

Dear Parents:

Please sit down with your child and talk about the expected behavior at the Retreat. To make the Retreat more enjoyable for everyone, certain rules of conduct must be followed. Below is the list of guidelines for behavior. **We would like you and your child to read and sign the attached form and return it to the synagogue office by November 9<sup>th</sup>.** If your child's behavior on the Retreat is not within these guidelines, we will not hesitate to call you to come to camp and take your child home. Parents should be available in case such a call needs to be made.

Bonny's cell phone: (630) 244-1922

Shelly's cell phone: (630) 926-3898

Be at Etz Chaim by 3:45pm on Friday November 17th. The bus will leave promptly at 4:00pm and return on Sunday the 19th at approximately 1:30pm.

### **BEHAVIOR GUIDELINES**

#### **Coach Bus:**

- For safety purposes, no one is out of his/her seat during the trip
- Personal electronics/phones are allowed but we are not responsible for lost/stolen items
- Snacks and water bottles are allowed

#### **Camp:**

- All participants are required to attend and be on time for all activities and meals.
- We expect you to respect the adults who plan and supervise your activities and give them your attention.
- Remain within the areas of camp open to us for programming. Wandering beyond these boundaries might present a danger for you.
- During bedtime: respect those who want to sleep, cooperate with staff and follow instructions concerning lights out.
- During meals: you are expected to be in your seat and no food or drinks are to be thrown.
- If needed, children are responsible for taking their own medications and are to let staff know about any food allergies. There is no nurse or doctor on staff during retreat.

#### **What to bring to the Retreat:**

Sleeping bag

Pillow

Flashlight

Towels

Tallit and kippot

1 or 2 bottles of water for each day

Toiletries/shower items

Sports equipment/cards/games/crafts

Warm informal clothes

2 pairs of shoes

Sense of humor

Brain

**JYG Retreat – November 17-19, 2017**  
**RETURN THIS FORM AND \$125 CHECK (made out to Congregation Etz Chaim)**  
**TO THE SYNAGOGUE BY NOVEMBER 9TH**

We have read and agree to the guidelines for the JYG Retreat and look forward to an enjoyable weekend.

Parent Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY**

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

Child's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

**ALL** Parent Phone numbers (PRINT CLEARLY):

Home: \_\_\_\_\_

Mobile 1: \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile 2: \_\_\_\_\_

Work 1: \_\_\_\_\_ Work 2: \_\_\_\_\_

Check here for an English part in the service \_\_\_\_\_

Check here for a Hebrew part in the service \_\_\_\_\_

Does your child have any special needs we should be aware of?

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\_\_\_\_\_ (continue on back of paper if needed)

I give permission for my child to participate in the JYG Retreat, November 17-19, 2017

Parent's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

In case of illness or other emergency, we will attempt to contact parents or guardians before calling a doctor. In the case the parents cannot be reached, the staff will use its best judgment to provide the appropriate medical care for your child. I give the Etz Chaim Religious School and its representatives permission to seek medical attention and make medical decisions concerning my child \_\_\_\_\_'s health in the event that neither my emergency contacts nor I can be reached in an emergency.

Signature of Parent or Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_