

Warrior Guides Program Description

Description: The **Warrior Guides** is a Henderson High School mentoring club that is open to every Henderson High School student who understands the **Mission** and **Aims** of the club and is willing and able to meet its **Expectations**, and follows the **Rules** of the club. The club works with 5th and 6th grade students from several elementary schools in Chester, PA. These **Braves** also understand the **Mission** and **Aims** of the club and are willing and able to meet the **Expectations** set for every mentee and will follow the **Rules** of the club.

Mission: The **Mission** of the Warrior Guides club is to form one-on-one relationships between Henderson High School students and Chester children in need of role models, and to create events that will give opportunities for the mentors (Warrior Guides) and mentees (Braves) to have experiences together which can grow their relationships and foster mutual respect, honesty and trust.

Aims: The **Aim** of the club is to have each Brave better understand his or her personal worth and potential, seeking to make righteous choices for themselves while believing that his or her Warrior Guide will reliably encourage and support them and challenge them to greater achievements. The club also **Aims** to grow leadership in each mentor, develop a sense of value and responsibility in each high school student, and encourage each Warrior Guide to raise the bar in their own moral and ethical conduct.

Expectations:

Expectations for the Warrior Guides (mentors):

1. Every mentor will attend at least 5 club-organized and scheduled events with their mentee during the course of the 2013-2014 school year.
2. Every mentor will make a minimum of three “personal touches” throughout the school year. These “personal touches” can include a birthday card, a personal phone call, or a personal communication such as a text or email.
3. Every mentor will attend the culminating activity at the end of the school year.
4. Every mentor will display role-model behavior and show respect at every event.
5. Every mentor will bring a positive, encouraging attitude and patience to every event.
6. Every mentor will follow the policy and procedures of the Andrew L. Hicks, Jr. Foundation regarding contact with children.
7. Every mentor will be expected to fill out a Questionnaire at the beginning of the program and then the same Questionnaire at the end of the program.

8. Every mentor will be expected to contribute \$50 to the club, due with the Commitment and Waiver forms by 9/16/2013. Financial assistance is available if necessary.

Expectations for Braves (mentees):

1. Every mentee will attend at least 5 club-organized and scheduled events with their mentor during the course of the 2013-2014 school year.
2. Every child will attend the culminating activity at the end of the school year.
3. Every child will show respect at every event.
4. School rules apply at every event.
5. Every Brave will be expected to fill out a Questionnaire at the beginning of the program and then the same Questionnaire at the end of the program.

Rules:

All Warrior Guides (mentors) must adhere to the following rules:

1. All mentors who will be turning 18 years old prior to 6/1/14 must complete the following at the time of their 18th birthday:
 - a. Criminal Background Check (\$10)
 - b. Child Abuse Clearance (\$10)
 - c. Name check against the National Sexual Offenders Registry
2. Absolutely no social media (Facebook, instagram, twitter, etc.) relationships with any of the children in the Warrior Guides program.
3. Absolutely no personal visits with any children in the Warrior Guides program.
4. No alcohol, tobacco, weapon, or fire arms can be brought to any Warrior Guides event.
5. No harsh or foul language will be used at any Warrior Guides event.
6. If a Warrior Guide cannot attend an event, he or she will still invite his or her Brave and if the Brave can attend, the Warrior Guide will find another Warrior Guide to take care of the Brave during that particular event.

All Braves (mentees) must adhere to the following rules:

1. Absolutely no social media (Facebook, instagram, twitter, etc.) relationships with any of the Henderson High School students.
2. Absolutely no personal visits with any high school student in the Warrior Guides program.
3. No alcohol, tobacco, weapon, or fire arms can be brought to any Warrior Guides event.
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Brave Commitment

Child's Name: _____

Parent(s) or Guardian's Names: _____

Child lives with: _____ Relationship: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

Parent or Guardian Cell Phone (s): _____

Child's Home Phone: _____ Child's Birth Date: _____

School: _____

Emergency Contact Information:

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Tell us some of your child's favorite activities, interests and hobbies so that we can better pair him or her up with his or her mentor.

Please let us know if your child has any allergies or medical concerns:

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Brave Waiver Form

I do hereby assume full responsibility for any and all damages, injuries (including death), or losses that my child may sustain or incur, if any, while attending, practicing, participating or witnessing in any club exercise program, sport or physical activity occurring in or about the club premises or at any offsite location. I hereby assume full risk, waive all claims and release and hold B. Reed Henderson High School and the Andrew L. Hicks, Jr. Foundation, its instructors, or partners of said program or event, individually or otherwise, harmless for any and all claims for injuries or damages.

I am fully aware and understand that the club does not have on or about the club premises, or employ or contract with any medical services, provisions for ordinary or emergency medical services.

In consideration of my child's participation in and the use of the Club's facilities, I hereby release and covenant not to sue the Club, its owners, shareholders, directors, officers, employees, representatives, agents, and lessees from any and all claims resulting from any physical injury that may occur to my child while participating in any program or event sponsored by the Warrior Guides or the Andrew L. Hicks, Jr. Foundation.

I have read and fully understand the above release/waiver and fully understand that I have given up substantial rights by signing this waiver voluntarily.

Parent/Guardian Name (print): _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Date: _____

I hereby grant permission to the Warrior Guides club and the Andrew L. Hicks, Jr. Foundation to photography my image and/or that of my minor child and to edit, crop, or retouch such photographs. I consent to permit those photographs to be used by the Warrior Guides and the Andrew L. Hicks, Jr. Foundation for any purpose, including education and advertisement purposes, and in any medium including print and electronic.

I have also read the Warrior Guides club **Description, Mission, Aims, and Expectations** and I will follow the **Rules** of the club.

Child's Signature _____ Date _____

Parent Signature _____ Date _____

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Name: _____

Address: _____

High School email: _____

Non-school email: _____

We will be communicating primarily through email. It is important to check email daily to keep informed about upcoming events. You will receive invitations that way and be asked to RSVP that way.

Cell Phone: _____ Home Phone: _____

Often Mrs. Hicks and the WG Officers communicate with texting.

Do you have unlimited texting? _____ May we communicate with you this way? _____
Do you use facebook? _____ We may choose to communicate by forming a group.

Birth Date: _____ Grade: _____

Parent Name: _____

Parent email: _____

Parents will be informed electronically of upcoming events.

Tell us some of your favorite activities and hobbies so that we can better pair you up with your Brave. The more you give us, the better we can match you up with a fifth grader who shares your interests.

Please let us know if you have any allergies or medical concerns:

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Parent or guardians must sign if Warrior Guide is UNDER 18.

Student Name (print): _____ Date: _____

Student Signature: _____

Parent/Guardian Name (print): _____ Date: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

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Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

_____ I am willing to serve as a Chaperone at a Warrior Guides Event this year.

Parent Email: _____ Parent Cell: _____