



Camp Akita, a First Community Church ministry Virtual Program Release and Acknowledgements

General Release

As the legal custodial parent or legal guardian of this registered camper, I give permission for my child to participate fully in the virtual camp programs of Camp Akita, a First Community Church ministry. Virtual camp programs are online camp experiences for youth in grades 1–12 conducted by employed staff of Camp Akita and First Community Church in Columbus, Ohio.

I recognize the potential risks involved by my minor children in participating in online activities, including online piracy, security, and invasion of privacy. I release, discharge, and otherwise agree to indemnify, defend, and hold harmless Camp Akita, First Community Church, its affiliated organizations and sponsors, its officers, directors, employees, volunteers, and agents against any claim by or on behalf of myself or my minor child as a result of my child's participation in any program or activity sponsored, coordinated, or supervised by Camp Akita.

I give permission on behalf of myself and my minor child for photographs or videos to be taken of my child which can be used for publicity purposes by Camp Akita and First Community Church. I agree on behalf of myself and my minor child that photographs and videos are the property of Camp Akita and First Community Church, and Camp Akita and First Community Church shall have the right to reproduce, publish in print, online, and/or via social media these photos and videos as they desire, free and clear of any claims on my, or my minor child's, part. I further give permission and [[consent]] agree on behalf of myself and my minor child that any photographs and/or videos may be published and used by Camp Akita and its agents, to illustrate and promote the camp experience, Camp Akita and its camp programs, or First Community Church.

I give permission for the Camp Akita staff to discuss my child's health and any information I provide in the camper registration forms.

Participant Virtual Platform Acknowledgements

I give permission for my child to access the Zoom platform using the password provided by Camp Akita to participate in large and small group activities. I will not share the Camp Akita log-in information to Zoom or the password to the protected pages on Camp Akita's virtual camp sites, I and will instruct my child to not do so either.

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If my child is under the age of 12, I agree to have an adult nearby who is available during the hours of virtual camp. I will set up my child's access to the internet/virtual camp in a place other than his/her bedroom. I will be aware of his/her background and what/who is visible. If my child is over the age of 12, I give my child permission to participate in any Camp Akita activity that they may access through their own social media or other online accounts. I release Camp Akita and First Community Church from any responsibility for use of internet searches outside of camp channels. I agree to talk to my child about being online, such as safety, online searches, oversharing, and cyberbullying.

I understand that any private (one-to-one) electronic communication between staff and youths, including the use of social networking sites like Facebook, Instagram, Snapchat, instant messaging, texting, etc. is prohibited. All communication between staff and youths will be transparent and public. Any email communication to the child will be between the parent/guardian and the camp staff.

I understand that all online programs will be facilitated by at least two adults who are Camp Akita and First Community Church staff members. These staff members have had a Level 2 background check, and have received appropriate staff and online training, consistent with the policies of First Community Church and the American Camp Association. Staff members are expected to abide by the same Code of Conduct as campers.

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 or electronic malfunction to said equipment is the sole responsibility of the owner of said equipment. I will not hold Camp Akita and First Community Church responsible for any damage that may occur during virtual programs. I understand that the staff of Camp Akita and First Community Church is not responsible for troubleshooting or providing technical guidance of any malfunctions of said equipment.

Recording on the Virtual Platform

I give permission for Camp Akita and First Community Church to record virtual sessions where my child is present. If we do not wish for our child to be in a picture of a particular session, we are responsible for turning off the camera and/or microphone. Leaving either of these two on is implied consent.

I will not allow my child to record any portion of program content or virtual sessions at any time for any reason. This includes video or audio content or screenshots. Doing so will result in removal from our programming. Camp Akita and First Community Church cannot guarantee that all program participants will comply with this request.

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