby grant permission to CKAKC to interview, televise, take photographs, slides, audiotapes, videos, and motion pictures of my child participating in CKAKC programs and activities for use in newspapers, television, radio, and social media.
- I hereby relinquish any right, title, or interest in such interviews, photographs, slides, audiotapes, videos, televising or social media.
- I understand that all recordings of Virtual Camp sessions shall be done through CKAKC and no other participants shall be allowed to record sessions unless previously permitted. If there is any unauthorized documentation by any participants, I will not hold CKAKC responsible.

ELECTRONIC COMMUNICATION POLICY

- I agree to follow and to ensure that my child will follow the CKAKC Electronic Communication Policy that states:
 - Any private (one to one) electronic communication between staff and youths, including the use of social networking websites like Facebook, Instagram, Snapchat, instant messaging, texting, etc. is prohibited.
 - All communication between staff and youths must be transparent and public.
 - Example:
 - They shall communicate through an approved Zoom site where anyone who is a member can see the conversation.
 - Email communication is preferred to be between the parent and camp staff/volunteer.
 - Email communication to the child shall include at least two approved volunteers.
 - When communicating on the approved Zoom site these sessions shall be facilitated by at least two approved adults.

PERSONAL PROPERTY

- It is my responsibility to provide any equipment needed for virtual programs, such as a computer, tablet, internet access, headset, earphones, microphone, digital camera, etc. I also understand that any damage to said equipment is the sole responsibility of the owner of said equipment. I will not hold CKAKC responsible for any damage that may happen during CKAKC.

Signing below confirms that you have read the above permission statements, that you understand it, and that you agree to be bound by it.

Printed name of Custodial parent/guardian

Custodial parent/guardian **signature**

Date signed