



Outdoor Adventures: Teen Adventure Group Application

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What is the Outdoor Adventures Teen Adventure Group “TAG”?

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What are the requirements for being a member of TAG?

- Middle or high school students who go to school or reside within the Cordova Recreation & Park District boundaries.
- TAG members must attend at least three (3) meetings and one (1) event.
- Applicants may apply at any time throughout the year.

What are the benefits to joining TAG?

- Earn service learning/community service hours.
- Attend the Outdoor Adventure activities free of charge.
- Excellent experience for college or work applications
- Learn about nature and the outdoors.

What goals will TAG accomplish?

TAG members will work with CRPD staff and partners to accomplish four main goals:

- Provide programs and events to bring the community together.
- Strengthen community image and sense of place.
- Make recommendations to promote the health and well-being of youth and the community.
- Advocate for services and programs for youth.

Teens will accomplish these goals through meetings, discussions and hosting a variety of events throughout the area. TAG planned events include:

- Community Tree Planting
- Cordova Creek Cleanup
- Volunteer opportunities at various community events
- A variety of outdoor activities

What is the time commitment?

TAG members will meet monthly at the Neil Orchard Senior Activities Center on the second Thursday of each month from 6:00 – 7:00 p.m. The commitment is one hour per month plus additional events as scheduled.

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Applicant Information



Please email completed applications to OEPcoordinator@cordovarpd.gov or turn-in to the front desk at the Hagan Community Center.

Personal Information

First Name _____ Last Name _____ Pronouns _____
Nickname _____ Birthdate _____ Age _____
Email Address _____
Cell Phone Number _____ Home Phone Number _____
Address _____ City _____ Zip Code _____
School _____ Grade _____

Parent or Guardian Information

Parent/ Guardian Name _____ Phone Number _____
Relationship to Applicant _____ Email _____
Address _____ City _____ Zip Code _____

Emergency Contacts

Emergency Contact #1 _____ Relationship _____ Cell Phone Number _____
Emergency Contact #2 _____ Relationship _____ Cell Phone Number _____

Why are you interested in joining the Teen Adventure Group?

Can you commit to attending monthly meetings on the 2nd Thursday of each month? YES NO

How did you hear about the Teen Adventure Group?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Cordova Recreation & Park District Recreation Guide | <input type="checkbox"/> Teacher at School: _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Facebook | <input type="checkbox"/> Friend at School: _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> The HYDE Out Teen Center | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cordova Recreation & Park District Email | |

Health Questionnaire

Medical Information:



Allergies: _____

Do you have any medical concerns or activity restrictions we should be aware of? Yes No

If yes, please explain: _____

Dietary Restrictions: _____

Would you like to request special accommodations? Yes No

If yes, please visit cordovarpd.gov and complete our Reasonable Accommodations Questionnaire.

Will the participant require medications during TAG events? Yes No

If yes, please complete below.

- The participant named on this form will need to take medication while at TAG events. District staff has my permission to counsel TAG staff regarding the possible effects of the medication on my child. I will not hold Cordova Recreation and Park District or its employees responsible if my child refuses to take the medication.
- Medication is to be kept in child's possession, unless arrangements are made with TAG staff prior to event.

Medication #1 name: _____ Dosage: _____

Time to be taken: _____ If "as needed" how often may it be taken?: _____

Side effects: _____

Signs of overdose: _____

Medication #2 name: _____ Dosage: _____

Time to be taken: _____ If "as needed" how often may it be taken?: _____

Side effects: _____

Signs of overdose: _____

Parent's Name Printed: _____ Date: _____

Parent's Signature: _____

Cordova Recreation & Park District



Class: Teen Adventure Group

Location: CRPD

Participant Name: _____

AGREEMENT, WAIVER AND RELEASE

AGREEMENT, WAIVER & RELEASE: In consideration for being permitted by the Cordova Recreation & Park District to participate in the above-referenced activity, I hereby waive, release, and discharge all claims for damages for personal injury, death, or property damage which I may have, or which may hereafter accrue to me, as a result of participation in said activity. This release is intended to discharge in advance the district (including its officers, employees, volunteers, and agents) from all liability arising out of or connected in any way with my participation in said activity, even though that liability may arise out of active or passive negligence or carelessness on the part of the persons or entities mentioned above.

It is further agreed that this waiver, release and assumption of risk is to be binding on my heirs, administrators, executors, and assigns and that I shall indemnify and hold the Cordova Recreation & Park District (including its officers, employees, volunteers and agents) free and harmless from any loss, liability, damage, cost, or expense which may arise out of or connected in any way with my participation in said activity. Additionally, I fully understand that my participation in the above-referenced activity exposes me to the risk of personal injury, death, communicable diseases, illnesses, viruses and/or property damage. I hereby acknowledge that I am voluntarily participating in this activity and agree to assume any such risks.

PHOTOGRAPHIC RELEASE: I understand that photographs and/or video may be taken during this activity and hereby grant the district and the State of California Department of Parks and Recreation permission to use any such photographs and/or video for advertising or in promotional materials.

PARENTAL/GUARDIAN CONSENT: (to be completed and signed by parent/guardian if Participant is under 18 years of age.) I hereby consent that the participant listed above, _____ (name) participate in the above-referenced activity, and I hereby execute the above Agreement, Waiver and Release on their behalf. I state that said minor is physically able to participate in said activity. I hereby agree to indemnify and hold the district (including its officers, employees, volunteers, and agents) free and harmless from any loss, liability, damage, cost, or expense which may arise out of or connected in any way with said minor's participation in said activity.

I HAVE CAREFULLY READ THIS AGREEMENT, WAIVER & RELEASE AND FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS CONTENTS. I AM AWARE THAT THIS IS A RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND A CONTRACT BETWEEN MYSELF AND THE ABOVE DISTRICT AND I SIGN IT OF MY FREE WILL.

Name of Child (print)

Name of Parent/Guardian (print)

Signature of Parent/Guardian

Date