St. John's Biggerstaff - Christian Retreat Center
Alcohol Policy

With the approval of a signed Alcohol Policy, the usage of alcohol at Biggerstaff is permitted between the hours of 3PM and 9PM with the following regulations:

1. Alcohol must not be the primary focus or purpose for the event or be an inducement to attend.
2. There will be no buying or selling of alcohol.
    a. Guest groups may bring their own beer and wine provided they are only consumed in such group's rented event space, not in public.
3. Care will be taken as to the appropriate presence of youth and children. No alcohol for the adults will be permitted for an event that is primarily youth oriented.
4. Underage drinking is prohibited, and its prevention must be strictly enforced. Steps must be taken to ensure that minors do not have access to and are not served alcohol.
5. Non-alcoholic beverage alternatives must be provided with equal quantities, prominence, and accessibility as those containing alcohol.
6. Groups must obey all federal, state, and local laws and regulations with respect to alcoholic beverages.

Although these guidelines recognize the positive social value of the use of alcoholic beverages, Biggerstaff Retreat Center, as a Christian retreat center, also recognizes that drunkenness and disorderly conduct is unacceptable behavior and care must be taken to ensure that responsible persons are in control of serving alcoholic beverages.

Any exceptions to this must be submitted for approval to the Biggerstaff Board of St. John's, thirty (30) days prior to your event.

By signing below, the host/contact person sponsoring the activity on the church premises assumes all responsibility for observance and enforcement of the alcohol use policies. The Biggerstaff Retreat Center reserves the right to withhold client's safety deposit in full for breach of this policy.

Renter _____ Date: _____