



St. Ignatius Life Teen Summer Retreat 2016

WHAT: The goal of this trip is to give each teen an experience of God through nature, the outdoors, the sacraments, worship, and community. Along with the outdoor activities there will be talks from their peers, daily Mass and Adoration, and most importantly, time away from social media.

WHO: High School 9-12th

WHERE: Outdoor Adventure Rafting Benton, TN

- **Whitewater Rafting** on the Ocoee River
- **Hiking** in the Cherokee National Forest
- **Caving** in Raccoon Mountain Caverns

WHEN: Friday, July 8 (morning departure) – Monday, July 11 (evening return)

COST: \$200 Includes transportation, lodging, and food during trip
(Except lunch on the way up and lunch on the way home)

FORMS AND PAYMENT NEED TO RESERVE YOUR SPOT BY JUNE 10TH

ITINERARY

- JULY 8: Depart St. Ignatius at 7:30am (**Arrive by 7am**)
JULY 9: Hike and Volleyball Tourney
JULY 10: Sunday Mass & Whitewater Raft
JULY 11: Spelunking (Raccoon Cave) and Head Home

LODGING

We will be staying in cabins at Outdoor Adventure Rafting (OAR). You will need to bring your own sleeping bag and pillow. Also, you will need to bring a shower towel and shower supplies.

EMERGENCY CONTACT

Anthony Tobin - (251) 518-9439
Conrad Collins - (251) 545-6427

Packing List- Please limit your luggage to one suitcase and one carry-on each

- ___ Towel & Toiletries (everything you'll need to look and smell good each day)
- ___ Medications
- ___ Comfortable clothes/shoes/and hat for hiking
- ___ School bag or small backpack for hiking
- ___ Bathing Suit (no bikinis or speedos)
- ___ Water shoes for rafting (no sandals)
- ___ OLD shoes, pants, and shirt you can get dirty for caving
- ___ 2 garbage bags for wet and dirty clothes
- ___ Rain Coat or Poncho
- ___ Sun Screen and Bug Spray
- ___ Water bottle
- ___ Spending money for food on the way and souvenirs
- ___ Snacks for bus and nights
- ___ Appropriate DVD's for bus (not rated R)

WHAT NOT TO BRING

A BAD ATTITUDE- don't think it, don't bring it. Irreplaceable valuables. Many of us will be bringing cameras, but we have to watch that they don't get broken or stolen. I am asking that we **do not bring any personal entertainment devices- including laptops, Ipads, Ipods, etc.** Also limited use of cell phones! It is important that you talk to each other and because we have no control over materials played and we are trying to maintain a "retreat atmosphere" it is easiest this way. We still will be able to play movies on the bus.

PARENTAL/GUARDIAN CONSENT FORM AND LIABILITY WAIVER

Dear Parent or Legal Guardian:

If you would like your child to participate in this event that requires transportation to a location away from the parish, school or archdiocesan office site, please complete, sign, and return this statement of consent and release of liability. As parent or legal guardian, you remain legally responsible for any personal actions taken by the named minor (“participant”).

This activity will take place under the guidance and supervision of employees and/or volunteers from St. Ignatius Parish/School. A brief description of the activity follows:

Name of Event: _____ Summer Retreat Ocoee TN _____

Individual in Charge: Anthony Tobin

Date and estimated time of departure and return of trip: Fri, July 8-Mon, July 11

Mode of transportation to and from event: Bus

Participants Name: _____

Parent/Guardian name: (please print) _____

Address: _____

Cell Phone: _____ **Other Phone:** _____

I agree on behalf of myself, my child named herein, or our heirs, successors, and assigns, to hold harmless and defend (name of parish/school/institution) **St. Ignatius Parish and School**, its officers, directors, employees and agents, and the Archdiocese of Mobile, its employees and agents, chaperones, or representatives associated with the event, from any claim arising from or in connection with my child attending the event or in connection with any illness or injury (including death) or cost of medical treatment in connection therewith, and I agree to compensate the parish/school/institution, its officers, directors and agents, and the Archdiocese of Mobile, its employees and agents and chaperones, or representative associated with the event for reasonable attorney’s fees and expenses that may incur in any action brought against them as a result of such injury or damage, unless such claim arises from the negligence of the parish/school/institution/archdiocese.

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Event: _____

Group Leader: Anthony Tobin Group Name: St. Ignatius Life Teen

Participant's Name _____ M/F _____ Grade _____

Date of Birth _____ Parent E-mail _____ T-Shirt Size _____

Parents/Guardian: (Mr. & Mrs.)(Mr.)(Ms.)(Mrs.) circle one First _____ Spouse _____ Last _____

Home Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Parents Home Phone # (_____) _____ Parents Cell Phone # (_____) _____

Parents Address if different than Participants: First _____ Last _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

CODE OF CONDUCT

My teen and I understand that while participating on this trip there are expectations and guidelines to be followed and will cooperate with these rules. Guns, weapons, drugs, alcohol, and illegal behavior are prohibited. I understand that failure to comply may result in immediate dismissal of my child, with transportation home at my expense. My teen and I have discussed the code of conduct for this trip and agree to its conditions.

Parent Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Teen Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

MEDICAL HISTORY PLEASE HAVE A COPY OF YOUR INSURANCE CARD WITH YOU AT ALL TIMES

Allergies: _____

Current Medications: _____

EMERGENCY MEDICAL TREATMENT:

- ❖ In the event of an emergency, I hereby give permission to St. Ignatius Life Teen, its officers, directors, agents, volunteers and representatives associated with this event to transport my child to a hospital to receive emergency medical or surgical treatment. I wish to be advised prior to any further treatment by the hospital or doctor.
- ❖ I relieve St. Ignatius Life Teen of all responsibility and consequences that may arise as a result of this treatment. I will not hold St. Ignatius Life Teen liable in the event of injury. Further, I agree to accept any and all financial responsibility as a result of medical treatment.

Parent Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Insurance Carrier: _____

Insurance Policy Number: _____

Insurance in provided by which parent and/or place of employment? _____

Address and Phone Number of Company: _____

In the event of an emergency, if you are unable to reach me at the above number, contact:

Name: _____

Relationship: _____ Telephone: # (____) _____